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To: Metals Hearing <metalshearing@CFTC.gov>
Subject: Silver Regulations

Dear Sir;

Thank for the opportunity to comment on the issue of position limits for precious metals. Please establish a speculative position limit in COMEX silver of no more than 1500 contracts. Please restrict any hedging exemptions from those limits to legitimate hedgers. Please stop the levels of concentration in COMEX silver futures that have been experienced over the past few years on the short side of the market. It's my opinion (and that of many of my colleagues) that these concentrated short positions have limited liquidity and artificially suppressed the "fair" market price of silver.

Sincerely,

Darren Abramson