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Dear Sir;

Thanks 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.

The possible price-influencing actions of the current massive contract positions is decidedly unfair to small investors such as myself, and I would appreciate appropriate levels of control being enforced.

Thanks,

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