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"If the CFTC does not formulate and quickly implement an "exit strategy" for heavily leveraged concentrated short position manipulation immediately, the increasingly acute physical silver shortage and impending free market "correction" will most likely result in the complete destruction of the USDollar, possibly almost overnight, as well as the overall US economy in times of increasing massive bailouts and new and growing entitlement spending. If American and USDollar Destruction and is not the secret goal of appropriate long-overdue regulatory action, then in the interests of the public the CFTC is supposed to protect, please formulate and implement such a strategy immediately".

I share the same thoughts.

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