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10 - 1 margin in retail forex would likely put the small investor out of the retail forex market, There is no use to such a change, If a retail client is at all competent and uses the safe guards provided such as stop losses there is little danger to the consumer, even an incompetent trader is likely to lose little more if anything than that investment which they mindlessly made, being as the losses would be stopped out if losses reached the level of required margin, thus being likely that a totally incompetent would still be able to reclaim there margin. In most cases. However YOU MIGHT CONSIDER A PLAN TO PROTECT CLIENTS AND THERE INVESTMENTS WHEN THE MARKETS ARE CLOSED TO MOST CLIENTS BUT THE MARKETS CAN MAKE DRASTIC MOVES WITHOUT THE TRADERS BEING ABLE TO RESPOND OR HAVE BENEFIT OF THERE ORDERS i.e.: Stop Loss Orders.