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Hello,

I am writing in response to the proposed change to leverage limits for retail forex traders. As a trader I am OPPOSED to such change for a number of reasons. First, individuals trading forex are some of the more sophisticated traders and have a solid grasp of risk/reward.

There are many successful retail forex investors, myself included, who would be adversely affected by the proposed change.

Please do not make the assumption forex traders are ignorant of the risks involved. We are aware and we manage our trading accordingly.

I urge the CFTC to keep the leverage at 100:1.

Thank you,  
Chris

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