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How can you possibly think that limiting the leverage levels for trading forex is helpful or protective of the individual investor. Is it just another attempt to shore up the incompetence of the banks? You are not protecting the individual trader, you are putting him/her out of business. Is that your intent?

Stop the nonsense. Stop trying to limit leverage for the individual trader.

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