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Dear Sirs;

*I have been clean and sober 7 years. I have studied the forex market 6 of those 7 years. It is a passion of mine, it has helped me stay sober, it is a hobby, I make money at it. I am only an electrician and I have cracked the code of the market. Raising the capital requirements by reducing leverage to 10-to-1 will put me and many others out of business. With jobs so scarce why would we willingly put many good businesses out of business? We have given away so many manufacturing jobs, construction will likely never be the same again, people like me are counting on making a living at trading. P l e a s e d o n ' t pull the rug out from under me.*

Regards,  
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