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Subject: Regulation of Retail Forex

To the attention of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission,

It has come to my attention that proposed regulatory changes are being considered pertaining to retail forex trading. In particular, I'm heard of a proposal that "leverage in retail forex customer accounts would be subject to a 10-to-1 limitation."

As a small forex trader I wish to voice my objection to such a change. I know you only wish to safe guard consumers, but rather than such a restrictive limitation, you should know that most forex companies I've dealt with have wonderful disclaimers explaining the risky nature of forex trading in general and allow me, as the trader to select a margin requirement and thus pick a level of leverage appropriate for my risk appetite. Please DO NOT limit this! You will cut many small investors such as myself out of the forex market by passing such a change.

If you wish to help consumers such as myself, instead of a restriction like this, please reward the forex firms that educate their clients and that are straightforward in disclosing the risks associated with forex trading.

I know the risks I am taking and thus don't put funds at risk in a leveraged account that I cannot loose. Please do not cut me out of this market by imposing leverage limitations!

Thanks,
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