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Dear David Stawick,

The proposed regulation to decrease leverage in customer accounts to 10 - to - 1 for maximum among forex traders in the U.S. takes way in individuals freedom and right to choose the amount of leverage the individual desires.

The people do not want more regulations over what they can and cannot do with their own money. This would be yet another intrusion of government in the personal affairs of Americans lives and if you are paying attention to the current feelings of Americans as a whole, they are feed up with it! Government should not take away decisions American can make on their own – "We the People" are capable of making our own decisions.

I hope this makes sense to you.

Respectfully yours.

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