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From: Matt Sharp  
To: Charles R. Rietz  
Sent: Friday, January 22, 2010 6:35 AM  
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These bureaucrats are supposed to be there to provide a safe environment to trade in not kick us out of the game!!

Please contact the CFTC and let them know what you think if you ever want to be able to trade forex !! Email them here... [secretary@cftc.gov](mailto:secretary@cftc.gov)

Please don't mail me back as I don't understand why or what they hope to achieve either.

Regards and thanks for your time

Matt

The Willows, Orchard Close, Felsham, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk

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