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**To:** secretary <secretary@CFTC.gov>  
**Subject:** Against the new 10:1 leverage proposal

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Dear Secretary Stawick,

I am writing in regards to the new CFTC rules regulating retail forex. I want to let you know that I am **strongly opposed** to the 10:1 leverage rule.

This rule will drive traders to open accounts offshore and will result in **U.S. forex dealers going out of business**. Fraud will get worse, jobs will be lost and forex traders will be forced to open accounts overseas when they could trade in a well regulated market here at home.

Please reconsider your position. This rule will do tremendous damage to traders and dealers alike. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mary Verner