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I own a small business which is in serious trouble due to the economy. I am approaching retirement age, and am counting on forex as an additional or new source of income. At a time when I need to be saving, I have invested in training, and that as well will be lost.

Please leave in place the current 1:100 leverage for small traders such as us and others who count on this as an additional source of income. Thank you.

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