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I ask you to please not let this pass! I make a good income from forex and this would devastate not only me but other traders that are hard working and trying to provide for there family's. I have studied trading for over a year for 12hr a day m-s and I have put in hard work and the moment I am ready to go live money I get a message that the u.s is trying to lower leverage and blow the little guys out of the water. Please do not pass this. Let's under stand what we are doing here by SO CALL protecting us your hurting responsible traders. Thank you!