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RIN 3038-AC61 is a bad idea. Amending leverage in the futures markets would have disastrous consequences at this premature stage of economic recovery. What will this do to the general liquidity? What will happen when investors choose to take their monies overseas instead? I am a democratic voter but I believe that this is government over-regulation at its very worst. Though I know that the overwhelming public outcry and expert decries won't be heeded by this runaway locomotive, I can only hope that the Republican constituents in Congress will block this distasteful measure with all their might. Furthermore, all private speculators (however small) in the futures market such as myself would be adversely affected. 100-1 leverage has infinite value as a trading tool for me. 10-1 is simply not even worth the bother. Why should we also be punished for what a few bad apples and fat cats did? I still believe in a America where knowledge and hard work can get you somewhere. Don't try to take that away from us.