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**Subject:** Regulation Of Retail Forex

Re: RIN 3038-AC61

Please DO NOT change leverage ratio requirements in the retail forex markets from current levels to a required 10:1 ratio. Using carefully planned trading strategies with appropriate risk and stop levels for my portfolio is all the safety required. Changing the requirement to 10:1 will eliminate my abilities to work in the retail forex market and will take thousands of investors down too. Please do not enact this change.

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