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As a retail trader I am vehemently opposed to changing the leverage value to 10:1. I have invested a lot of time and money to acquire the skills and knowledge needed to trade in the forex market. I resent this ongoing governmental and political interference in the market. As an example, look at the damage done to financial institutions world wide by forcing the banks to make loans to people unable to repay them. Besides the damage RIN 3038 - AC61 will do to the retail aspect of the forex market this proposal is more evidence of the failed socialist economic policies of President Obama and his administration that is intended to bring the United States to its knees financially. This is just another example of more regulation and less freedom.

Regards,

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