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I am a forex trader who understands the inherent risk behind leveraged trading. I believe that in America, Forex Traders should be allowed the freedom to decide how much leverage to access when making an educated decision on the expected price movement of a currency pair. Stop/Limit Orders already exist to minimize losses. Each trader has a responsibility to accept all losses incurred based on poor life choices. Do not limit the tools accessible to mature & responsible traders because of a few outspoken & uneducated people who expect to use Forex as a get rich quick scheme rather than the professional market place that requires education, hardwork, & most importantly, Discipline!

Please ensure that the retail Forex markets in the USA can grow & capture new markets by maintaining the 100:1 leverage.

I agree with the brokerage firms minimum requirements!!!

-- Sent from my Palm Prē