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Subject: 'Regulation of Retail Forex'

As an individual investor, day-trader, the proposed 'Regulation of Retail Forex' would adversely affect my ability to continue to trade for profit. This change would reduce the retail forex opportunities for individual investors like me.

Changing the leverage requirement would remove the possibility of using "mini" accounts.

I am strongly opposed to this regulation.

Thank you for the opportunity to express my opinion.

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