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Has it come to this? Do we now feel the need to regulate personal choice? Have we invited the government to step into every decision we make concerning our own lives? I am a small time middle class investor with a paltry sum invested in the FOREX market. It is my choice to risk these funds in a market place I know to be volatile. It is NOT the governments place to limit my ability to make personal choice although it seems as our democracy evolves this happens more and more often.

Do not regulate retail Forex transactions!

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