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David Stawick, Secretary
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I am writing in regards to proposed changes in regulations to retail Forex. The ideas of limiting leverage to 10:1 and minimum margin to \$10,000 are extremely onerous. These changes will make it impractical for regular people who use Forex trading as supplemental income or as a means of protecting some of assets against changes in the value of the USD itself. If the Washington politicians can't control spending and continue to print money what outlet do we have? The USD is running high right now because other governments such as Greece and EU are equally as irresponsible.

We worked hard for savings. We worked hard to educate ourselves on learning trading principals.

The government should not arbitrarily protect us from ourselves in this manner that favors the big guys.

Please abandon the afore mentioned elements of the retail Forex proposal .

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