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I am a small investor who got laid off due to the bad economy. Being older it is possible I will never find another job. Growing my investment is one of the few chances/opportunities possible left to me.

Changing the leverage of the Forex would price me right out of the market, making a single investment cost 10 times what it currently does. It obviously would be discriminatory toward small investors and make the market only an elitest club...not very American is it?  
Please do the right thing and leave it alone.

Thanks,

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