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Dear Sec.

I am not trying to insult you. I hope that you are smart enough not to change the leverage from 100:1 to 10:1. If you do, then you are not smart enough for this job and you really don't know what is going on in currency trading.

Let say that I have have \$10,000.00 in my account. With a leverage 10:1 ratio, I would have \$100,000.00 in my account as oppose to \$1,000,000.00 when the ratio 100:1. \$100,000.00 is virtually impossible for me to trade with to make a profit. What this means is that you will wipe out the entire small investors and traders of the forex market. If a small investor like me decides to stay in the forex market to trade, let say with a \$100,000.00 leverage, I would be forced to use all of that \$100,000.00 in order to make a profit. Hence, put me a a greater risk of losing my invesment. But, If I have \$1,000,000.00, I can carefully use it to make a profit. I have done it and a lot of small investors like me have done it. I do not know what is the motive behind that change, but it sure ain't to protect me. I wonder if rich people, big banks, or big corporations are behind this.

Please do not change it, let small investors like me get a life.

Thanks
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