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Subject: Regulation of Retail Forex

Dear Secretary,

As a member of the forex trading fraternity, I think that the proposed leverage change of 10:1 will definitely cause a contraction in the number of traders in the industry, and the profitability of traders. Brokerage firms profits will be impacted, which might result in fewer brokerages firms, as well.

Please reconsider this proposal. Let the leverage stay at 100:1.
Thanks,
Regards,
Lynval Hastings.