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CFTC Comments

Dear CFTC Comments:

I support of the CFTC's Proposed Federal Speculative Position Limits to reestablish speculative position limits on major energy commodities. This will provide stability to the marketplace and help prevent future price bubbles. A strong rule must be adopted immediately to protect America's struggling economy.

Wall Street's speculative trading in oil gravely harms America's economy. It hurts every American who pays excessive prices at the pump, for groceries, home heating oil and everything related to transportation.

My tax dollars were used to bail out large Wall Street firms when they were on the brink of bankruptcy. These are the same institutions who gamble on oil -- who continue to profit at every American's expense.

I urge that the CFTC adopt the Proposed Federal Speculative Position Limits before volatile fuel prices further harm the country's already weakened economy.

Sincerely,

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