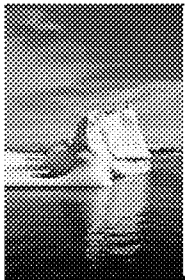


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I am bewildered and confused, as well thinking this totally asinine, that you would change the regulations requiring 10 to 1 leverage. This would in effect eliminate me from Forex Trading. This is an important source of income for me and I would like to remind you that Forex profits are taxable and provides a significant source of income for our Federal government. Please do not enact these newly overly restrictive and unfair regulations on forex trading. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully,

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