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Secretary of the Commission Commodity Futures Trading Commission Three Lafayette Centre 1155 21st Street NW Washington, DC 20581

Re: Position Limits for Precious Metals Market

Dear Gentlemen:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the issue of position limits for precious metals.

- Please establish a speculative position limit in COMEX Silver of no more than 1,500 contracts.
- Please restrict any hedging exemptions from those limits to legitimate hedgers.
- Please stop the levels of concentration in COMEX silver futures that have been experienced over the past few years on the short sale of the market.

Cordially

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