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Sent: Friday, January 22, 2010 9:57 AM secretary <secretary@CFTC.gov>

Subject: proposed changes

I have become aware that you are considering the following changes:

: "leverage in retail forex customer accounts would be subject to a 10-to-1 limitation,"

I believe that this is an unwarranted change and would only hurt the retail customer. I can see no possible benefit from this change. Furthermore I believe that it is a restraint of free trade. I therefore strongly urge you not to adapt this change.

Sincerely,

Ken Waddell