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To Whom It May Concern,

I am currently a SPOT FOREX trader & trade for a living & one reason I am attracted & able to be so successful is the exceptional leverage. You can have a small account & turn small sums of money into reasonable profits. There is a reason they have stop losses & other safety's available & in place for the individual trader. This is a free country & I strongly belive along with others that the individual should be given the freedom to choose the appropriate amount of leverage for your individual trading style and risk tolerance. This will hurt me as a trader. I am strongly against this move along with other fellow trading friends & associates. That is too drastic of a cut I urge opposition & leave the system well enough alone. It is working fine for me & I shouldn't be punished for whatever reasons you feel change is needed. I don't feel that is fair!

Sincerely,

Brian A. Mankowski