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Subject: Regulation

Dear CFTC,

I am totally against lowering leverage for Forex trading. Traders do not need the government or any agency to protect us. Traders as a group are extremely intelligent individuals and can determine their own risk levels. Most traders spend thousands of hours reading , studying and learning from other successful traders about money management and risk. In fact , alot of the most successful traders in the world "blew out " their trading accounts early on in their trading carreers and in most cases this learning experience is what made them successful , by learning from their mistakes. If I blow out my account , I am the only one responsible. I do not want or need the government or CFTC to protect me and tell me how to trade or how much I can trade. Instead , why dont you offer traders educational risk management , money management courses if you feel the need to control their risk .I vote overwhelmingly NO to lowering leverage to 10:1 . I personally would never trade at 50:1 or 100:1 leverage , but I reserve the right to do so as its my money at risk.

Sincerely,

John Wade

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