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As a small business owner actively involved in the business of FOREX trading, I am opposed to the reduction of leverage to 10:1 for retail FOREX transactions. I don't see any benefit to this at all, only downside. No one is forced to leverage their accounts to 100:1, most platforms allow for a reduction of leverage if the client doesn't want the 100:1 leverage. In addition, it is the responsibility for all traders to trade safely and within their financial means. Reducing the leverage won't help traders that are irresponsible and will take away a key asset to responsible traders.

Thanks for your consideration,

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