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Changing the leverage to 10:1 would drive me and hundreds of other forex traders offshore. All of my profitable strategies demand at least 100:1 leverage, and I am positive this is the case for many, many others.

Furthermore, the NFA determined that 100:1 was fair and there is no need to change.

This change would be a crippling blow to all forex retail traders in the U.S.

Please do not pass this legislation.

Regards, Scott Welsh

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