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To: CFTC,

I am strongly against the proposed reduction of Forex leverage. As a participant in the market with a live trading account, I support regulation that protects online traders from hackers and insolvency such as requiring mandatory trading account insurance along the lines of FDIC and SIPC. However, restricting leverage to protect traders from themselves is counterproductive. Please reconsider enacting this proposed damaging regulation.

Thank You, AB