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I am writing to voice my concern against the proposed rules call for restricting leverage to 10-to-1. As an individual part time trader of currencies through a mini-forex account I believe this is a outrageous reduction in leverage. Every trading platform I have investigated as well as the companies offering said products clearly state the risks involved with trading currencies. I really hope for myself and other traders that such restrictions will not be implemented. Thank you for taking the time to read over my thoughts on the situation.

-Rick Speer