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From: Jonathan Clapp [advancer@verizon.net]
Sent: Thursday, July 13, 2006 2:05 PM
To: secretary
Subject: COT Report

Dear Ms. Donovan,

As an investor, the COT report is of paramount importance as my most useful tool when making investment decisions.

The COT report, as a public service is worthy of commendation, and stands out above so many shortcomings in our governments policy.

Please do not discontinue to publish this popular and essential report. I use it often to teach other individuals about investing, and they have come to rely on it as a means toward making independent, intelligent investment decisions.

Because the current reporting of the COT data is so useful, I respectfully ask that you please do not alter the COT report in a way which would disrupt the historical continuity of the existing data with new data coming in the future.

This COT report provides the public some insight into the actions taken by the behemoth investment companies which due to their size have a great advantage over individual investors. I appeal to your sense of fairness when I ask that you continue providing this already limited disclosure to the public.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Jonathan Clapp

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