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I trade commodities, and have been for over 20 years. The commodity "Commitments of Traders" report helps me in making market my trading decisions.

Therefore this email is answering your comments about the COT report.

I know many many traders that use that report...they all want it to continue.

Here is what one trader had to say about changing the report..."While the report may need modification, the number and size of exemptions granted by the Commission would seem to demand more transparency, not less. The Enron fiasco demonstrated the need for increased transparency, not less. In general, any changes should not result in discontinuing, suspending or delaying, the Commitments' report."

The CFTC should take precautions to implement report changes in such a way as to maintain continuity with historical data, without historical reference, the report becomes nearly less than usefull.

"Commitments of Traders" report information cut-off is on a Tuesday, but is released on Friday.

Rather than delaying the report...it would be much more useful if the data were released on the same day as the cut-off...really why hold the report for several days.

Please continure to publish the reports. They are a great tool for us investors and traders,

Thanks...

Jack Filkey

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