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We understand that the CFTC is considering a move to cease providing this information to the public. As a regulatory body, we believe that you have a responsibility to ensure a smooth flow of market information that is used by the investing public to make trading decisions. With the arrival of computers and modern information systems you have a responsibility to increase the flow of market information and to make it mare efficient and timely. Reducing access to information that has been widely used by the public, such as the COT reports, raises concerns that the CFTC is moving in the wrong direction and may have a hidden agenda that is not in the best interests of the public.

Please do not shut down this vital source of data to the public.

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