Dear Secretary Countryman

I want to express my support transaction reporting on each transaction so this hiding phenomenon does not occur during aggregations. This steals money away from well-intentioned investors.

I fully support the 15-minute reporting – it keeps everyone honest in a blatantly dishonest system.

You would be a fool if you did not see the impact financial predators have had on our society. It has been brazen and without consequences. We have had ENOUGH as investors into this system when most large companies in the financial sector exist to take money from the bottom and funnel it to the top.

So dark pools, cellar boxing and short selling. Why the hell are these even legal practices. It undermines the integrity of the entire stock market. These are illegal in many countries, why not the USA???

Retail is the backbone of the economy, families, small businesses, etc. This action will finally give a crumb of hope back to use since the money and power controlled by corporation is deafening 24/7. The system is about to break unless you act to support retail investors. It's as if those with money and power, took what they wanted, shut the door behind them and then continued to steal as much as they could get away with. It is disgusting.

What did this expanding community of watchdogs uncover? Well, that the entire system of finance is corrupt and that you as the agency charged with our protection in this predatory world, had damn well better do that job.

Why are we nearing another global financial meltdown? It's because in 2008 and many cycles before, the fines and jailtime for those who broke the rules were...nothing. If anything, a cost of doing business. This "financial terrorism" without real consequences is a threat to our national security. Investor protection comes first, it is time for change, not convenient rule modifications, lost comments of deaf ears.

Sincerely,

A Concerned Investor