

Title: With Archegos back in the news, will attention shift to the CFTC for their role in halting swap reporting requirements?

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The DOJ recently announced the indictment of Billy Hwang and multiple sources are reporting on his use of CFDs and total return swaps with the multiple banks (broker dealers) he inflicted losses upon. However it comes to mind that the CFTC eliminated the need to report derivative positions for institutions regulated by the CFTC ([<https://www.cftc.gov/PressRoom/PressReleases/8474-21>])(<https://www.cftc.gov/PressRoom/PressReleases/8474-21>)). I realize that Archegos, as a family office, was likely not governed by the same regulations that institutions that are governed by the CFTC are, however, it appears that toxic derivatives and manipulative trading practices are prevalent in the market.

When will we see credible reporting on the fact that a government body, the CFTC, has enabled this type of behavior by voluntarily removing the requirement to report on derivative positions??