Title: FYI - All recent articles referencing DFV and a fine paid by MassMutual are, at best, misleading - and at worst, total hit pieces meant to scare you out of your long positions.
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This is a literal copy and paste from my post over at SS. This may already be known - and the reason I didnt initially post on the Jungle is because I assumed most over here know this. However, as it is picking up a little steam over at SS, I felt its better to just post it for those who may need to see:

Forgive me if this has been discussed and understood by all already. I did not see this explanation on the posts I read this morning.

This was a SETTLEMENT between the parties. Likely a Stipulation of Discontinuance in which the State waived any right to prosecute for the questioned transactions in exchange for a payment. Included is a statement that MassMutual is NOT admitting any wrongdoing.

In other words - this was a reasoned decision by MassMutual to pay a settlement because the costs of years of litigation would likely be much more expense when all resources and man-hours are considered.

The ONLY reason that it's being called a fine is (well, fud for one) but also because that's just the form in which the State recognizes the funds. It's really just a settlement...

MassMutual did not admit wrongdoing - DFV has NOT BEEN DETERMINED TO HAVE DONE ANYTHING WRONG. This is meant to scare those who feel they are walking in his footprints on GME. F...U....D.

There is a technique used by opinion and fud writers where they hide the material facts of the story in certain parts of the article least likely to be read by the reader... Look this up and compare to the articles we have seen. The true facts have been buried on purpose.

Forgive any typos - I wrote this fast before work. I felt this should be made a post and I hope this helps people understand the situation better.

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