

Title: Help! IBKR Threatening Liquidation?

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So, I requested my GME shares to be transferred into IBKR with the intention to DRS to Computershare, then I received this message:

"Your account is at risk of having positions liquidated due to a projected violation of one or more of our credit or risk policies as outlined below. To avoid liquidation, we recommend that you review your account and make the necessary adjustments to your positions and/or equity to remain compliant.

Credit/Risk EventDescriptionExcess Liquidity

ALERT: Your account, while currently margin compliant, maintains qualifying equity (i.e., Equity with Loan Value) at a level only 10% above that which is required. Please note that we do not issue margin calls and should this cushion erode and your account no longer remain margin compliant, it will be subject to forced position liquidations. To ensure continued compliance, please consider depositing additional funds to increase equity and/or closing or hedging positions to lessen margin exposure. Further note that funds in transit or subject to a credit hold are not considered when liquidating positions.

Note: Cash accounts are subject to liquidation if assessed a fee in excess of the cash balance on hand and may therefore receive this notice if their cash balance is < 5% of the market value of securities held."

So, is IBKR basically telling me I am too poor and I should put more money into my account to avoid them closing my position? If that's the case, I might have to sell because I'm broke. Maybe this can serve as a warning to people trying to DRS from IBKR, especially now with this shady price action going on.