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As an individual that occasionally invests in various instruments, and as one that has been burned at times by investing unwisely, I hereby strongly object to the Canadian Securities Administrators proposal for individual investors to provide personal detailed financial information simply because I choose to invest in exempt, or non- exempt market securities.

My desire to invest or not invest is personal, I do not need or require anyone deciding that I may or may not invest. I do not want anyone knowing or having access to my personal financial information. This is personal, and frankly nobodies business but my own. If people require this in order that they not make stupid investments then perhaps they should either not be investing, or take some courses and/or deal with good investors.

I have only been burned when I invest on my own, and I do not cry to others but I take my lumps. In this instance I did not ask others for advice before I invested, and it would be rather dumb to complain to the authorities after.

Thank you
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