



Announcement

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TTB Names New Contacts for Wine Regulatory Program as Program Manager Marjorie Ruhf Retires

After many years of expert service as the Wine Program Manager in the Regulations and Rulings Division (RRD) of the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB), Marjorie Ruhf has retired. Effective June 5, 2011, Ms. Ruhf's RRD wine program co-workers, Wine Specialists Jennifer Berry and Kara Fontaine, have assumed her responsibilities.

Ms. Berry has a total of 22 years of experience at TTB and its predecessor agency, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms, and she has been a Wine Specialist for the past 11 years. Ms. Fontaine has been at TTB for 6 years, the past 5 of which she has worked in the wine program in RRD.

Ms. Berry and Ms. Fontaine will handle questions and requests concerning wine regulatory issues such as:

- Winery operations under 27 CFR part 24;
- Alternate method applications under part 24;
- New treatment applications under part 24;
- Petitions for new grape designations under 27 CFR part 4; and
- Industry circulars, procedures, and rulings.

You may contact them by:

Email at WineRegs@ttb.gov

Postal mail at: TTB, 1310 G Street, NW., Suite 200-E, Washington, DC 20220,
Attn: Regulations and Rulings Division

Telephone: (202)453-1039, ext. 275 (Ms. Berry) or ext. 103 (Ms. Fontaine)

You should continue to direct any AVA-related inquiries to Elisabeth Kann. You can reach Ms. Kann by email at AVAREgs@ttb.gov, or by postal mail at: TTB, 1310 G Street, NW., Suite 200-E, Washington, DC 20220, Attn: Elisabeth Kann, Regulations and Rulings Division; and by telephone at (202)453-1039, ext. 002.