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RE: TTB NOTICE NUMBER FOUR

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Chief
Regulations and Procedures Division
Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau
P.O. Box 50221
Washington, D.C. 20091-0221

Dear Alcohol Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau:

People who own or work in stores where flavored malt beverages are sold would be victimized by the changes outlined in TTB Notice No.4. I am one of those retailers that would be significantly harmed if this regulation becomes a reality. My profits would shrink and I would definitely lose customers.

The typical small retail establishment like mine that sells flavored malt beverages is run by hard-working people who obey the law, pay their taxes and earn a modest living. The new rules would be a direct assault on these people. Why is the federal government hell-bent on making life more difficult for us? We've had enough!

Our economy needs stimulation and momentum. It doesn't need the added regulatory burden these rule changes would create. Your help is urgently needed to see that this proposed rule does not become national policy.

Sincerely,

Marilyn Julie

