

00411410

From: Randy Oxley [roxley@coorsftw.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2003 6:42 AM
To: nprm@ttb.gov
Subject: 'TTB Notice No. 4'

name=Randy C. Oxley
name=Coors Distributing Ft. Worth
Address1=2550 Mc Millian Parkway
Address2=
City=Ft. Worth
State=Tx
Zip Code=76137

Comments=I support the proposed rule issue in March 2003 by the Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) that our alcohol content requirements in order for flavor malt beverage (FMB) to be classified as by Adoption of the TTB 0.5 by volume standard would ensure the integrity of beer and the brew process.

Moreover, equating beer and beverages that derive a majority of their alcohol content from distilled spirits could weaken the important distinctions between beer and products with higher alcohol.

Beer is not spirits, Beer is not fortified wine. It is important that beer consumers know what they are drinking.