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RE: TTB NOTICE NUMBER FOUR

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Washington, D.C. 20091-0221

To Whom It May Concern:

The TTB needs to leave the flavored malt beverage industry alone! They are taxed enough for their product and shouldn't be overburdened with more new regulations. Our government agencies should realize the repercussions of these regulations, which will impact consumers, retailers and the flavored malt beverage industry.

Law-abiding, hard-working people run the typical small retail establishment that sells flavored malt beverages. Why is the TTB intent on causing these retailers additional anguish at a difficult time in our country. Please oppose these proposed regulations. Your participation in finding a better solution would also be deeply appreciated.

Sincerely Yours,

Ross Bahani