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

Dear Sir/Madam:

RE: TTB Notice Number Four

The last thing small businesses need is more impediments to help recreate a strong U.S. economy. Trying to run a business is hard enough without worrying about new and needless regulations wiping out our consumer base. The proposed new rule to regulate flavored malt beverages will only prove detrimental to small businesses and its employees.

The future of our industry depends on a suitable compromise that can simply be made if both sides are willing to work together. It is hard to understand why these 30-year-old regulations need to be changed in the first place. I have not heard of any problems in the past, so why fix something that isn't broken?

Please urge support for a compromise that will be beneficial to everyone. Small businesses and its employees are counting on you to help save their stores and their jobs.

Sincerely,

Buck Seto

West Town Market