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Mr. William Foster
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ATTN: Notice No. 4
Dear Mr. Foster:

As a member of the Senate of Virginia representing the City of Martinsville and Henry County, home to employees of Miller Brewing Company's Eden Brewery, I want to express my support for the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau's proposed "0.5% by-volume standard pm flavored malt beverages (FMB)".

The proposed standard just makes good sense and reinforces Virginia's three-tier system which is based in part on clear distinctions between categories of alcohol beverages. I concur with the Virginia ABC Department's letter endorsing the proposed standard and encourage you to adopt the proposed regulation.

Sincerely,

Wm. Roscoe Reynolds
WRR/lsb