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

RE: TTB Notice No.4

Dear Alcohol Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau:

For the sake of consumers and the businesses that support them with the flavored malt beverages they prefer, the regulations proposed in TTB Notice No. 4 should not become national policy. The policy would only serve to eliminate the product category all together and that will hurt my business.

When I researched the changes, I realized these rules changes are an expensive irony. They are proposing to solve an excise tax revenue problem that does not exist. If passed, they will create a real excise tax revenue problem when they halt the sales of flavored malt beverages. That's the kind of logic that is getting us all into trouble.

Please support the people who buy and sell flavored malt beverages and prevent what would be a disastrous change in policy for this industry. It is not needed and not well-thought out.

Sincerely Yours,

Pamela Moya

