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

To Whom It May Concern:

RE: TTB Notice Number Four

I've been in business for six years. In that time, I've struggled with new tax after new tax. Doesn't anyone realize the recovery of the U.S. economy is already weighted down with too many taxes and costly regulations? We should be getting rid of these impediments to economic recovery, The last thing we need is more of them. That's why I'm writing to oppose the latest assault on my business -- TTB Notice No. 4, which would affect the flavored malt beverage industry.

As I understand it, the TTBs proposed regulations would change a successful policy tha has overseen all aspects of the flavored malt beverage industry for three decades. Adding burdensome new regulations when there is clearly no need for them is unwise and dangerous. It has to stop somewhere or you are going to put businesses like mine out of business!

Please oppose this rules change. Your participation in finding a compromise solution would also be deeply appreciated. Thanks.

Sincerely,

Wanda Dixon

