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Cash-And Carry
Lake Providence, LA 71254-4260

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

RE: TTB Notice No.4

To Whom It May Concern:

The TTB is now trying to enforce harmful regulations on flavored malt drinks. These changes will destroy my business as well as thousands of others across the nation. I have customers who count on my store to provide competitive prices. These rules however, will increase prices and upset customers. The customers will not want to purchase flavored malt drinks that cost an arm and a leg.

The TTB is pushing unnecessary regulations that will upset the economy even further. Closing down businesses that pay the majority of taxes will be detrimental to the economy. The welfare of the people is in jeopardy.

I urge you to vote against the proposed changes. You should stand firm in your commitment to the people. We voted for you to keep our economy safe and to make decisions that are in the best interest of the people. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Annice Chouccoli