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RE: TB NOTICE NUMBER FOUR

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

Dear Alcohol Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau:

As a small business owner, I wanted to let you know that the new planned regulations for flavored malt beverages will hurt my business extensively. By doing away with this product line completely or pricing it too highly, I will lose excessive business.

Most small retail stores that offer flavored malt beverages are staffed with hard-working people who obey the law and pay their taxes. Why is it that politicians only seem interested in taxation and not putting people back to work?

It is not a question of whether this tax increase would be a step backwards for regulatory policy in the U.S., because we know it is. Please stand up for the hard workers of this country and vote no on this rules change in reference to flavored malt beverages.

Sincerely.

Beaugrand Raymond

