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

Dear Sir/Madam:

RE: TTB Notice Number Four

Our business has paid taxes, provided jobs, and has obeyed federal regulations since we open. So why now are we being punished with new rules that would strip us of revenue from flavored malt beverages. I can see now logical need for the government to change the rules that have governed the flavored malt beverage industry for over thirty years. Changing these rules now would do nothing but hurt everyone involved. I cannot tell you enough how imperative it is for you to oppose these regulations. Please do so and show that you a pro-consumer and pro-business.

Sincerely,

Debbie Hood

Dale's Quick Stop