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I am curious to know why the government is pursuing a reformulation of flavored malt beverages. I gather from the given information that the final alcohol content will remain basically the same as these beverages currently have, only the source of the alcohol will change. I find no rational for this change given in the notice and fail to understand (1) why the government wants to implement any change at all in beverage formulation and (2) why my tax dollars are being spent pursuing said change.

Thank you,

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