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Subject: TTB Regulates Malt Beverages

Go for it TTB, do whatever you have to in order to make malt beverages safe and better for the people. I understand the wine industry is adding more sugar to their wines in order to get the alcohol level up higher. Go after them too. I don't drink so I don't care. Myself and many in my family do smoke cigarettes and government has certainly stepped in and regulated, taxed and brainwashed people into believing their interference is for the best of everyone. So keep up the good work and make the malt industry bow down to you - it's their turn. To hell what the consumers want.

While you're at it, get the legislators to tax malt beverages to the hilt so that those consumers can have the honor of supporting Big Government just as smokers do.

Keep up the good work, you're doing a great job.

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