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RE: TTB NOTICE NUMBER FOUR

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Chief
Regulations and Procedures Division
Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau
P.O. Box 50221
Washington. D.C. 20091-0221

Dear Alcohol Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau:

I have many loyal patrons who visit my store to purchase flavored malt beverages. I am concerned that the proposed regulations for these beverages will destroy this part of my business. This would have a drastic negative impact on my overall sales.

The current policies have been in play for 30 years. They have effectively overseen the way flavored malt beverages are produced, marketed and distributed. Until it becomes apparent that current standards are not effective, they should not be changed.

I'm asking you to urge the government to put its efforts into other areas that perhaps are not as successful. This rules change would penalize small businesses, their customers and their employees. Please oppose further regulations on flavored malt beverages.

Sincerely,

Connie Phan

Convenience Store