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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

Necessity is largely why I am writing to you. It is necessary for the U.S. economy to recover. However, its recovery is already plagued with too many taxes and costly regulations. Its recovery would be greatly assisted by getting rid of these impediments. Its recovery would only be stalled, perhaps even impossible, with unnecessary regulations such as the recently proposed changes to the regulations of flavored malt beverages. I find such unnecessary regulations ridiculous.

Further, compromise is a necessary component of disagreement. Therefore, it is necessary to work together to find a compromise solution to the problems created by these proposed changes. I'm sure a solution can readily be found which can satisfy TTB without destroying the flavored malt beverage industry.

Not only would the changes being considered harm or dissolve the flavored malt beverage industry, it would harm mine. The impacts of this will be felt by other small businesses as well, businesses which can't withstand undue regulations.

Hence, I strongly urge you to oppose this rules change which would penalize small businesses, their customers and their employees - it's very necessary that you help. Thank you in advance!  
Sincerely yours,

