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Chief
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Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau
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RE: TTB Notice Number Four

To Whom It May Concern:

The proposed regulations on flavored malt beverages that the TTB is considering would be the wrong way to go. The recovery of the U.S. economy is already suffering from too many taxes and costly regulations. We should be finding ways to reduce these roadblocks to economic recovery. We don't need more of them.

TTB wants to safeguard excise tax revenue, and the flavored malt beverage retailers want to prevent our market from being destroyed. Can't we reach a compromise that would serve us both?

I am asking you to oppose these rule changes and participate in finding a compromise solution. I would be deeply appreciative.

Sincerely,

Dan Green