Motor-fuel, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Regulatory Division

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To: All Licensed Maryland Manufacturers, Wholesalers, Non-Resident Dealers,

Non-resident Wineries and Retailers

Subject: Alcoholic Beverage Trade Practice Regulations

As a result of the Alcoholic Beverage Trade Practices Forum on July 15, 2008, and subsequent comment period from August 20 – September 10, 2008, MATT Regulatory Division has issued administrative interpretations and proposed regulatory actions for the Alcoholic Beverage Trade Practices - COMAR 03.02.05, effective October 1, 2008.

Also, please be advised that the proposed regulations should be promulgated in October 2008, and will appear in the Maryland Register issued by the Division of State Documents, Office of the Secretary of State. You will have the opportunity to submit comments during the statutory 30-day period before the regulations become final.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation in this matter.

Thad Russell Director

Attachment