



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau

ORDER

TTB O 1135.4B

**Subject: Delegation Order - Delegation of the
Administrator's Authorities in 27 CFR
Part 4, Labeling and Advertising of Wine**

**Date: 2/23/2023
Sunset Review: 2/23/2028**

To: All Bureau Employees and All Interested Parties.

1. Purpose.

This Order delegates certain authorities of the Administrator, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) in the administration of the regulations contained in part 4 of title 27 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), to subordinate TTB officers and prescribes the subordinate TTB officers with whom persons file documents.

2. Cancellation.

This Order supersedes the delegations related to 27 CFR part 4 contained in TTB Order 1135.4A - Delegation Order – Delegation of the Administrator's Authorities in 27 CFR Part 4, Labeling and Advertising of Wine, dated June 15, 2017

3. Authority.

Section 105(e) of the Federal Alcohol Administration Act (FAA Act), 27 U.S.C. 205(e), authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to prescribe regulations for the labeling of wine, distilled spirits, and malt beverages. The FAA Act provides that these regulations should, among other things, prohibit consumer deception and the use of misleading statements on labels, and ensure that labels provide the consumer with adequate information as to the identity, quality, and alcohol content of the product.

TTB administers the FAA Act pursuant to section 1111(d) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002, codified at 6 U.S.C. 531(d). The Secretary has delegated various authorities through Treasury Order 120-1, dated December 10, 2013 (superseding

Treasury Department Order 120-1, dated January 24, 2003), to the TTB Administrator to perform the functions and duties in the administration and enforcement of this law.

Part 4 of the TTB regulations (27 CFR part 4) sets forth the requirements under the FAA Act for the labeling and advertising of wine. This delegation order identifies the “appropriate TTB officer” for purposes of the pertinent regulations in 27 CFR part 4. We also explain in 27 CFR 4.4 that we have issued this Order to identify the specific “appropriate TTB officer” for each affected provision of the regulations.

4. Delegations.

Under the authority cited in paragraph 3, and pursuant to 26 CFR 301.7701-9, this TTB order delegates certain authorities prescribed in 27 CFR part 4 to subordinate TTB officers, and prescribes the subordinate officers with whom required applications, notices, and reports, as applicable, are filed.

The following table identifies the “appropriate TTB officer” to whom authority has been delegated by regulation to perform certain functions or receive certain documents under 27 CFR part 4. TTB’s organizational chart (located at http://www.ttb.gov/pdf/bureau_orgchart.pdf) provides contact information for the offices named in this delegation order.

Table of Authorities
27 CFR Part 4
Labeling and Advertising of Wine

Regulatory Section	Officer(s) Authorized to Act or Receive Documents
4.3(a)	Director, Regulations and Rulings Division.
4.21(b)(3)(iii)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.23(c)(2)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.27(c)(3)	Specialist, Investigator, or Auditor.
4.32a	Director, Regulations and Rulings Division.
4.32b	Director, Regulations and Rulings Division.
4.30(b)(1)	Group Supervisor, National Revenue Center; District Director, Trade Investigations Division; District Director, Puerto Rico Operations; District Director, Tax Audit Division; or Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.33(b)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.37(c)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.38(h)	Specialist, Investigator, or Auditor.
4.39(a)(4) and (a)(5)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(d)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(g)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(h)(2)(iii)(B)(2)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(i)(2)(iii)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(i)(3)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.39(j)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.40(a)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division to receive COLA applications; Specialist, Investigator, or Auditor, to inspect and copy COLA and supporting records.
4.40(c)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.45(b)(ii)	Director, Office of Communications.
4.45(c)	Specialist, Investigator, or Auditor.
4.50(a) and (b)	Specialist, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.52	Clerk, Advertising, Labeling, and Formulation Division.
4.53	Director, Office of Communications.

Regulatory Section	Officer(s) Authorized to Act or Receive Documents
4.64(a)(4) and (a)(5)	Specialist or Investigator.
4.64(i)(2)(iii)(B)(2)	Specialist or Investigator.
4.70(b)(4)	Specialist, Investigator, or Auditor.

5. Redelegation. These authorities may not be redelegated.

/ S / Mary G. Ryan
Administrator