

**State of California  
Office of Administrative Law**

In re:  
Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF REGULATORY  
ACTION

Regulatory Action:

Government Code Section 11349.3

Title 4, California Code of Regulations

OAL File No. 2010-0713-04 S

Adopt sections:  
Amend sections: 130  
Repeal sections:

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This regulatory action updates beer container labeling requirements in order to make them consistent with new standards imposed by California statutes and federal regulations. The amendments remove outdated alcohol content requirements, define certain key terms, and specify when and how labels must be placed on containers. The amendments also prohibit beer from being sold or imported in this state unless a copy of the label has been filed with ABC, and provide that the Department may refuse to accept non-compliant labels.

OAL approves this regulatory action pursuant to section 11349.3 of the Government Code. This regulatory action becomes effective on 9/19/2010.

Date: 8/20/2010



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