

Streamlined Sales Tax Governing Board, Inc.
Compliance Review and Interpretations Committee

INTERPRETATION/DEFINITION REQUEST

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1. **Name(s) of Requestor(s): Woodman's Food Markets, Inc.**
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3. **Agreement Section(s) involved: Appendix C, Part II Soft Drink Definition**
4. **Statement of Background Facts (be succinct): None**
5. **Issue: Will fruit flavored cocktail mixes be considered to be soft drinks? Example Item: Jose Cuervo Margarita Mix. Contains 0% Juice. Contains no alcohol. The intended use for the product is to combine it with liquor to produce an alcoholic cocktail. The State of Illinois currently considers this and similar items to be soft drinks because they can be directly consumed as a non-alcoholic fruit flavored ready to drink beverage.**
6. **Proposed Interpretation: Not a soft drink.**
7. **Is expedited consideration requested? _X_No _Yes** If yes, please explain why expedited review is requested _____

A request for interpretation/definition normally requires a minimum 60-day comment period. The comment period may be shortened to 10 days if the Committee grants a request for expedited consideration. See Governing Board Rule 902(D) and (H).

8. **Date this Request is submitted: Friday April 10, 2009**

The Compliance Review and Interpretations Committee meets by teleconference at 10:00 am central every other Thursday. Their schedule can be found at: www.streamlinedsalestax.org under the meeting calendar.

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