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## Dodge, Tamara

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**From:** Vasby, Tara  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 02, 2010 10:46 AM  
**To:** Dodge, Tamara  
**Subject:** RE: Re: Amendment 3 to AB664 on menu labeling

Your suggestion works for me. I was using the California bill that they left with us. Thanks!

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**From:** Dodge, Tamara  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 02, 2010 10:45 AM  
**To:** Vasby, Tara  
**Subject:** RE: Re: Amendment 3 to AB664 on menu labeling

I am a little concerned about the phrase "the labeling of which is not regulated by the federal Food and Drug Administration." For example, while wines do not typically have a nutritional label, organic wines may have to meet certain FDA requirements in order to label themselves as organic. Other labeling requirements may be delegated from the federal organization that generally governs alcohol labeling to the FDA or vice versa. The bottom line is that it isn't clear whether the FDA may have any role in the labeling of some alcohol beverages.

To avoid any complications or confusion, I suggest that the bill just exempt "alcohol beverages as defined in s. 125.02 (1)" The definition of alcohol beverages is "fermented malt beverages and intoxicating liquor."

Otherwise, I agree with the location.  
Tami

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**From:** Vasby, Tara  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 02, 2010 10:09 AM  
**To:** Dodge, Tamara  
**Subject:** Re: Amendment 3 to AB664 on menu labeling

Tami,

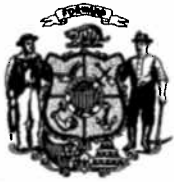
As I mentioned in a previous email, the distilled spirits folks would like to exempt alcoholic drinks from the menu labeling bill.

So, I think under the definition of menu item - page 2, line 6, we'll have to add language that says "menu item does not include: (C - an alcoholic beverage, the labeling of which is not regulated by the federal Food and Drug Administration"

That is the language in the California Menu Labeling bill.

If you have questions - or suggestions on a better place to put the exemption - please let me know!

Thanks much -  
Tara Vasby  
Leg. Assistant  
Rep. Chuck Benedict



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In 3/2/10 <sup>Due</sup> Fri 3/5/10

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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT,  
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 664

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 1. Page 2, line 9: after that line insert:

3 ✓“(c) Alcohol beverages, as defined in s. 125.02 (1).” ✓

4 (END)