



**TEXAS ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGE COMMISSION**

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**CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL OF LABELS FOR
WINE**

Date: July 08, 2019

Label Certificate Number: 1059768

Pursuant to the application of : RIDGE VINEYARDS/ LYTTON SPRINGS WINERY
Holder of permit/license number : S143929

Brand : RIDGE 2017 ESSENCE ZINFANDEL PASO ROBLES, CA
Fanciful Name : ESSENCE
Vineyard : N/A
Class : ZINFANDEL
Vintage : 2017
Appellation : PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA
Size(s) : 50ML-58L
Stated Alc. Content : 14.7% ALC/VOL
Tested Alc. Content : N/A
TTB Number : 18228001000357

are hereby approved with the same conditions and restrictions as the Federal Certificate of Label Approval (COLA) issued by the Department of Treasury (TTB). If label changes require a new Federal COLA(s) to be obtained, new Texas label approval will also be required.

This certificate shall not operate to relieve any person from liability for any violation of the Federal Alcohol Administration Act, the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code, or any Rules and Regulations thereunder, resulting from the failure of any container bearing the labels herein approved, or the contents of such container, to conform to the statements and representations made on such labels.

APPROVAL OF THIS LABEL DOES NOT SIGNIFY COMPLIANCE WITH TABC'S CODES AND RULES.

Label Approval Section

Tax Division

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RIDGE 2017 ZINFANDEL ESSENCE

100% ZINFANDEL BENITO DUSI RANCH
PASO ROBLES 14.7% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME
PRODUCED & BOTTLED BY RIDGE VINEYARDS
18100 MONTE BELLO ROAD, CUPERTINO, CALIFORNIA 95014

14 ½ Barrels Produced

2017 Zinfandel Essence, bottled Nov 2018

The stressed vines in the canyon were picked at extreme ripeness. The grapes fermented quickly and the still sweet, well-defined, free run was drawn off. The press wine, added back, increased sugar content enough to naturally stop fermentation. Grapes only reach this level of ripeness once every five years on average. This rare wine will be enjoyable over the next fifteen years. EB (8/18)

Initial sugar at harvest: 38.1% by weight
Residual sugar in wine: 12.0% by weight

408.867.3233

375mL

www.ridgewine.com

GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS. RIDGE is a registered trademark of Ridge Vineyards



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