Authority: 19 U.S.C. 66, 1484, 1557, 1559, 1624.

Section 144.3 also issued under 19 U.S.C. 1563;

Sections 144.33, 144.37 also issued under 19 U.S.C. 1562.

2. All other statutory authority cited at the end of the index and various sections in Part 144 is removed.

3. Section 144.5 is revised to read as follows:

§ 144.5 Period of warehousing.

Merchandise shall not remain in a bonded warehouse beyond 5 years from the date of importation.

§144.32 [Amended]

4. Section 144.32(c) is amended by removing the word "proprietors".

§ 144.36 [Amended]

5. Section 144.36(a) is amended by removing the comma and the phrase, "including any lawful extension thereof." after the word, "period", and inserting a period.

PART 145—MAIL IMPORTATIONS

1. The authority citation for Part 145 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 19 U.S.C. 66, 1202 (Gen. Hdnote 11), 1624.

Section 145.4 also issued under 18 U.S.C. 545; 19 U.S.C. 1618.

§ 145.4 [Amended]

2. Section 145.4(c) is amended by removing "$250" and inserting, in its place, "$1000".

PART 148—PERSONAL DECLARATIONS AND EXEMPTIONS

1. The authority citation for Part 148 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 19 U.S.C. 66, 1498, 1624. The provisions of this part, except for Subpart C, are also issued under 19 U.S.C. 1202 (Gen. Hdnote 11). Section 148.51 also issued under 19 U.S.C. 1321.

§ 148.12, 148.17, 148.31-148.38, 148.51, 148.101, 148.104, 148.111, and 148.113 [Amended]

2. Sections 148.12, 148.17, 148.31 through 148.38, 148.51, 148.101, 148.104, 148.111 and 148.113 are amended by removing "$300" or "$600", wherever they appear and inserting, in their place, "$400" or "$800", respectively.

§ 148.23 [Amended]

3. Section 148.23(c) is amended in the following manner:

a. In the heading to paragraph (c)(1), "$250" is removed, and, "$1,000 (with exceptions)" is inserted, in its place.

b. In paragraph (c)(1), "$250" is removed, and "$1,000 (except for articles valued in excess of $250 classified in Schedule 3, Parts 1, 4A, 7B, 12A, 12D, and 13B of Schedule 7; items 772.30 and 772.35; and Parts 2 and 3 of the Appendix of the Tariff Schedules of United States Annotated)", is inserted, in its place.

c. In the heading to paragraph (c)(2), "$250 but not over $500" is removed, and, "$1,000 (with exceptions)" is inserted, in its place.

d. In paragraph (c)(2), "$250 but not over $500" is removed, and, "$1,000 (except for articles valued in excess of $250 classified in Schedule 3, Parts 1, 4A, 7B, 12A, 12D and 13B of Schedule 7; items 772.30 and 772.35; and Parts 2 and 3 of the Appendix of the Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated)" is inserted, in its place.

PART 162—RECORDKEEPING, INSPECTION, SEARCH AND SEIZURE

1. The authority citation for Part 162 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 301; 19 U.S.C. 66, 1624. Subpart G also issued under 19 U.S.C. 1466, 1584, 1592, 1613, 1618.

§ 162.75 [Amended]

2. Section 162.75 is amended by redesignating paragraphs (d)(3)(1) and (d)(3)(2), as (d)(3)(i) and (d)(3)(ii), respectively.

PART 172—LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

1. The authority citation for Part 172 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 19 U.S.C. 66, 1623, 1624.

§ 172.33 [Amended]

2. Section 172.33(c)(1) is amended by removing "penalties and withheld duties", and inserting, in its place, "liquidated damages".

PART 191—DRAWBACK

1. The authority citation for Part 191 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 301; 19 U.S.C. 66, 1202 (Gen. Hdnote 11), 1313, 1624.

§ 191.2 [Amended]

2. Section 191.2(h) is amended by removing the last sentence, and inserting, in its place, "Depending on the type of drawback applied for, entries are filed on Customs Form 331, 7512, or 7539".

3. Section 191.2(p) is amended by removing the last sentence, and inserting, in its place, "A Manufacturing Drawback Entry and/or Certificate, Customs Form 331, when properly completed, may serve as an abstract of manufacturer's record".

4. Sections 191.62(a) (1) and (2) are revised to read as follows:

§ 191.62 Filing procedure.

(a) *Manufacturing drawback entry and/or certificate*—(1) *Customs Form 331.* The drawback claimant shall file with the appropriate district director the manufacturing drawback entry and/or certificate in duplicate on Customs Form 331, if claiming under 19 U.S.C. 1313 (a) or (b). The district director may require an additional copy for administrative use.

(2) *Customs Form 331—Additional uses.* The drawback claimant shall file with the appropriate district director the original drawback entry on Customs Form 331 in the two instances listed below. The district director may require an additional copy for administrative use.

(i) *Certificates of manufacture filed prior to entry.* When the drawback claimant files a certificate of manufacture prior to the filing of the entry, he shall file the entry on Customs Form 331 and refer to the certificate of manufacture in the entry by the official number instead of describing the particulars of importation and manufacture.

(ii) *Purchase of manufactured articles for exportation.* A purchaser of a completely manufactured article who exports it and claims drawback shall file an entry on Customs Form 331.

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5. Section 191.65 is revised to read as follows:

§ 191.65 Certification of delivery.

(a) *When required.* If the merchandise used in the manufacture of the exported articles was not imported by the manufacturer of the articles, no drawback shall be allowed until the drawback claimant files with the regional commissioner where the claim is to be liquidated a manufacturing drawback entry and/or certificate in duplicate on Customs Form 331, or official evidence of the existence of the form filed at another place. The form must describe the merchandise delivered, tracing it from the custody of the importer to the custody of the manufacturer.

(b) *Intermediate transfer.* If the merchandise was not delivered directly from the importer to the manufacturer, each intermediate transfer shall be described on the manufacturing drawback entry and/or certificate (Customs Form 331), certified by the person through whose possession the merchandise passed.

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