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(b) Suspension of tax. During the period from July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2008, the rate of the tax described in paragraph (a) of this section is zero. Accordingly, payment of the tax is not a prerequisite for claiming drawback on spirits used during that period. However, the drawback claimant still must register by filing the special tax return on Form 5630.5 during the suspension period even though the amount of tax due is zero.

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§17.22 Rate of special tax.

Effective January 1, 1988, the rate of special tax is \$500 per tax year for all persons claiming drawback on distilled spirits used in the manufacture or production of nonbeverage products, except that the tax rate is zero during the suspension period described in §17.21(b).

[T.D. ATF-379, 61 FR 31412, June 20, 1996, as amended by T.D. TTB-36, 70 FR 62241, Oct. 31, 2005]

§ 17.23 Special tax for each place of business.

Subject to §17.21(b), a separate special tax shall be paid for each place where distilled spirits are used in the manufacture or production of nonbeverage products, except for any such place in a tax year for which no claim is filed, or no drawback is paid, on spirits used at that place.

[T.D. ATF-379, 61 FR 31412, June 20, 1996, as amended by T.D. TTB-36, 70 FR 62241, Oct. 31, 2005]

§ 17.24 Time for payment of special tax.

(a) General. Special tax may be paid in advance of actual use of distilled spirits. Special tax shall be paid before a claimant may receive drawback. Special tax may be paid without penalty under 26 U.S.C. 5134(c) at any time prior to completion of final action on the claim.

(b) Suspension of tax. The rate of special tax is zero during the period from July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2008 (see §17.21(b)). During this period, the registration requirement continues. The

drawback claimant must register by filing a special tax return, Form 5630.5. The claimant may register without penalty under 26 U.S.C. 5134(c) at any time prior to completion of final action on the first claim submitted for each tax year.

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§ 17.31 Filing of return and payment of special tax.

Special tax shall be paid by return. The prescribed return is TTB Form 5630.5, Special Tax Registration and Return. Special tax returns, with payment of tax, shall be filed with TTB in accordance with instructions on the form, and the filing of a return is required for registration purposes even though no tax is due during the suspension period described in §17.21(b).

(26 U.S.C. 6091, 6151)

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§ 17.32 Completion of TTB Form 5630.5.

- (a) *General.* All of the information called for on Form 5630.5 shall be provided, including:
- (1) The true name of the taxpayer.
- (2) The trade name(s) (if any) of the business(es) subject to special tax.
- (3) The employer identification number (see §§ 17.41–43).
- (4) The exact location of the place of business, by name and number of building or street, or if these do not exist, by some description in addition to the post office address. In the case of one return for two or more locations, the address to be shown shall be the tax-payer's principal place of business (or principal office, in the case of a corporate taxpayer).
- (5) The class of special tax to which the taxpayer is subject or to which the return relates during the suspension period described in §17.21(b).
- (6) Ownership and control information: The name, position, and residence address of every owner of the business and of every person having power to control its management and policies