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- (f) For monofilaments—show cross sectional dimension in millimeters
- (g) For strips—show the width of the strip in millimeters (measure in folded or twisted condition if so imported).

[T.D. 73-175, 38 FR 17447, July 2, 1973]

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§ 141.90 Notation of tariff classification and value on invoice.

- (a) [Reserved]
- (b) Classification and rate of duty. The appropriate subheading of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (19 U.S.C. 1202), and the rate of duty shall be noted by the importer in the left-hand portion of the invoice, next to the articles to which they apply.
- (c) Value. The importer shall show in clear detail on the invoice or on an attached statement the computation of all deductions from total invoice value, such as nondutiable charges, and all additions to invoice value which have been made to arrive at the aggregate entered value. In addition, the entered unit value for each article on the invoice shall be shown where it is different from the invoiced unit value.
- (d) Importer's notations in blue or black ink. All notations made on the invoice by the importer or broker shall be in blue or black ink.

[T.D. 73-175, 38 FR 17447, July 2, 1973, as amended by T.D. 89-1, 53 FR 51262, Dec. 21, 1988; T.D. 99-64, 64 FR 43266, Aug. 10, 1999]

§ 141.91 Entry without required invoice.

If a required invoice is not available in proper form at the time the entry or entry summary documentation is filed and a waiver is not granted in accordance with §141.92, the entry or entry summary documentation shall be accepted only under the following conditions:

- (a) The port director is satisfied that the failure to produce the required invoice is due to a cause beyond the control of the importer;
 - (b) The importer files:
- (1) A written declaration that he is unable to produce such invoice, and

- (2) Any seller's or shipper's invoices available to him or, if none are available, a pro forma invoice in accordance with \$141.85:
- (c) The invoices and other documents contain information adequate for the examination of merchandise, the determination of estimated duties, if any, and statistical purposes; and
- (d) The importer files a bond on Customs Form 301, containing the bond conditions set forth in §113.62 of this chapter, in an amount equal to one and one-half the invoice value of the merchandise, for the production of the required invoice, which must be produced within 120 days after the date of the filing of the entry summary (or the entry, if there is no entry summary) documentation, unless the invoice is needed for statistical purposes. If needed for statistical purposes, the invoice shall be produced within 50 days after the date of the entry summary (or the entry, if there is no entry summary) is required to be filed, unless a reasonable extension of time is granted by the port director for good cause shown.
- [T.D. 73–175, 38 FR 17447, July 2, 1973, as amended by T.D. 79–221, 44 FR 46821, Aug. 9, 1979; T.D. 84–213, 49 FR 41184, Oct. 19, 1984; T.D. 85–167, 50 FR 40363, Oct. 3, 1985; T.D. 93–66, 58 FR 44130, Aug. 19, 1993]

§ 141.92 Waiver of invoice requirements.

- (a) When waiver may be granted. The port director may waive production of a required invoice when he is satisfied that either:
- (1) The importer cannot by reason of conditions beyond his control furnish a complete and accurate invoice; or
- (2) The examination of merchandise, final determination of duties, and collection of statistics can be effected properly without the production of the required invoice.
- (b) Documents to be filed by importer. As a condition to the granting of a waiver, the importer shall file the following documents with the entry:
- (1) Any invoice or invoices received from the seller or shipper;
- (2) A statement pointing out in exact detail any inaccuracies, omissions, or other defects in such invoice or invoices;

- (3) An executed pro forma invoice in accordance with § 141.85; and
- (4) Any other information required by the port director for either appraisement or classification of the merchandise, or for statistical purposes.
- (c) Satisfaction of bond liability. The liability under the bond on Customs Form 301, containing the bond conditions set forth in §113.62 of this chapter for the production of a correct invoice shall be deemed satisfied when a waiver has been granted pursuant to this section.

[T.D. 73–175, 38 FR 17447, July 2, 1973, as amended by T.D. 78–53, 43 FR 6070, Feb. 13, 1978; T.D. 79–221, 44 FR 46821, Aug. 9, 1979; T.D. 84–213, 49 FR 41184, Oct. 19, 1984; 49 FR 44867, Nov. 9, 1984; T.D. 93–66, 58 FR 44130, Aug. 19, 1993]

Subpart G—Deposit of Estimated Duties

§ 141.101 Time of deposit.

Estimated duties shall either be deposited with the Customs officer designated to receive the duties at the time of the filing of the entry documentation or the entry summary documentation when it serves as both the entry and entry summary, or be transmitted to Customs according to the statement processing method as described in §24.25 of this chapter, except in the following cases:

- (a) Merchandise released under entry documentation. In the case of merchandise released under the entry documentation listed in §142.3 of this chapter before filing of the entry summary, deposit of estimated duties shall be made at the time the entry summary is filed unless the merchandise is entered for warehouse. If the merchandise is entered for warehouse, estimated duties shall be deposited in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section.
- (b) Warehouse entry. In the case of merchandise entered for warehouse, deposit of estimated duties shall be made at the time the withdrawal for consumption is presented.
- (c) Informal mail entry. In the case of merchandise entered under an informal mail entry, duties shall be paid to the postal employee at the time he delivers the merchandise to the addressee (see part 145 of this chapter).

- (d) Appraisement entries. In the case of merchandise entered under an appraisement entry, deposit of estimated duties shall be made immediately after notification by the appropriate Customs officer of the amount of duties due.
- (e) Entry for transportation or under bond. No deposit of estimated duties is applicable in the case of merchandise entered for transportation or temporarily imported under bond, entered for permanent exhibition under bond, entered for a trade fair under bond or entered under bond for similar reasons.

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§ 141.102 When deposit of estimated duties, estimated taxes, or both not required.

Entry or withdrawal for consumption in the following situations may be made without depositing the estimated Customs duties, or estimated taxes, or both, as specifically noted:

- (a) Cigars and cigarettes. A qualified dealer or manufacturer may enter or withdraw for consumption cigars, cigarettes, and cigarette papers and tubes without payment of internal revenue tax in accordance with §11.2(a) of this chapter.
- (b) Bulk distilled spirits transferred to the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant. An importer may transfer distilled spirits in bulk to the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant, without the payment of tax, under the provisions of section 5232(a), Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 5232(a)), and the regulations of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (27 CFR part 251).
- (c) Deferral of payment of taxes on alcoholic beverages. An importer may pay on a semimonthly basis the estimated internal revenue taxes on all the alcoholic beverages entered or withdrawn for consumption during that period, under the procedures set forth in §24.4 of this chapter.
- (d) Government entries. If a shipment is entered or withdrawn for consumption by a U.S. Government department