

Information on Sponsorships, Advertisements, Promotions, etc., under the FAA Act (TTB REC 5190/1).

*Abstract:* These records and occasional letter reports are used to show compliance with the trade practices provisions of the Federal Alcohol Administration Act at 27 U.S.C. 205(b), which prevent alcohol beverage wholesalers, producers, or importers from giving things of value to retail liquor dealers, and which prohibit industry members from conducting certain types of sponsorships, advertisements, promotions, etc., unless the practice is specifically exempted by regulation.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profits.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 21.

*OMB Control Number:* 1513–0078.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Application for Permit to Manufacture or Import Tobacco Products or Processed Tobacco or to Operate an Export Warehouse and Applications to Amend.

*Form:* TTB F 5200.3, TTB F 5200.16, TTB F 5230.4, TTB F 5230.5.

*Abstract:* The IRC, at 26 U.S.C. 5712 and 5713, requires that manufacturers and importers of tobacco products or processed tobacco and export warehouse proprietors apply for and obtain a permit before engaging in such operations. Tobacco industry members use the applications that make up this information collection to obtain the new, or amend the existing, TTB permits necessary to engage in these businesses.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profits.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 2,277.

*OMB Control Number:* 1513–0080.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Distilled Spirits Plant Equipment and Structures (TTB REC 5110/12).

*Abstract:* In general, the IRC at 26 U.S.C. 5001 imposes a Federal excise tax of \$13.50 per proof gallon on all

distilled spirits, other than those used for certain authorized industrial or nonbeverage purposes, produced or imported into the United States. To safeguard the revenue from this tax and facilitate inspections, the IRC at 26 U.S.C. 5178 authorizes the Secretary to issue regulations relating to the location, construction, and arrangement of distilled spirits plants (DSPs), including requirements for the identification of their distilling apparatus, pipes, pumps, tanks, and machinery. The IRC at 26 U.S.C. 5180 requires each DSP proprietor to post an exterior sign at their place of business, in such form and containing such information as the Secretary by regulation prescribes, identifying the proprietor, and the business or businesses in which the proprietor is engaged. In addition, 26 U.S.C. 5206 requires that containers of distilled spirits be “marked, branded, or identified” in such manner as the Secretary prescribes.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profits.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 1.

*OMB Control Number:* 1513–0084.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Title:* Labeling of Sulfites in Alcohol Beverages.

*Abstract:* In accordance with TTB’s consumer protection responsibilities, as mandated by law, we require label disclosure statements on all alcoholic beverage products released from U.S. bottling premises or customs custody that contain 10 parts per million or more of sulfites. Sulfites have been shown to cause allergic reactions in certain persons, and this label disclosure warns such persons of the presence of sulfites in alcohol beverages so that they may avoid this allergen.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profits.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 12,798.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### United States Mint

#### Extension of Suspension of Coin Exchange by United States Mint

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Under the authority of 31 U.S.C. 5120, the United States Mint established a program by which people and businesses could exchange bent and partial coins for reimbursement. Fused or mixed coins cannot be redeemed by the United States Mint.

On November 2, 2015, the United States Mint suspended the exchange program for a period of six months to assess the security of the program and develop additional safeguards, as necessary, to ensure the integrity of United States coinage. Since that time, the United States Mint has made significant progress in assessing the current state of the program, evaluating risks, and identifying potential remedial measures. Additionally, the United States Mint has engaged the services of an independent contractor to assist us in these efforts. However, due to recent litigation involving the exchange program and more time needed to complete our work, the United States Mint is extending the suspension of its redemption of bent and partial coins for an additional period of six months.

**DATES:** Effective May 2, 2016.

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**Authority:** 31 U.S.C. 5120.

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