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been executed under the penalties of perjury.

(26 U.S.C. 6061, 6065, 6151, 7011)

[T.D. ATF-271, 53 FR 17541, May 17, 1988, as amended by T.D. TTB-36, 70 FR 62243, Oct. 31, 2005]

§ 19.52 Employer identification number.

(a) *Requirement.* The employer identification number (defined in 26 CFR 301.7701-12) of the taxpayer who has been assigned such a number shall be shown on each special tax return, including amended returns, filed under this subpart. Failure of the taxpayer to include the employer identification number may result in the imposition of the penalty specified in § 70.113 of this chapter.

(b) *Application for employer identification number.* Each taxpayer who files a special tax return, who has not already been assigned an employer identification number, shall file IRS Form SS-4 to apply for one. The taxpayer shall apply for and be assigned only one employer identification number, regardless of the number of places of business for which the taxpayer is required to file a special tax return. The employer identification number shall be applied for no later than 7 days after the filing of the taxpayer's first special tax return. IRS Form SS-4 may be obtained from the director of an IRS service center or from any IRS district director.

(c) *Preparation and filing of IRS Form SS-4.* The taxpayer shall prepare and file IRS Form SS-4, together with any supplementary statement, in accordance with the instructions on the form or issued in respect to it.

(26 U.S.C. 6109)

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SPECIAL TAX STAMPS

§ 19.53 Issuance, distribution, and examination of special tax stamps.

(a) *Issuance of special tax stamps—(1) General.* Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (a)(2) of this section, upon filing a properly executed return on Form 5630.5, together with the applicable full remittance, the taxpayer will

be issued an appropriately designated special tax stamp. If the return covers multiple locations, the taxpayer will be issued one appropriately designated stamp for each location listed on the attachment required by § 19.51(c), but showing, as to name and address, only the name of the taxpayer and the address of the taxpayer's principal place of business (or principal office in the case of a corporate taxpayer).

(2) *Exception for suspension period.* During the suspension period described in § 19.49(a)(3) when registration is required but no tax is due, a special tax stamp will not be issued.

(b) *Distribution of special tax stamps for multiple locations.* On receipt of the special tax stamps, the taxpayer shall verify that there is one stamp for each location listed on the attachment to TTB Form 5630.5. The taxpayer shall designate one stamp for each location and shall type on each stamp the address of the business conducted at the location for which that stamp is designated. The taxpayer shall then forward each stamp to the place of business designated on the stamp.

(c) *Examination of special tax stamps.* All stamps denoting payment of special tax shall be kept available for inspection by appropriate TTB officers, at the location for which designated, during business hours.

(26 U.S.C. 5146, 6806)

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§ 19.54 Changes in special tax stamps.

(a) *Change in name.* If there is a change in the corporate or firm name, or in the trade name, as shown on Form 5630.5, the proprietor shall file an amended special tax return as soon as practicable after the change, covering the new corporate or firm name, or trade name. No new special tax is required to be paid. The proprietor shall attach the special tax stamp for endorsement of the change in name except if the change occurs during the suspension period described in § 19.49(a)(3).

(b) *Change in proprietorship—(1) General.* If there is a change in the proprietorship of a distilled spirits plant, the successor shall file a new special tax