applicable thereto. Any prior obligation as to taxes, liens, and bonds with respect to such distilled spirits shall be extinguished on redistillation. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as affecting any provision of law relating to the labeling of distilled spirits or as limiting the authority of the Secretary to regulate the marking, branding, or identification of distilled spirits redistilled under this section.

(Added Pub. L. 85–859, title II, § 201, Sept. 2, 1958, 72 Stat. 1365; amended Pub. L. 89–44, title VIII, § 805(d), (f)(8), (10), June 21, 1965, 79 Stat. 161, 162; Pub. L. 94–455, title XIX, § 1906(b)(13)(A), Oct. 4, 1976, 90 Stat. 1834; Pub. L. 96–39, title VIII, § 807(a)(31), July 26, 1979, 93 Stat. 286.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those comprising subsecs. (a) and (d) of this section were contained in prior sections of act Aug. 16, 1954, prior to the general revision of this chapter by Pub. L. 85–859, as follows:

Present subsecs.:	Prior sections
(a)(d)	5194(f), 5217(a), 5305, 5308. 5194(f).

The prior sections, act Aug. 16, 1954, ch. 736, are set out in 68A Stat. 635, 641, 657.

AMENDMENTS

1979—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 96–39, §807(a)(31)(A), inserted "or on the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant" after "subchapter D.".

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 96–39, \$807(a)(31)(B), struck out provisions relating to the treatment of the processing of distilled spirits, subsequent to production gauge, in the manufacture of vodka in the production facilities of a distilled spirits plant as a redistillation of the spirits for purposes of this subsection, subsection (a), and sections 5025(d) and 5215.

1976—Subsecs. (a) to (c), (e). Pub. L. 94-455 struck out "or his delegate" after "Secretary" wherever appearing

1965—Pub. L. 89–44, \$805(f)(8), substituted "spirits, articles, and residues" for "spirits" in section catchline. Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 89–44, \$805(d), added subsec. (c). Former subsec. (c) redesignated (d).

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 89-44, §805(d), (f)(10), redesignated subsec. (c) as (d), inserted ", articles, and residues" after "distilled spirits" in heading, and inserted ", or by the redistillation of the articles or residues described in subsection (c)," after "denatured distilled spirits" in text. Former subsec. (d) redesignated (e).

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 89-11, §805(d), redesignated former subsec. (d) as (e).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1979 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 96–39 effective Jan. 1, 1980, see section 810 of Pub. L. 96–39, set out as a note under section 5001 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1965 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 89–44 effective Oct. 1, 1965, see section 805(g)(2) of Pub. L. 89–44, set out as a note under section 5004 of this title.

SUBPART C—STORAGE

Sec.
5231. Entry for deposit.
5232. Imported distilled spirits.
[5233, 5234. Repealed.]
5235. Bottling of alcohol for industrial purposes.
5236. Discontinuance of storage facilities and transfer of distilled spirits.

AMENDMENTS

1979—Pub. L. 96-39, title VIII, §807(b)(6), July 26, 1979, 93 Stat. 290, substituted "Entry for deposit" for "Entry

for deposit in storage" in item 5231 and struck out items 5233 "Bottling of distilled spirits in bond" and 5234 "Mingling and blending of distilled spirits".

§ 5231. Entry for deposit

All distilled spirits entered for deposit on the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant under section 5211 shall, under such regulations as the Secretary shall prescribe, be deposited in the facilities on the bonded premises designated in the entry for deposit.

(Added Pub. L. 85–859, title II, §201, Sept. 2, 1958, 72 Stat. 1366; amended Pub. L. 94–455, title XIX, §1906(b)(13)(A), Oct. 4, 1976, 90 Stat. 1834; Pub. L. 96–39, title VIII, §807(a)(32), July 26, 1979, 93 Stat. 286.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 5231, act Aug. 16, 1954, ch. 736, 68A Stat. 643, related to authority to establish internal revenue bonded warehouses, prior to the general revision of this chapter by Pub. L. 85-859. See sections 5171(a), 5172, 5173(a), and 5178(a)(1)(A)(B), (3)(A)(B) of this title.

Provisions similar to those comprising this section were contained in prior section 5242(a), (b)(5), act Aug. 16, 1954, ch. 736, 68A Stat. 645, prior to the general revision of this chapter by Pub. L. 85–859.

AMENDMENTS

1979—Pub. L. 96–39 struck out in section catchline "in storage" after "for deposit" and subsec. (a) catchline and in text substituted "on the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant" for "in storage" and "in the facilities" for "in storage facilities" and repealed subsec. (b) which related to a cross reference to section 5006(a)(2) for provisions requiring that all distilled spirits entered for deposit be withdrawn within 20 years from date of original entry for deposit.

1976—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 94–455 struck out "or his

1976—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 94-455 struck out "or his delegate" after "Secretary".

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1979 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 96–39 effective Jan. 1, 1980, see section 810 of Pub. L. 96–39, set out as a note under section 5001 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective July 1, 1959, see section 210(a)(1) of Pub. L. 85-859, set out as a note under section 5001 of this title.

§ 5232. Imported distilled spirits

(a) Transfer to distilled spirits plant without payment of tax

Distilled spirits imported or brought into the United States in bulk containers may, under such regulations as the Secretary shall prescribe, be withdrawn from customs custody and transferred in such bulk containers or by pipeline to the bonded premises of a distilled spirits plant without payment of the internal revenue tax imposed on such distilled spirits. The person operating the bonded premises of the distilled spirits plant to which such spirits are transferred shall become liable for the tax on distilled spirits withdrawn from customs custody under this section upon release of the spirits from customs custody, and the importer, or the person bringing such distilled spirits into the United States, shall thereupon be relieved of his liability for such tax.

(b) Withdrawals, etc.

Distilled spirits transferred pursuant to subsection (a)—