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revenue collections.--All taxes collected under the internal revenue laws of the United States on articles produced in Puerto Rico and transported to the United States (less the estimated amount necessary for payment of refunds and drawbacks), or consumed in the island, shall be covered into the treasury of Puerto Rico.

## § 7653. Shipments from the United States.

- (a) Tax imposed.--
  - (1) Puerto Rico.--All articles of merchandise of United States manufacture coming into Puerto Rico shall be entered at the port of entry upon payment of a tax equal in rate and amount to the internal revenue tax imposed in Puerto Rico upon the like articles of Puerto Rican manufacture.

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- (b) Exemption from tax imposed in the United States. -- Articles, goods, wares, or merchandise going into Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam, and American Samoa from the United States shall be exempted from the payment of any tax imposed by the internal revenue laws of the United States.
- Drawback of tax paid in the United
  States.--All provisions of law for
  the allowance of drawback of
  internal revenue tax on articles
  exported from the United States
  are, so far as applicable, extended
  to like articles upon which an
  internal revenue tax has been paid
  when shipped from the United States
  to Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands,
  Guam, or American Samoa.