ENTRY OF EXHIBITS FOR EXPOSITION PURPOSES

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Mr. Walsh, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. 3843]

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill (S. 3843) to provide for the entry under bond of exhibits of arts, sciences, and industries, and products of the soil, mine, and sea, and all other exhibits for exposition purposes, having considered the same, report it to the Senate without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass.

The proposed legislation conforms in general with Public, No. 296 (S. 4747), Seventy-second Congress, an act to provide for the entry under bond of exhibits of arts, sciences, and industries, and products of the soil, mine, and sea, approved July 19, 1932.

There is attached hereto and made a part of this report a communication addressed to the chairman of the committee by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, in which it is stated that if enacted into law the bill would present no administrative difficulties to the Treasury Department.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 18, 1936.

Hon. Pat Harrison,
Chairman, Committee on Finance, United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Chairman: I refer to your letter of January 31, 1936, in which you request a report by the Treasury Department on the merits of S. 3843, a bill "To provide for the entry under bond of exhibits of arts, sciences, and industries, and products of the soil, mine, and sea, and all other exhibits for exposition purposes", when imported by the Port of New York Authority.

S. 3843 conforms in general to the act of Congress approved July 19, 1932 (19 U. S. C., 144a, 1934 ed.), which authorized the entry without the payment of duty of all articles imported for exhibition at the Rockefeller Center, New York City. This bill, if enacted into law, would present no administrative difficulties to the Treasury Department.

Very truly yours,

Stephen B. Gibbons,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.