

**EMERGENCY DESIGNATION OF SHELLFISH LANDS
IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK
AS UNCERTIFIED FOR THE HARVEST OF SHELLFISH**

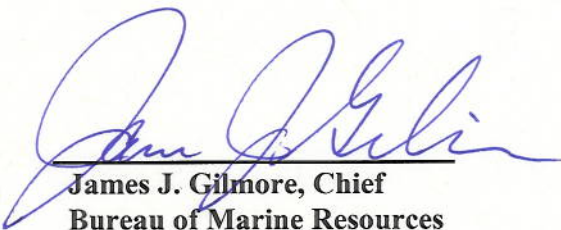
Pursuant to the provisions of Subdivisions 13-0307 (1) and (2) and Subdivision 13-0309 (1) of the Environmental Conservation Law and Sections 41.4 and 42.17 of Title 6 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York, and due to coastal flooding associated with Hurricane Sandy, which disrupted sewage treatment plants and flooded near shore septic systems resulting in conditions which may cause shellfish to be hazardous for use as food, I, James J. Gilmore, Chief, Bureau of Marine Resources, of the Department of Environmental Conservation, hereby designate the shellfish lands described below as **UNCERTIFIED** effective at sunrise on Thursday, November 22, 2012 and continuing through Thursday, November 29, 2012, both dates inclusive.

Accordingly, it is unlawful to harvest shellfish, including bay scallops, from the following areas:

- 1. Towns of Hempstead and Oyster Bay (south shore):** All that area of Hempstead Bay, East Bay and South Oyster Bay and their tributaries.
- 2. Towns of Babylon and Islip:** All that area of Great South Bay, including tributaries.
- 3. Towns of Brookhaven (south shore):** All that area of Great South Bay, including Nicoll Bay, Patchogue Bay, Bellport Bay and their tributaries.
- 4. Town of East Hampton:** All that area of Accabonac Harbor and its tributaries within the Town of East Hampton.

I hereby certify that this is the original thereof.

Dated: November 21, 2012
East Setauket, New York



James J. Gilmore, Chief
Bureau of Marine Resources