



COURTESY TRANSLATION

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We inform that in August 19th the State Authority of Baja California proceeded to closure of the growing area of shellfish known as San Felipe, in the Gulf of California, because for the high levels of Saxitoxin (PSP) detected by bioassay test, noting that this area has a precautionary closure since August 18th by the presence of a positive result by rapid screening test.

Regarding to this case, we inform that the State and Federal authorities have proceeded to implement the Contingency Plan on biotoxins.

COFEPRIS will notify the ISSC and the FDA when the situation the suspension of harvest in the growing area is lifted.

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