

**ISSC 2017
Committee Report**

Committee Name : Shellstock Re-submerging

Chairperson: Lori Howell

Date of Meeting:

Approved By: _____

Recorder:

Printed Name: Lori Howell

Committee Members Present:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lori Howell
(Chairperson) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> David Fyfe | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kim Norgren | <input type="checkbox"/> Bill Taylor |
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(FDA Delegate) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Erik Broussard | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mike Hickey | <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Rheault | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> John Jacobs
(NOAA Delegate) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kristin DeRosia-Banick | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kohl Kanwit | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robert Schuster | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Angela Ruple
(NOAA Advisor) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A.J. Erskine | <input type="checkbox"/> Darin Klein | <input type="checkbox"/> Debra Scoville | |
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Charges

Charge 1: Proposal 13-209 Re-submerging of Shellstock.

Findings/Conclusions:

Certain aquaculture practices may increase risk of *Vibrio* illness. This determination and controlling this risk should be left to state to address.

Recommendations:

Insert at Chapter II, Risk Assessment and Risk Management

@.06 *Vibrio vulnificus* Control Plan

E. Control Plan

1. The *Vibrio vulnificus* Control Plan shall include the following:

(c) When pre-harvest culture practices have the potential to elevate *Vibrio* levels in market size product intended for immediate harvest, the Authority shall establish *Vibrio* control measures and include the measures in the State *Vibrio* Control Plan. Such control measures may be implemented on a state-wide, regional, geographic, or farm or growing area-specific basis. When shellfish are re-immersed as a control measure the Authority should consider inclusion of record keeping requirements such as means of shellfish segregation/identification procedures, date re-immersed in water and date of final harvest. The Authority may require growers to have a control plan approved by the Authority.

And

@.07 *Vibrio parahaemolyticus* Control Plan

B. Independent Species Specific Control Plan

(5) When pre-harvest culture practices have the potential to elevate *Vibrio* levels in market size product intended for immediate harvest, the Authority shall establish *Vibrio* control measures and include the measures in the State *Vibrio* Control

Plan. Such control measures may be implemented on a state-wide, regional, geographic, or farm or growing area-specific basis. When shellfish are re-immersed as a control measure the Authority should consider inclusion of record keeping requirements such as means of shellfish segregation/identification procedures, date re-immersed in water and date of final harvest. The Authority may require growers to have a control plan approved by the Authority.

And further, the committee requests the Conference work with FDA and others to obtain additional funding to allow further studies to be performed for various practices, treatments and techniques taking into account regional and state differences.