

Definitions.

- **Adequate Icing** means that the amount and application of the ice is sufficient to ensure that immediate cooling begins and continues for all shellfish. If ice slurry is used and the shellfish are submerged the presence of ice in the slurry indicates adequate icing.
- **Conveyance** means any type of container used to transport shellfish. The controls of the National Shellfish Sanitation Program (NSSP) are intended to address the container in which the shellfish are being held during transport from landing to final consumer. For the purposes of meeting the NSSP time temperature requirements for conveyances, the containers in which the shellfish are being held must meet the required temperatures. Should shellfish be shipped in a small container within a cargo space the temperature requirement would apply only to the temperature within the container.
- **Landing** means the point at which shellstock is put on land or a dock.
- **Lot of Shellstock** means a single type of bulk shellstock or containers of shellstock of no more than one day's harvest from a single defined growing area gathered by one or more harvesters. A lot may also be used to segregate the harvest times and intended uses of shellstock for the purposes of complying with time to temperature requirements.
- **Processing** means any activity associated with the handling, shucking, freezing, packing, labeling or storing of shellfish in preparation for distribution. This would include the activities of a shellstock shipper, shucker packer, repacker, reshipper, or depuration processor.
- **Receipt of Shellfish** means the Critical Control Point where a shellfish dealer takes possession of shellfish at a location where it will be processed and/or will be shipped to another dealer or retail establishment. At this (location) point the dealer will monitor at receiving Critical Control Points to ensure compliance with Critical Limits. This is also the (location) point at which the dealer will monitor storage and shipping Critical Control Points.
- **Trip Records** means a form of written documentation that includes the date and time of each lot of shellfish harvested.