

## **NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY RECALL OF FROZEN OYSTERS**

**From South Korea**

**Korean Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries**

The FDA has informed the ISSC that it is communicating with South Korean Health Authorities to conduct a voluntary recall of frozen oysters from South Korea associated with a norovirus illness outbreak in the state of Washington.

According to FDA, actions being taken by the Korean Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries, the South Korean shellfish industry and importers are well underway and a full recall has been implemented. Initial distribution was in Washington and Oregon and included oysters from lots DOH2014.04.16, DOH2014.04.17, and DOH2014.04.22.

Companies that initially received oysters have been notified of the recall. FDA is continuing to seek information regarding any further distribution and will make a decision regarding press at that time. FDA will inform the ISSC of further developments.