

Resolution Subject P. Roger Holbrook Memorial Resolution

Text of Resoluion *Whereas*, P. Roger Holbrook was born in Salt Lake City, Utah on April 8, 1943 and died 64 years later on October 6, 2007 in Elizabeth, Colorado; and

Whereas, Roger obtained his undergraduate degree in Zoology with a teaching certificate from Weber State College in Utah and after teaching for a year went on to Colorado State University to pursue a degree in Environmental Science; and

Whereas, Roger began work with the Colorado Department of Health in the Consumer Protection Division in March of 1974 as an inspector in the Wholesale Food Program; and

Whereas, Roger was one of Colorado’s original shellfish inspectors beginning in the mid 1980’s and was instrumental in the development and passage of Colorado’s Shellfish Dealer Certification Act that modeled Colorado’s shellfish program on the National Shellfish Sanitation Program; and

Whereas, Roger was an active and involved member of the ISSC and served on the Executive Board and in numerous other capacities for the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference. He was instrumental in convincing the ISSC to grant full voting privileges to non-producing states; and

Whereas, Roger, always the gracious host, welcomed the participants of the ISSC to his ranch when the annual meeting was held in nearby Denver, Colorado; and

Whereas, Roger became the Assistant Director of the Consumer Protection Division in September 1993 and retired as Acting Director in January 2001; and

Whereas, Roger continued his passion for life, friends, animals and the outdoors in retirement as was recalled during his funeral service.

Be It Therefore Resolved, that the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference formally recognizes Roger Holbrook’s dedication to advancing public health standards for consumers of shellfish and his contribution to the National Shellfish Sanitation Program, and;

Be It Therefore Further Resolved that the executive board, executive committee, office staff and membership of the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference wish to extend their deepest sympathies and condolences to his wife, Diane Holbrook.

Action by 2009 Resolutions Committee Recommended adoption of Resolution 09-003 as submitted.

Action by 2009 Executive Board Recommended adoption of Resolutions Committee recommendation on Resolution 09-003.

Action by 2009 General Assembly Adopted recommendation of Executive Board on Resolution 09-003.

Action by USFDA 02/16/2010 Concurred with Conference action on Resolution 09-003.