

Resolution Subject Resolution of Appreciation

Text of Resolution *Whereas*, Ken B. Moore attended his first Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference meeting in Cherry Hill, New Jersey in August 1985; and

Whereas, Ken was elected Chairman of the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference in Stamford, Connecticut in July 1989; and

Whereas, Ken was selected by the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference Executive Board to serve as the first Executive Director in McLean, Virginia in August 1993; and

Whereas, Ken has dedicated over sixteen years as the Executive Director of the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference serving to promote shellfish safety; and

Whereas, Ken's unyielding dedication to improving public health has strengthened the National Shellfish Sanitation Program; and

Whereas, Ken's ability to bring together the Shellfish Industry, State Shellfish Control Authorities, and Federal Regulatory Agencies has guided the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference through many difficult issues; and

Whereas, Ken's stewardship has enabled the Conference to mature and grow into an internationally recognized authority on molluscan shellfish safety; and

Whereas, Ken's unique ability to unite the Conference membership has guided the organization through some difficult and controversial challenges, including

- Creation of the Model Ordinance;
- Incorporation of HACCP into the National Shellfish Sanitation Program;
- Development of the *Vibrio vulnificus* and *Vibrio parahaemolyticus* Plans;
- Education of the at-risk consumer;
- Online continuing education courses for the medical profession;
- Negotiation of unresolved issues;
- Development of Conference procedures;
- Conference action to develop NSSP Shellfish Standardization Officer training and certification programs; and
- Conference efforts to establish a standardized Control of Harvest evaluation process; and

Whereas, Ken ensured that each member of this organization was provided the opportunity to participate and express their opinion; and

Whereas, Ken's boundless energy, candor, and sense of humor has provided inspiration and relief when needed most; and

Whereas, Ken has mastered the trait of the classic American storyteller which he has used to express his view or to make a point; now

Be It Therefore Resolved that the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference extends its appreciation, gratitude, and indebtedness for his commitment to advance the goals of this organization and to strengthen the National Shellfish Sanitation Program; and

Be It Further Resolved, that the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference will always value Ken's lasting contributions and wishes him success in all of his future endeavors; and

Be It Finally Resolved, that the Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference acknowledges Ken B. Moore's legacy of excellence by a copy of this Resolution.

**Action by 2009
Resolutions
Committee**

Recommended adoption of Resolution 09-010 as submitted.

**Action by 2009
Executive Board**

Recommended adoption of Resolutions Committee recommendation on Resolution 09-010.

**Action by 2009
General Assembly**

Adopted recommendation of Executive Board on Resolution 09-010.

**Action by USFDA
02/16/2010**

Concurred with Conference action on Resolution 09-010.