

## **Notice of Recall**

On March 22, 2016, the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals directed the recall of oysters harvested January 26 through February 16, 2016 from two private leases in Louisiana Area 12 due to potential norovirus contamination. Oysters included in the recall were distributed to certified shippers in Alabama and Florida.

The recall was directed in response to a March 7, 2016 report of a series of norovirus illnesses that occurred during February 2016. Information gathered during trace forward investigation indicates that the only product remaining on the market when the recall was initiated was product in frozen form being held by one dealer in Alabama and one dealer in Louisiana. The receiving States were advised of shipments of recalled product that entered their jurisdictions and all of the recalled product has been accounted for.

Should you have any questions please contact:

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