All Holders of the Fish Products Standards and Methods Manual

SUBJECT: EXTRANEOUS MATERIAL IN SEMI-PROCESSED SHRIMP

The purpose of this bulletin is to inform all manual holders of the tolerance for extraneous material in semi-processed shrimp destined for further processing and labelled as such.

A unit will be considered defective if:

4 or more pieces of seaweed (singly or in combination) which exceed 25 mm in total length are found in a 1 kg sample unit. This tolerance is to be prorated for sample-unit sizes other than 1 kg; or

a sample unit contains 5% or more, by weight, of juvenile fish or shellfish.

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