
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1998 No. 207

**Food Safety (Fishery Products and Live Shellfish)
(Hygiene) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1998**

Part II

Production and Placing on the Market of Live Shellfish

Alterations to designated areas

- 5.—(1) The Department may in appropriate circumstances and at any time—
- (a) vary the boundary of any area designated under regulation 3(1) or 4;
 - (b) impose any limitation, restriction or condition on the use of any area designated under regulation 3(1) or 4;
 - (c) alter the class of any designated bivalve production area or any area within a designated bivalve production area;
 - (d) revoke the designation of a designated bivalve production area, if the area is no longer suitable for the gathering of live bivalve molluscs;
 - (e) vary or revoke the designation of any area designated under regulation 4.
- (2) A district council may at any time—
- (a) in appropriate circumstances, vary the designation of a relaying area made under regulation 3(2);
 - (b) if a relaying area designated in accordance with regulation 3(2) is no longer suitable for the relaying of live bivalve molluscs, revoke the designation of that relaying area,
- and shall communicate any such variation or revocation to the Department.