Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Ben Brancel, Secretary

DATE: August 29, 2012

TO: Wisconsin Legislative Council

Rule Clearinghouse

1 East Main Street, Room 401

Madison, WI 53702

FROM: David Meany, Chief Legal Counsel

SUBJECT: Shellfish Shippers and Processors, ch. ATCP 70; Hearing Draft Rule

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is referring the above rule for Rules Clearinghouse review, pursuant to s. 227.15, Stats. The DATCP Board has approved this rule for public hearing; dates for public hearings have not yet been set. The proposed hearing draft rule, business impact analysis and fiscal estimate are attached.

DATCP's internal rulemaking docket for this rule is Docket No. 11-R-5. If you have any questions regarding this rule, you may contact Tim Anderson, Division of Food Safety at (608) 224-4716 or Cheryl Daniels, Assistant Legal Counsel at (608) 224-5026.

Enclosures

cc: Legislative Reference Bureau

Department of Administration (State Budget Office)

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