

## 4 September 2013

Yvette Meunier Maine Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Land and Water Quality 17 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0017

Re:

ISF Trading - Lubec NPDES Permit Termination

MPDES Permit #ME0110281

WDL Application # W008161-5P-C-R

Ms. Meunier:

I.S.F. Trading no longer operates the processing facility in Lubec and would like to terminate the NPDES permit.

Should you have any question do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours, TEC Associates

Tim Dermody, E.I.

cc: Atchan Tamaki

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## Department of Environmental Protection

Paul R. LePage GOVERNOR Patrica W. Aho COMMISSIONER

Mr. Atchan Tamaki ISF Trading Co., Inc. Hobson's Wharf, P.O. Box 772 Portland, Maine 04104 September 13, 2013

RE: Maine Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (MEPDES) Permit #ME0110281

Maine Waste Discharge License (WDL) #W008161-5P-C-R

**Retirement of Permit** 

Dear Mr. Tamaki:

By this letter, the Department of Environmental Protection is retiring the above referenced permit/license last issued on December 1, 2008, to ISF Trading Co. Inc. The permit/license authorized the discharge of up to 8,000 gallons per day (GPD) of treated process wastewater, cooking water, and facility clean up water from a sea cucumber processing facility to the Lubec Narrows, Class SB, in Lubec, Maine.

It is our understanding the food processing facility terminated operations some time ago. Based on a September 4, 2013, letter from your consultant TECAssociates, it is our understanding you are requesting to terminate said MEPDES permit/WDL. We will be inactivating the facility on our database so that Discharge Monitoring Reports and billing statements are not sent to you in the future. By copy of this letter, we are notifying the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency of the retirement of the permit.

Please be advised that a permit may be needed from Department for any future discharge of pollutants from this facility to the surface waters or ground waters of the State of Maine, either under current ownership or new ownership. Any new permit would be based on the characteristics of the effluent being discharged and the impacts of the discharge on the quality of the receiving water.

If you have any questions regarding the matter, please feel free to call me at 287-7693.

Sincerely,

Gregg Wood

Division of Water Quality Management Bureau of Land and Water Quality

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