Import Suspension on Shellfishes Harvested in Production Area 35.06 in France Lifted

In connection with the previous food incidents concerning French shellfishes, the Centre for Food Safety (CFS) has suspended the import into Hong Kong of shellfishes harvested in production area 35.06 in France since 10.1.2020.

In view of the submission of investigation report and the implementation of surveillance programme by the French authorities, CFS has conducted an assessment and decided to lift the import suspension imposed on shellfishes harvested in the above production area with effect from 21 May 2020.

CFS will continue to monitor closely shellfishes imported from France. Appropriate actions will be taken to safeguard food safety and public health.

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