

Cold Ocean Salmon Inc.

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**Statement regarding the detection of
federally reportable diseases for a licensed aquaculture site**

In accordance with the Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Fisheries and Land Resources (FLR) policy AP 17, Cold Ocean Salmon Inc. publicly advises that the company received a positive test result for Infectious Salmon Anaemia virus (ISAv) at the Grip Cove (AQ# 867) marine cage site. The farm site is located near Hermitage, NL and contains 7 cages that are stocked with approximately 489,000 Atlantic salmon.

ISAv is a naturally occurring virus and is not a human health issue or a food safety issue. The ISAv detection was identified as a result of the FLR aquatic animal health enhanced surveillance program.

The company has taken all the responsible steps under the oversight of the Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Fisheries and Land Resources and is following government approved policies.

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