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Company: Cold Ocean Salmon Inc

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Farm Name: Olive Cove, Hermitage Bay

AQ #: AQ15-LIC-0939

Date of Incident: July 29, 2025

Species: Atlantic Salmon

Fish Affected: 38942

Total Fish: 82855

Details: July 29, 2025

Statement regarding abnormal fish mortality In accordance with the Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture (FFA) policy AP 17, Cold Ocean Salmon Inc. advises that the company has reported to the department an abnormal fish mortality incident exceeding 10% of the site population at the Olive Cove (AQ#939) marine aquaculture site near Hermitage.

This site contained 82,855 Atlantic salmon and was actively being harvested at the time the incident began on July 19. The mortalities appear to be a result of a rapid rise and fall in water temperature over a short period in time combined with a localized presence of naturally occurring sea lice in the area, together causing an increased strain on the fish. The mortalities have been removed and disposed of, and all remaining fish have been harvested.

All livestock farmers encounter and manage mortalities. The company has taken all the responsible steps per the company's Standard Operating Procedures and farm management plan under the oversight of FFA and is following government approved policies for reporting.

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