**Conference for Food Protection**

**2014 Issue Form**

**Internal Number: 065**

**Issue: 2014 III-015**

**Title:**

Lower Handwash Water Temperature Minimum

**Recommended Solution: The Conference recommends...:**

that a letter be sent to the FDA recommending the 2013 Food Code be amended as follows (language to be deleted is in strikethrough format; language to be added is underlined)

Section 5-202.12 Handwashing Sink, Installation

(A) A HANDWASHING SINK shall be equipped to provide water at a temperature of at least ~~38~~~~o~~~~C (100~~~~o~~~~F)~~ 20oc (68oF) through a mixing valve or combination faucet.

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