**Conference for Food Protection**

**2014 Issue Form**

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**Issue: 2014 III-019**

**Title:**

Clarify hand washing requirement switching from raw to ready-to-eat foods

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

that a letter be sent to FDA requesting the 2013 Food Code be amended as follows (new language is in underline format):

2-301.14 When to Wash

(G) When switching between working with raw FOOD and working with READY-TO-EAT FOOD if bare hand contact with raw food is not prevented through the use of dedicated utensils or single use disposable gloves which can be easily removed without contaminating hands; P

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