

Conference for Food Protection – Committee Periodic Status Report

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COMMITTEE NAME: Ice Machine Cleaning and Sanitizing Committee

COUNCIL or EXECUTIVE BOARD ASSIGNMENT: Council I (established by 2014-I-029)

DATE OF REPORT: July 8, 2015

SUBMITTED BY: Peter Voss and Tim Tewksbary, Committee Co-Chairs

COMMITTEE MEMBER ROSTER: -

☒ Committee membership has changed-see attached new roster; Steve Mandernach has resigned as committee co-chair and Tim Tewksbary volunteered to serve as the new co-chair and has been approved by Council 1. Larry Edwards was identified as our FDA committee member.

COMMITTEE CHARGE(s):

1. 1. survey regulatory agencies to determine:
 - a. Existing regulatory authority or guidance criteria for ice maker cleaning and sanitizing procedures and frequency;
 - b. Determine extent of critical and non-critical inspection violations;
2. Review ice maker manufacturers/owner's manuals to establish their recommended cleaning and sanitizing processing and frequencies and its rationale; and
3. Report back to the 2016 biennial meeting with recommendations.

COMMITTEE'S REQUESTED ACTION FOR EXECUTIVE BOARD (If Applicable):

None at this time

PROGRESS REPORT / COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES WITH ACTIVITY DATES:

1. **Progress on Overall Committee Activities** – We have increased the frequency of our conference calls to twice a month and dropped the separate subcommittee calls as we focus on the Regulatory aspects of our charter. We have regular attendance by a core group of at least 8-10 committee members
2. **Progress addressing each Assigned Committee Charge** – The Equipment subcommittee has completed the survey of ice maker OEMs with very limited responses. This was somewhat expected as a review of available online literature with cleaning and sanitizing recommendations indicates a wide range of suggested practices and frequencies. We have had a slow start on the Regulatory aspects of our charter as we transition from Steve to Tim. A survey was sent to state agencies on July 6th with a requested response date of July 15. To date we have received 38 responses to the Regulatory survey. **CHARGE #1 IN PROGRESS, CHARGE #2 COMPLETE.**