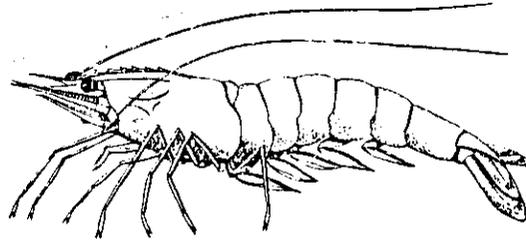


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TED ENFORCEMENT

Although Louisiana fishermen will not have to use TEDs in offshore waters until March 1, 1988, enforcement has begun in some Florida waters where the TED law is now in effect. Since October 1, Special Agents of the National Marine Fisheries Service have conducted dockside boardings in Port Canaveral and New Smyrna Beach, Florida.

Beginning in November, TED regulations will be enforced on the water by at-sea boardings by Special Agents in cooperation with the U.S. Coast Guard and the Florida Marine Patrol.

NEW STATE HANG FUND REQUIREMENT

Effective October 15, 1987, all claims made by fishermen for hull and propeller damage must include a photograph of the damage. This includes outboard motors. Since these are usually sizable claims, the photograph is worth the effort. Also, as of the middle of September, the Hang Fund Program has caught up with its backlog of claims. If you have an outstanding claim from before this period, contact the claim office in Baton Rouge at 342-0122.

SOFT TED APPROVED

The "Morrison Soft TED" was certified as an approved TED on October 1, 1987 by the National Marine Fisheries Service. This increases the number of approved TEDs to five, including the NMFS TED, the Cameron TED, the Georgia Jumper, and the Matagorda TED.

This new TED must be installed in the proper manner, must be built of poly-propylene mesh no more than 8-inch stretched and must be a different color than the rest of the trawl.

TAX EXEMPTION FOR CRAWFISH HARVESTERS

The 1987 session of the state legislature passed Act 364 which exempts crawfish farmers and harvesters from paying state sales taxes on fuel, bait, materials, supplies and equipment (except vessels) that they purchase to run their business. There is no exemption for local taxes. Crawfish farmers may order their exemption certificates from:

Louisiana Department of Revenue and Taxation
Sales Tax Section
P.O. Box 201
Baton Rouge, LA 70821
(504) 925-7356

NEW YORK SEAFOOD SUPPLIERS DIRECTORY

The New York Department of State has recently published the "New York State Fish and Seafood Suppliers Directory." This 72 page publication includes the names

and addresses of the state's seafood dealers and the products they handle.

For Louisiana seafood dealers that want to market in New York, these listings can be very valuable. New York is the largest and most diverse market for fisheries products in the United States. Examples of the state's diversity are shown below with the number of dealers handling the product.

<u>Species</u>	<u>Number of Dealers</u>
Freshwater Carp.....	46
Wild Catfish.....	30
Bluefish.....	131
Mullet.....	60
Red Snapper.....	139
Swordfish.....	153
Blue Crabs.....	80
Crawfish.....	65
Turtles.....	22

A copy of this publication can be obtained by writing or calling:

Nancy A. Kunz
 State of New York
 Department of State
 Division of Coastal Resources
 162 Washington Avenue
 Albany, NY 12231
 (518) 474-3643

THE GUMBO POT

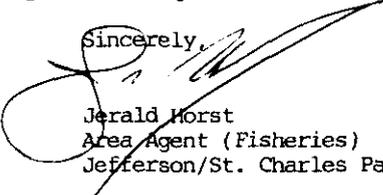
Shrimp Pasta

This month's recipe comes from Wayne Schexnayder who is a chef at the French Market Restaurant in New Orleans. He says the recipe is equally good for oysters. I used one pound of fresh fettucine. This delicious dish is classic New Orleans-style Creole cooking.

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| 1 lb. medium shrimp tails | 2 Tbsp. granulated garlic |
| 1 cup stems and pieces mushrooms | 1 tsp. black pepper |
| 8 oz. olive oil | 4 tsp. Italian seasoning with rosemary |
| 8 oz. butter | 1 Tbsp. worchestershire sauce |
| juice from one lemon with peeling | 4 oz. white wine (optional) |

Combine all ingredients except shrimp and mushrooms in a sauce pan. Cook on medium-high, shaking or stirring pan constantly for about 4 to 6 minutes or until all the liquid evaporates, leaving only the olive oil. Add mushrooms and shrimp and cook until shrimp turn pink (or the edges of the oysters curl). Serve over fresh cooked pasta. Serves 4.

Sincerely,



Jerald Horst
 Area Agent (Fisheries)
 Jefferson/St. Charles Parishes

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