Fisheries Management (Fish Processors) Regulations 2017

For the purpose of regulation 17 relating to the keeping records – I make the following determination –

Regulation 17(1) (record processor information)

- (1) A fish processor must keep a separate written record for each of the premises, places, boats or vehicles used by the fish processor for, or in connection with, the processing, storage or transport of, or dealing with, aquatic resources.
- (2) A written record must contain the following information in relation to each consignment or batch of aquatic resources received for storage, processing or transport, or for dealing with, at or by the premises, place, boat or vehicle:
 - (a) the name and address of the person from whom the aquatic resources were purchased or obtained;
 - (b) if the person from whom the aquatic resources were purchased or obtained is the holder of a fishery licence or permit—the person's licence or permit number;
 - (c) the date on which the aquatic resources were purchased or obtained;
 - (d) the species of aquatic resource and, for each species, the quantity of and price (if any) paid for the aquatic resource;
 - (e) if any of the aquatic resources are undersize fish—the species of fish and, for each species, the quantity of the fish.

Regulation 17(2) (record receipt information)

- (1) The following information must be entered—
 - (a) immediately after the aquatic resources were purchased or obtained in a book or register the pages of which are numbered consecutively; and
 - (b) in the order in which the transactions to which the information relates occurred; and
 - (c) so that each entry is made immediately below the previous entry and each page of the book or register is filled before an entry is made on the next page.

Regulation 17(4) (keep record)

- (1) A fish processor must
 - (a) make a copy of each return that he or she completes under this determination
 - (b) retain the copy for a period of 12 months after the aquatic resources to which they relate were purchased or obtained by the fish processor; and
 - (c) at or in the premises, place, boat or vehicle to which they relate, that place.

Dated 3 January 2018

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