

Notice to Fish Harvesters

OPENING DATE OF THE 2015 LOBSTER FISHERY FOR LOBSTER FISHING AREA 25

August 7, 2015

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Moncton - Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO), Gulf Region has announced that the opening date for the lobster fishery in Lobster Fishing Area (LFA) 25 will be 6:00 a.m., August 11, 2015, weather permitting. The last day of fishing will be October 10, 2015.

DFO, Gulf Region, wishes to remind fish harvesters in Lobster Fishing Area 25 to take extra care when navigating within the Southern Gulf of St. Lawrence particularly on Tuesday, August 11, the opening day of the lobster fishery as vessels are loaded with gear and traps. Harvesters are encouraged to act diligently in setting their traps. Harvesters should ensure that vessels are loaded safely by reducing the quantity of gear or delay setting their traps should they feel their safety is at risk.

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