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**Alaska DEC Issues a Correction to Press Release No. 13-17
Tri-Union's Expanded Recall of Chicken of the Sea 5-Ounce Cans Chunk
Light Tuna in Oil**

(JUNEAU, AK) —This is a correction of a DEC press release No. 13-17 that incorrectly stated that Tri-Union Seafoods LLC was expanding its recall to include 5-ounce cans of Chicken of the Sea chunk white albacore tuna in oil. Instead, the release should have stated that the company is expanding its recall to include 5-ounce cans of Chicken of the Sea chunk light tuna in oil.

On March 6, 2013, Tri-Union Seafoods LLC recalled Chicken of the Sea 5-ounce cans of chunk white albacore tuna packed in water. On March 8, 2013, the company expanded the recall to include 5-ounce cans of chunk light tuna packed in oil. Both products are being recalled because the seam on the lids of the cans may not meet seam standards. Loose seals or seams can result in product spoilage or pathogen contamination that may lead to illness if consumed.

The recalled product was sold at retail nationwide in single cans. The UPC code is found on the label of the product. The Best By date and the product lot codes of both affected products are printed on the bottom of the can.

| Product | Lot Code | Best By Date | UPC Code |
|---|------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Chicken of the Sea 5-oz cans of chunk white albacore tuna in water | 3018CA2CKP | 01/18/17 | 0 48000 03355 0 |
| | 3018CA3CKP | | |
| | 3018CA4CKP | | |
| | 3018CAACKP | | |
| | 3018CABCKP | | |
| | 3018CACCKP | | |
| | 3018CAECKP | | |
| | 3018CB3CKP | | |
| 3018CADCKP | | | |

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| Chicken of the Sea 5-oz cans of chunk light tuna in oil | 3015CB1CLH 3015CB2CLH 3015CB3CLH 3015CB4CLH 3015CBACLH 3015CBBCLH 3015CBCCLH 3015CBDCLH 3015CBECLH | 01/15/17 | 0 48000 00195 5 |
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The Chicken of the Sea chunk white albacore in water was sold between February 4, 2013 and February 27, 2013, and the Chicken of the Sea chunk light tuna in oil was sold between January 23, 2013 and March 6, 2013. Alaska DEC has confirmed these products were available in Alaska. To date, no illnesses have been reported in Alaska or elsewhere.

Consumers looking for additional information can call Tri-Union's 24-hour recall information line at 800-597-5898.

For more information on this recall, visit:

<http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm342911.htm?source=govdelivery>.

For more information on recalls affecting Alaskans, visit DEC's website:

<http://www.dec.alaska.gov/eh/fss/recallsalerts.html>.





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