

Shellfish aquaculture operation

Non-exhaustive list of required permits

Permits / Authorizations	Responsible Organisation	Fees	Contact
Aquaculture Activities			
Aquaculture licence (10 years)	Department of Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries (DAAF)	Annual fee: \$ 50	Shippagan Tel: (506) 336-3751 Bouctouche Tel: (506) 743-7222 For more information, visit: http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.2775.html
Aquaculture lease (10 years)	Department of Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries (DAAF)	Annual fee : \$ 20 per hectare (minimum \$100.00) + HST	Shippagan Tel: (506) 336-3751 Bouctouche Tel: (506) 743-7222 For more information, visit: http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.2775.html
Authorization under the <i>Navigable Waters Protection Act</i> (varying duration) Authorization required for the placement of works in navigable waters (ex : off-bottom and suspended aquaculture).	Transport Canada	n/a	Moncton Tel: (506) 851-7064 Email: NWPDAR@tc.gc.ca For more information on the Navigation Protection Program, visit : http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/programs-621.html

<p>Cocktail oyster permit</p> <p>For activities aiming at selling oysters less than 76 mm in size at any time.</p>	<p>Fisheries and Oceans Canada</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Tracadie Tel: (506) 395-7723 Web site: http://www.glf.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Gulf/FAM/Aquaculture</p>
<p>Oyster spat collection permit</p>	<p>Fisheries and Oceans Canada</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Tracadie Tel: (506) 395-7723 Web site: http://www.glf.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Gulf/FAM/Aquaculture</p>
<p>Harvesting permit under the Management of Contaminated Fisheries Regulations ("Decontamination permit")</p> <p>In the situation where the aquaculture site is located in a shellfish harvesting area classified as "restricted" or "conditionally restricted" under the <i>Canadian Shellfish Sanitation Program</i>.</p>	<p>Fisheries and Oceans Canada</p>	<p>Annual fee of \$ 100 for lease holder and \$ 20 per employee</p>	<p>Tracadie Tel: (506) 395-7723 Web site: http://www.glf.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Gulf/FAM/Aquaculture</p>
<p>Introduction and transfer permit</p> <p>a) If the activity involves the collection of spat in restricted areas. b) If the activity involves importing shellfish from another province.</p>	<p>Fisheries and Oceans Canada</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>St. George Tel: (506) 755-5033 Web site: http://www.glf.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Gulf/FAM/Aquaculture</p>
<p>Occupation permit</p> <p>For the temporary occupation and use of Crown lands. Ex. :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> temporary measure until the finalisation of another agreement (ex: until an aquaculture lease or overwintering permit is delivered); for the occupation and use of the intertidal zone which is not a designated aquaculture site but is owned by the Province (under the administration of the Department of Natural Resources). 	<p>NB Department of Natural Resources</p>	<p>Application fees: \$ 300</p> <p>Permit fee: \$ 200 delivery fee + related annual fees (variable)</p> <p>Renewal fees: \$ 200</p>	<p>Crown Lands Branch, Fredericton Tel : (506) 453-3826</p> <p>For more details, visit: http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.1535.html</p>

Authorization for off-lease maintenance activities for farmed oysters	Fisheries and Oceans Canada	n/a	Tracadie Tel: (506) 395-7723 Web site: http://www.glf.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Gulf/FAM/Aquaculture
Processing and/or sale of aquaculture product			
Seafood processing licence and certificates	DAAF (first contact)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delivery and/or renewal of primary fish processing licence= <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 500 \$, plus 500 \$ for each category 1 species; ○ 250 \$ pour each category 2 species; ○ 50 \$ per species not included in category 1 or 2. • Delivery and/or renewal of Secondary Processing Plant Certificate = \$ 100 • Delivery and/or renewal of Designated Fish Buyer Certificate = \$ 100 	Shippagan: (506) 336-3751 Bouctouche: (506) 743-7222 For more details visit : http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.200829.html
Harvest plan In the situation where aquaculture product is cultivated using off-bottom and/or suspended culture technologies.	Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA)	n/a	CFIA Regional Offices: Shippagan: (506) 336-641 Shediac: (506) 533-5194 Moncton: (506) 851-7654 Or visit CFIA's directory at : http://www.inspection.gc.ca/about-the-cfia/offices/eng/1313255382836/1313256130232

<p>Food premises licence</p> <p>For direct sales within NB.</p>	<p>NB Department of Health</p>	<p>Varies according to licence class</p>	<p>Health Protection Regional Offices Email: Health.Sante@gnb.ca</p> <p>For complete list of regional offices, visit: http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.2997.Locaux_destin%EF%BF%BDs_aux_aliments.html</p>
<p>Building permit for processing plant</p>	<p>Local District Planning Commission</p>	<p>Variable</p>	<p>Consult the list of District Planning Commissions at : http://www2.gnb.ca/content/dam/gnb/Departments/trans/pdf/en/RoadsHighways/CommercialSignage/DistrictPlanningCommissionLocations-e.pdf</p>