

MUSSELS

No person shall remove from a fishery any mussel less than 50mm in length except where the mussels so removed are intended for the purpose of mussel cultivation by being placed without delay on a mussel cultivation bed or laying situated within the Southern Sea Fisheries District and within such bed or laying there is at the time a several or charter or other private right of fishery for mussels. Mussels for relaying may not be removed without first obtaining from the Chief Fishery Officer of the Committee his consent in writing which consent shall be given only if in the opinion of such Chief Fishery Officer their removal will not have a detrimental effect upon the fishery.

This byelaw does not prejudicially affect any right of Several Fishery under the Sea Fisheries (Shellfish) Act 1967.