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Heading	The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan – A notice regarding a recall of 森漁業協同組合「ほたて貝」 scallop product in Japan due to the presence of paralytic shellfish toxins.
The incident	<p>The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan issued a notice regarding a recall of 森漁業協同組合「ほたて貝」 scallop product in Japan due to the presence of paralytic shellfish toxins.</p> <p>Recalled product (in Japanese):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Product name: 森漁業協同組合「ほたて貝」 (scallop product) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Specific information on the target product: Scallops caught and sold on June 15th and 17th <p>Details of product being recalled are listed in the website of the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan.</p>
Source	<p>Website of the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan (in Japanese)</p> <p>https://ifas.mhlw.go.jp/faspub/link.do?i=IO_S020502&p=RCL202401589</p>
Position of CFS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acquisition of the products through international travel cannot be excluded. • Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning (PSP) toxin can cause symptoms such as numbness of mouth and limbs and gastrointestinal discomfort. In severe cases, paralysis with respiratory arrest and even death may occur. This natural toxin is sometimes found in bi-valve shellfish. It is heat-stable and cannot be destroyed through cooking. • Consumers should discard the products and not consume them. • CFS will remain vigilant and monitor for any new development and take appropriate actions when necessary.
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