CHAPTER III

IPSWICH BOARD OF HEALTH - FOOD REGULATIONS

1. Each food establishment shall employ at least one full-time equivalent (FTE) person in charge who shall be an on-site manager or supervisor and is at least 18 years of age and who by being a certified food protection manager has shown proficiency of required information through passing a test that is part of an accredited program recognized by the Department of Public Health. This provision shall not apply to:

(a) Temporary food establishments offering non-Potentially Hazardous Foods such as bottled water/carbonated beverages, coffee; commercially packaged snacks, candy and ice cream; nonperishable baked goods, fresh fruit (excluding melons), hot dogs, frozen preformed hamburgers and condiments.

(b) Daycare operations which serve only snacks;

(c) Satellite feeding sites, which receive prepared meals from commissaries for immediate service.

(d) Food establishments selling only commercially pre-packaged foods that do not require temperature control.

Documentation that at least one full-time equivalent person in charge is a certified food protection manager shall be prominently posted in the establishment next to the food establishment permit.

Compliance with Provision 1 must occur within 60 days from the date of publication of adopted changes.

2. No residential kitchens for retail sale will be allowed to operate in the Town of Ipswich.

3. All food service establishments of the town of Ipswich must have a separate waterproof container with tight fitting lid for the waste products for their grease traps. A grease reclamation service must be obtained by each food service establishment to dispose of the grease in an appropriate manner approved by the Ipswich Board of Health.

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