

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
FISH AND SHELLFISH CONSUMPTION ADVISORY

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This advisory is issued as a result of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) contamination of fish. PCBs are an aromatic compound characterized by relatively high environmental persistence and toxicity. PCBs are considered probable human carcinogens.

COUNTY: Hidalgo

AREA: Donna Reservoir, the North Floodway, Arroyo Colorado and all irrigation canals in Hidalgo County.

SPECIES AFFECTED: All fish species.

CONSUMPTION ADVISORY:

Persons should not consume fish from these waters until further notice.

This advisory shall remain in effect until rescinded or modified in writing.

Issued this 24th day of June, 1993.



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Commissioner of Health