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(JACKSON, Miss.) -- The Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), through its Beach Monitoring Program, lifted water contact advisories for two beach monitoring stations on Thursday. Water samples at these stations show the areas have attained acceptable bacteria levels. There are currently no stations across the Mississippi Gulf Coast under an advisory.

The advisories have been lifted for:

- ► Station 3 Waveland Beach from Oak Boulevard to Favre Street.
- ► Station 15 Shearwater Beach (Ocean Springs) from Weeks Bayou to Ashley.

More information about the Mississippi Beach Monitoring Program and the status of beach advisories is available at: http://opcgis.deq.state.ms.us/beaches.

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