



MOSS BALL DISPOSAL

and Aquarium Decontamination After
Zebra Mussel Exposure



1

Treat Moss Ball

- Freeze moss ball in resealable plastic bag for at least 24 hours
- Place moss ball in boiling water for at least one minute
- Dispose of water down household drain

2

Dispose of Moss Ball

- Place moss ball and any packaging in sealed plastic bag
- Dispose of in garbage (**NOT** compost!)

3

Decontaminate Aquarium



- Scan the QR code for detailed instructions on heat treatment (for tanks without plants/ animals) and potassium chloride treatment (for tanks with plants/ animals)
- Only(!) treated water can be disposed of down household drain

4

Report!

If you think you have found Zebra mussels in your aquarium moss balls, please report it!

Nova Scotia (Gulf Region)

1-888-759-6600

Nova Scotia (Maritimes Region)

1-888-435-4040

NSISC

info@nsinvasives.ca



Powered by the
Canadian Council
on Invasive Species

For more information visit:
www.DontLetItLoose.ca