SASHIMI WESTERN ROCK LOBSTER

SERVES 2 - 4, 15 MINUTES

INGREDIENTS

ICED WATER (FOR CHILLING)

1 OR 2 RAW TAILS OR 1 WHOLE FRESH LOBSTER

THAT HAS BEEN TAILED

10 GRAMS OF DRIED SEAWEED(WAKAME)

CRUSHED ICE, FOR SERVING

2 - 4 LETTUCE LEAVES

1 LEMON, HALVED

GARNISH

Hint: you can use any colourful vegetables that is in season for the garnish.

2 TABLESPOONS GRATED RADISH
RED RADISH SLICES
1/4 CUCUMBER, THINLY SLICED
2 TABLESPOONS OF FINELY CHOPPED SCALLIONS

SERVING ACCOMPANIMENTS

2 TABLESPOONS OF PONZU

(OR OTHER CITRUS BASED SAUSE)

A PINCH OF SHICHIMI (JAPANESE SPICE MIX)

ALTERNATIVELY YOU CAN USE SOY SAUCE AND WASABI.

PREPARATION

- 1. FILL A LARGE POT WITH WATER & BRING TO A ROLLING BOIL
- 2. FILL A BOWL WITH ICED WATER
- 3. GENTLY PLACE THE LOBSTER IN THE BOILING WATER AND COOK FOR ABOUT 1 MINUTE, UNTIL THE SHELL TURNS RED
- 4. TRANSFER LOBSTER DIRECTLY TO ICE WATER,
 LET SIT FOR ~2 MINUTES UNTIL IT IS CHILLED
 THROUGH
- 5. RUN A SHARP KNIFE ALL AROUND THE LOBSTER
 TAIL TO SEPARATE TAIL THE SHELL FROM THE
 MEAT (RESERVE TAIL FOR PRESENTATION)
- 6. SLICE LOBSTER MEAT INTO THIN SLICES AND SET ASIDE
- 7. PLACE THE SEAWEED IN A SMALL BOWL, ADD HOT WATER TO COVER. LET SEAWEED SIT FOR ~ 15 MINUTES OR UNTIL SOFT.
- 8. TRANSFER SEAWEED TO A BOWL OF COLD WATER
 TO CHILL. REMOVE & DRAIN OFF EXCESS WATER
- 9. FILL A LARGE SERVING BOWL WITH PLENTY OF CRUSHED ICE AND ARRANGE LETTUCE, WAKAME AND LEMON HALVES ON TOP.
- 10.ADD LOBSTER SHELL AND PLACE MEAT IN SHELL
- 11. ADD REMAINING GARNISH
- 12.IN A SMALL BOWL, COMBINE PONZU AND SHICHIMI SERVE ALONGSIDE LOBSTER FOR DIPPING (ALTERNATIVELY USE SOY SAUCE AND WASABI)