

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1067

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AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the President and Congress to study and pass needed legislation relating to the federal Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, poultry are produced in the United States by many farmers and ranchers scattered throughout this state and various states of this nation; and

WHEREAS, the efficient production and marketing of poultry by these farmers and ranchers is of vital concern to the general welfare of this state and the nation; and

WHEREAS, the federal Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, as amended, provided protection to farmers and ranchers who sell livestock; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative to the farmers and ranchers of this state, as well as to farmers producing poultry across the nation, that poultry producers be afforded the same protection that is provided to livestock producers by the federal Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, as amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 46TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature respectfully memorializes the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to study and pass the legislation necessary regarding the issue of incorporating poultry growers within the protection provided to livestock producers by the federal Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, as amended.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to the President of the United States, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the President of the United States Senate, all members of the Oklahoma Congressional Delegation, and to the United States Secretary of Agriculture.

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