

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 47th Legislature (2000)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR ENGROSSED
SENATE BILL NO. 1084

By: Cain of the Senate

and

Pope (Clay) of the House

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(Consumer information - country of origin labeling
on fresh fruits and vegetables and frozen meats -
codification -
effective date)

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5-81 of Title 2, unless there is
created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. On and after January 1, 2001, a retailer of fresh fruits,
fresh vegetables or frozen meat may inform consumers at the final
point of sale of such fruits, vegetables or meat of the country of
origin of such fresh fruits, fresh vegetables or frozen meat.

B. The information authorized by subsection A of this section
may be provided to consumers by means of a label, stamp, mark,
placard or other clear and visible sign on the commodity or on the
package, display, holding unit or bin containing the commodity at
the final point of sale to the consumers.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective September 1, 2000.