

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 47th Legislature (1999)

HOUSE CONCURRENT  
RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

By: Case of the House

and

Herbert of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution making the Oklahoma Tartan the official tartan for the State of Oklahoma; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Tartan has no one group, association, society or organization proposing the Oklahoma Tartan pattern; and

WHEREAS, the original Oklahoma Tartan was designed by Jerrel R. Murray, a citizen and resident of the State of Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, the original Oklahoma Tartan was professionally manufactured and woven by The House Of Edgar, Pitlochry, Scotland; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Tartan was registered the second day of March, 1998, by Certificate of Accreditation with the Scottish Tartan Society, Pitlochry, Scotland; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Tartan, by name and production, was available as early as 1998; and

WHEREAS, several states have already adopted a state tartan; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Tartan's thread design is available to all nationalities for duplication; and

WHEREAS, the designer of the Oklahoma Tartan intended it to be shared by all citizens and nationalities regardless of cultural, racial or political background but not to be coveted by one group;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE  
CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Tartan so registered by Certificate of  
Accreditation with the Scottish Tartan Society, Pitlochry, Scotland,  
whose colors of red, white, black and gold on a field of blue are  
representative of the people, agriculture products, manufactured  
products, and natural resources of Oklahoma, be duly ratified as the  
official tartan for the State of Oklahoma; and

THAT a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor,  
for proclamation to the citizens of the State of Oklahoma, the  
United States of America and the Scottish Tartan Society that the  
above described tartan be the official tartan for the State of  
Oklahoma.

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