

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 52nd Legislature (2009)

3 HOUSE

4 RESOLUTION 1019

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 A Resolution relating to hunger; thanking Tyson Foods
8 for donating food to Oklahoma.

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11 WHEREAS, the United States Department of Agriculture has
12 reported that the number of people in our country who are food
13 insecure has risen from 13.1% to 14.6% over the past ten years; and

14 WHEREAS, the number of people in our country who suffer from
15 very low food security has risen from 4.2% to 5.3% over the same
16 period of time; and

17 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Task Force on Hunger has found that
18 Oklahoma ranks as one of the five worst in the country in both areas
19 of concern; and

20 WHEREAS, donations of food to charitable food networks provide
21 effective assistance to those in need; and

22 WHEREAS, Tyson Foods has donated more than eleven million pounds
23 of food nationwide of which over 357,000 pounds of food was donated
24 to Oklahoma in 2008.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
2 OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

3 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives thanks Tyson Foods
4 for their generosity in the fight to abate hunger for those in need
5 across this great country and Oklahoma.

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