



# RECALL NOTICE

The following message is being sent to all authorized member recall personnel.

## News Release

### OK Food Inc. Recalls Breaded Chicken Products Due To Possible Foreign Matter Contamination

Class I Recall 030-2017

Health Risk: High Mar 23, 2017

Congressional and Public Affairs

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[WASHINGTON, March 23, 2017 – OK Food, Inc., an Oklahoma City, Okla. establishment, is recalling approximately 933,272 pounds of breaded chicken products that may be contaminated with extraneous materials, specifically metal, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Food Safety and Inspection Service \(FSIS\) announced today.](#)

[The ready-to-eat \(RTE\) breaded chicken items were produced on various dates from Dec. 19, 2016 through March 7, 2017. A list of the products subject to recall can be found here PDF | View Labels.](#)

[The products subject to recall bear establishment number “P-7092” inside the USDA mark of inspection. These items were shipped to retail locations and institutions nationwide.](#)

[The problem was discovered on March 21, 2017 after OK Foods Inc. received five consumer complaints stating that metal objects were found in the ready-to-eat chicken products and by FSIS inspection personnel during verification activities. After an internal investigation, the firm identified the affected product and determined that the objects in all the complaints came from metal conveyor belting.](#)

[There have been no confirmed reports of adverse reactions due to consumption of these products. Anyone concerned about an injury or illness should contact a healthcare provider.](#)

[Consumers who have purchased these products are urged not to consume them. These products should be thrown away or returned to the place of purchase.](#)

[FSIS routinely conducts recall effectiveness checks to verify recalling firms notify their customers of the recall and that steps are taken to make certain that the product is no longer available to consumers. When available, the retail distribution list\(s\) will be posted on the FSIS website at \[www.fsis.usda.gov/recalls\]\(http://www.fsis.usda.gov/recalls\).](#)

[Consumers with questions about the recall can contact Abby Brown at \(479\) 312-2409. Media with questions about the recall can contact Jordan Johnson at \(501\) 944-7891.](#)

Consumers with food safety questions can "Ask Karen," the FSIS virtual representative available 24 hours a day at [AskKaren.gov](http://AskKaren.gov) or via smartphone at [m.askkaren.gov](http://m.askkaren.gov). The toll-free USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline 1-888-MPHotline (1-888-674-6854) is available in English and Spanish and can be reached from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Eastern Time) Monday through Friday. Recorded food safety messages are available 24 hours a day. The online Electronic Consumer Complaint Monitoring System can be accessed 24 hours a day at: <http://www.fsis.usda.gov/reportproblem>.

**\* We believe that none of the product being recalled were processed or offered through the national office.**

\* We strongly encourage you to notify your agencies within one business day from receipt of this notice.

\* ALL cased and uncased inventories, both at the member level and agency level, need to be checked. This product may have entered member and agency warehouses through salvage, local donations, TEFAP, local purchases, retail pickups, food drives, or other avenues.

\* For additional local details, please contact the Health Department(s) for the area(s) your food bank serves.

For full details on the recall, please visit: <https://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/food/food-safety/topics/recalls-and-public-health-alerts/recall-case-archive/archive/2017/recall-030-2017-release>

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