## 108TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## S. RES. 174

Designating Thursday, November 20, 2003, as "Feed America Thursday".

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 18, 2003

Mr. Hatch submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

June 26, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, without amendment

> June 27, 2003 Considered and agreed to

## **RESOLUTION**

Designating Thursday, November 20, 2003, as "Feed America Thursday".

- Whereas Thanksgiving Day celebrates the spirit of selfless giving and an appreciation for family and friends;
- Whereas the spirit of Thanksgiving Day is a virtue upon which our Nation was founded;
- Whereas 33,000,000 Americans, including 13,000,000 children, continue to live in households that do not have an adequate supply of food;
- Whereas almost 3,000,000 of those children experience hunger; and

Whereas selfless sacrifice breeds a genuine spirit of Thanksgiving, both affirming and restoring fundamental principles in our society: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That the Senate—
- (1) designates Thursday, November 20, 2003,
  as "Feed America Thursday"; and
- 4 (2) requests that the President issue a procla5 mation calling upon the people of the United States
  6 to sacrifice 2 meals on Thursday, November 20,
  7 2003, and to donate the money that they would have
  8 spent on food to a religious or charitable organiza9 tion of their choice for the purpose of feeding the
  10 hungry.

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