1	STATE OF OKLAHOMA
2	1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)
3	HOUSE BILL 2032 By: Archer
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6	<u>AS INTRODUCED</u>
7	An Act relating to summer nutrition; stating purpose of act; requiring the Oklahoma Department of Human
8	Services to administer the Summer Electronic Benefit Transfer for Children program; requiring
9	collaboration with the State Department of Education in implementing the program; providing for
10	codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.
11	declaring an emergency.
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13	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:
14	SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15	in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3-119.2 of Title 70, unless
16	there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:
17	A. The purpose of this section is to establish the State of
18	Oklahoma's participation in the federal Summer Electronic Benefit
19	Transfer for Children (Summer EBT) program to provide supplemental
20	nutrition assistance to eligible children during the summer months
21	when school is not in session beginning on June 1, 2026, and beyond.
22	B. The Oklahoma Department of Human Services (OKDHS) shall
23	administer the Summer EBT Program in accordance with federal
24	regulations and guidelines.

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- C. The Department of Human Services shall work with the State Department of Education to determine eligibility of children and reduce administrative burden on qualifying families for the Summer EBT program established pursuant to the federal Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023.
- D. The Department of Human Services and the State Department of Education shall share all data determined by each Department to be necessary to implement and administer the Summer EBT program statewide.
- 10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2025.
 - SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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