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| **Recall Release** | | | | |
| **CLASS I RECALL HEALTH RISK: HIGH** | | Congressional and Public Affairs  Mitch Adams (202) 720-9113  Press@fsis.usda.gov FSIS-RC-009-2019 | | |
| **TYSON FOODS, INC. RECALLS CHICKEN NUGGET PRODUCTS**  **DUE TO POSSIBLE FOREIGN MATTER CONTAMINATION** | | | | |
| WASHINGTON, Jan. 29, 2019 – Tyson Foods, Inc., a Sedalia, Mo. establishment, is recalling approximately 36,420 pounds of chicken nugget products that may be contaminated with extraneous materials, specifically rubber, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) announced today.    The panko chicken nugget items were produced on Nov. 26, 2018. The following products are subject to recall:     * 5-lb. plastic packages of “Tyson WHITE MEAT PANKO CHICKEN NUGGETS” with a “BEST IF USED BY” date of “NOV 26 2019,” case code “3308SDL03” and time stamps 23:00 through 01:59 (inclusive).     The products subject to recall bear establishment number “P-13556” inside the USDA mark of inspection. These items were shipped to retail locations nationwide.    The problem was discovered when the establishment received consumer complaints of extraneous material in purchased Panko Chicken Nugget products. FSIS was notified on Jan. 29, 2019.    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.  FSIS is concerned that some product may be frozen and in consumers’ freezers. 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 theircustomers 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 Tyson Consumer Relations at 1-888-747-7611. Members of the Media with questions about the recall can contact Worth Sparkman, Senior Communications Manager with Tyson Foods, Inc., at (479) 290-6358.    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 6 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>. | | | | |
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| NOTE: Access news releases and other information at FSIS’ website at <http://www.fsis.usda.gov/recalls>.  Follow FSIS on Twitter at [twitter.com/usdafoodsafety](http://twitter.com/usdafoodsafety) or in Spanish at: twitter.com/usdafoodsafe\_es. | | | | |
|  | **USDA RECALL CLASSIFICATIONS** | | |  |
| **Class I** This is a health hazard situation where there is a reasonable probability that the use of the product will cause serious, adverse health consequences or death. | | |
| **Class II** This is a health hazard situation where there is a remote probability of adverse health consequences from the use of the product. | | |
| **Class III** This is a situation where the use of the product will not cause adverse health consequences. | | |
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