

TYSON FOODS INC

Form 4

May 31, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

Check this box
if no longer
subject to
Section 16.
Form 4 or
Form 5
obligations
may continue.
See Instruction
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

OMB APPROVAL

OMB
Number: 3235-0287
Expires: January 31,
2005
Estimated average
burden hours per
response... 0.5

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TYSON LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
TYSON FOODS INC [(TSN)]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2210 W. OAKLAWN

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/26/2006

____ Director ____X____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

SPRINGDALE, AR 72762

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class B Common Stock	05/26/2006		J ⁽¹⁾	V 403,900 D \$ 0	8,790,770	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class A Common Stock	05/26/2006		J ⁽¹⁾	V 403,900 A \$ 0	403,900	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class A Common Stock	05/26/2006		S	403,900 D \$ 16.3749	0	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class B Common Stock	05/30/2006		J ⁽²⁾	V 465,100 D \$ 0	8,325,670	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.

Edgar Filing: TYSON FOODS INC - Form 4

Class A Common Stock	05/30/2006	J ⁽²⁾	V	465,100	A	\$ 0	465,100	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class A Common Stock	05/30/2006	S		465,100	D	\$ 16.1306	0	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class B Common Stock	05/31/2006	J ⁽³⁾	V	864,800	D	\$ 0	7,460,870	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class A Common Stock	05/31/2006	J ⁽³⁾	V	864,800	A	\$ 0	864,800	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class A Common Stock	05/31/2006	S		864,800	D	\$ 15.999	0	I	By TLP Investment, L.P.
Class B Common Stock							86,848,560	D	
Class B Common Stock							3,000,000	I	By TLPCRT, L.P.

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474
(9-02)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TYSON LIMITED PARTNERSHIP 2210 W. OAKLAWN SPRINGDALE, AR 72762		X		

Signatures

By: /s/Harry C. Erwin, III, General Partner, on behalf of Tyson Limited Partnership

05/31/2006

____Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) On May 26, 2006, the reporting person converted 403,900 shares of Class B Common Stock into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis for no cost; accordingly, there was no applicable purchase or sale.
- (2) On May 30, 2006, the reporting person converted 465,100 shares of Class B Common Stock into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis for no cost; accordingly, there was no applicable purchase or sale.
- (3) On May 31, 2006, the reporting person converted 864,800 shares of Class B Common Stock into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis for no cost; accordingly, there was no applicable purchase or sale.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.