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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 9, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-307, AS AMENDED

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, Oct. 10 (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 13. Deliveries are to be made from Dec. 16 to Dec. 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-307, as amended; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specifications for Chicken Parts, and Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2006, and Batter/Breaded Chicken Breasts, Thighs, and Drumsticks dated June 2006; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs; Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave. SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world-wide-web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-307, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, without necks and giblets. Cut-up chickens must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags and packed 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,000 containers per purchase unit totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks or giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The individual chicken weight range must be over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts date May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Chicken Legs, Bulk Parts (224190) - Chilled chicken legs, bulk packed for further processing. Legs must weigh between 5 and 17.50 ounces (141.75 and 496.11 g) each, or be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 7 pounds (1.13 to 3.18 kg) per whole carcass, without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required within the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2006. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Cooked (225230) - Frozen cooked batter/breaded cut-up chicken (7 pieces - breasts, thighs, and drumsticks). The cooked chicken parts must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens that weigh 3.0 to 3.50 pounds (1.36 to 1.59 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packaged or packed in a minimum of three plastic-film bags or layers, respectively, and packed 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,300 containers per purchase unit totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY307
 INVITATION : 009
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN
 PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06

001	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
002	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
003	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	200,000
004	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	10,520
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	29,480
005	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
007	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
008	HOUSTON	TX		40,000
009	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 520,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
 PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06

010	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	288,000
011	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	216,000 *

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 504,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY307
INVITATION : 009
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06

012	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	324,000 *
013	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	2,736,000 *
014	VAN BUREN	AR	TRUCK ONLY	144,000
015	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	216,000 *
016	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	72,000
017	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	972,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 4,464,000

COMM TYPE : 41 CHICKEN, CHILLED, LEGS
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06

018	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	108,000
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 108,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY307
 INVITATION : 009
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 52 CHICKEN, 7 PC, BRD COOKED
 PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06

019	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
020	CHARLESTON	WV		39,000
021	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,000
022	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
023	GRANITE CITY	IL		117,000
024	CLEVELAND	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
025	CLEVELAND	OH	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	OBETZ	OH	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
026	DAYTON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
027	OBETZ	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
028	DARIEN	WI	TRUCK ONLY	18,480
	EAU CLAIRE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	10,260
	JACKSON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	10,260
029	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	117,000
030	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
031	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
032	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
033	FOREST GROVE	OR		39,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 741,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 6,337,000

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 Contracting Officer

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