FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: August 1, 2007

BUYS: Purchase of Shelled Roasted Almonds

THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA)
REJECTS OFFERS OF SHELED ROASTED ALMONDS

USDA announced it has rejected offers received from vendors to sell shelled roasted almonds, 12/2 lb. and 25/25 lb, for distribution to the Child Nutrition and other domestic food assistance programs.

The rejected offers to sell were submitted in response to USDA's Announcement FV-212, Invitation 031, dated July 16, 2007.

Offers were rejected due to price considerations and lack of competitive bids received.

Further information can be obtained from the Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 1406-South Building, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-4517 or the website at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.