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Marketing and
Regulatory
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Agricultural
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Service

Washington, DC
20250

Please Note:
New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters), and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

This Invitation is for Small Business Set-Aside only; see FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Total Small Business Set-Aside.

FV-300

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: April 23, 2008

Canned Fruit, Announcement FV-300, Invitation 233

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned fruit as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in needy family and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central Time, Wednesday, May 7, 2008**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, May 21, 2008. Deliveries are to be made from July 1, 2008 to September 30, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Canned Applesauce	24/#300	97,200 cases
Canned Plums	24/#300	40,500 cases

No offers will be made to 8a vendors on this invitation.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York, must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton, The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.**

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.



Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-300, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Fruit dated April 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. 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 will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement FV-300, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by single asterisk.

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV300
 INVITATION : 233
 COMM GROUP : 30 FRUIT, CANNED
 COMM TYPE : 11 APPLESAUCE, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/01/08 - 07/15/08					
001	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
002	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
003	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
	MAYFIELD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
004	GRAY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	914	_____
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	376	_____
005	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	346	_____
	KNOXVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	758	_____
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	516	_____
006	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
007	BATTLE CREEK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	540	_____
	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	540	_____
	WARREN	MI	TRUCK ONLY	540	_____
008	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
009	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
010	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
011	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	943	_____
	CAPE GIRARDEAU	MO	TRUCK ONLY	677	_____
012	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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013	SAN JOSE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
014	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	489	_____
	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	754	_____
	TACOMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	377	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/08 - 07/31/08					
015	ERIN	TN	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
	HENDERSON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,215	_____
016	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
017	TYLER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
018	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	805	_____
	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	815	_____
019	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
020	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
021	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,080	_____
	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	312	_____
	YAKIMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	228	_____

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022	AUBURN	ME	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
023	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____ **
024	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
025	AUGUSTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
026	COVINGTON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	457	_____
	DYERSBURG	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,163	_____
027	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	633	_____
	KNOXVILLE	TN		987	_____
028	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
029	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
030	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
031	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
032	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/08 - 08/31/08					
033	FAYETTEVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	800	_____
	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	820	_____
034	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,217	_____
	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	403	_____

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035	COLUMBIA	MO	TRUCK ONLY	831	_____
	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	439	
	ST JOSEPH	MO	TRUCK ONLY	350	
036	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
037	SAN JOSE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
038	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/01/08 - 09/15/08					
039	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	810	
040	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,164	_____
	DUNLAP	TN	TRUCK ONLY	456	
041	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
042	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	936	_____
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	684	
043	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
044	BATTLE CREEK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	454	_____
	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	761	
	LANSING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	
045	COMSTOCK PARK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
046	WARREN	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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047	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
048	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
049	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
050	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
051	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
052	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/08 - 09/30/08					
053	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
054	COOKEVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,215	_____
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
055	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				97,200	

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DELIVERY PERIOD 07/01/08 - 07/15/08					
056	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
057	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
058	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	972	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	648	_____
059	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
060	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
061	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
062	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
063	BELL	CA	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/08 - 07/31/08					
064	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
065	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
066	SEATTLE WHSE (Alaska)	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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067	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
068	DETROIT	MI		4,860	_____
069	DETROIT OSSINEKE	MI MI	TRUCK ONLY	810 810	_____
070	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
071	MESA	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/08 - 08/31/08					
072	DETROIT	MI		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/01/08 - 09/15/08					
073	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
074	OKLAHOMA CITY TULSA	OK OK	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	972 648	_____
075	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
076	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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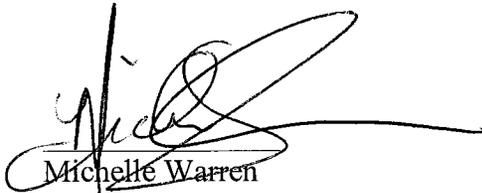
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DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/08 - 09/30/08

077	ALEXANDRIA	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
078	MONROE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	810	
	SHREVEPORT	LA	TRUCK ONLY	810	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 40,500

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 137,700



Michelle Warren
 Contracting Officer

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