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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 18, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-306

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey 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, Monday, Feb. 5. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Feb. 9. Deliveries are to be made from Mar. 16 to Mar. 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-306, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2006, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, DC 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-306, 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.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, non-basted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2006. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen fully cooked smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and no more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags of casing, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY306
INVITATION : 018
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/07 - 03/31/07

001	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	360,000
002	WILLMAR	MN	TRUCK ONLY	252,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 612,000

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

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY306
INVITATION : 018
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/07 - 03/31/07

003	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
004	WILMINGTON	MA		40,000
005	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	BINGHAMTON	NY		40,000
007	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
008	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
009	LINCOLN	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
010	BALTIMORE	MD	TRUCK ONLY	12,000
	JESSUP	MD	TRUCK ONLY	13,440
	ROCKVILLE	MD	TRUCK ONLY	14,560
011	BLOOMINGTON	IN	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	FORT WAYNE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
012	LOGANSPOUT	IN		40,000
013	HOUSTON	TX		40,000
014	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
015	CLEARFIELD	UT		80,000
016	FRESNO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
017	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,800
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,200

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 680,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY306
INVITATION : 018
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ
PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/07 - 03/31/07

018	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
020	BINGHAMTON	NY		40,000
021	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
022	HOLLEY	NY		40,000
023	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
024	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
025	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	16,600
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	23,400
026	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
027	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
028	HOUSTON	TX		80,000
029	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	160,000
030	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
031	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 720,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 2,012,000

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