

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Service

DATE: Feb. 27, 2007

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS; ENDS
PURCHASES OF COOKED BATTER/BREADED CHICKEN

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 6,936,000 pounds of chicken and chicken products at an approximate cost of \$4,996,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 18	No. of Bids Accepted
batter/breaded	312,000	\$1.5262-\$1.5535	1 of 1
chilled bulk pack (small)	1,260,000	\$0.7099-\$0.7350	2 of 3
chilled bulk pack (large)	5,040,000	\$0.6500-\$0.7700	5 of 5
chilled bulk pack (legs)	216,000	\$0.6700	1 of 1
chilled bulk pack (thighs)	108,000	\$0.4100	1 of 1

It was also announced that purchases of cooked batter/breaded chicken are now complete.

Next offers under Announcement PY-307 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
19	bulk pack (small, large, and legs)	March 12	March 16	May 1-15

Total purchases of chicken and chicken products since the program was announced on June 22 follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
cut-up	11,760,000	\$ 7,286,000
batter/breaded	16,263,000	\$24,066,000
bulk pack, small	11,772,000	\$ 6,905,000
bulk pack, large	114,300,000	\$60,627,000
bulk pack, thighs	648,000	\$ 308,000
bulk pack, legs	648,000	\$ 348,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world-wide-web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for chicken and chicken products made today under Announcement PY-307, Invitation 18, to be delivered from April 16 to April 30 follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY307
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 018

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

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.
PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	DESTINATION CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
001	SUMTER	SC	720,000	\$ 0.7350

TOTAL AWARDED: 720,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : BERRYVILLE AR

ITEM NUM	DESTINATION CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
002	PINE BLUFF	AR	432,000	\$ 0.7099 *

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

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

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : PINE BLUFF AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
002	PINE BLUFF AR	108,000	\$ 0.7099 *

TOTAL AWARDED: 540,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: FIELDALE FARMS CORP
PLANT ADDRESS : CORNELIA GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
010	GAINESVILLE GA	720,000	\$ 0.7490

TOTAL AWARDED: 720,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.
PLANT ADDRESS : BOAZ AL

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
004	BOAZ AL	504,000	\$ 0.6543
006	BOAZ AL	252,000	\$ 0.6543 *

TOTAL AWARDED: 756,000

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COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 018

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: OK FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : FORT SMITH AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
003	ROME GA	108,000	\$ 0.7700
008	ROME GA	252,000	\$ 0.7700 *

TOTAL AWARDED: 360,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: PERDUE FARMS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : GEORGETOWN DE

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
007	GEORGETOWN DE	360,000	\$ 0.7059

TOTAL AWARDED: 360,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : BERRYVILLE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
005	SPRINGDALE AR	684,000	\$ 0.6500 *

PLANT ADDRESS : NEW HOLLAND PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
009	NEW HOLLAND PA	1,476,000	\$ 0.6500 *

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INVITATION : 018

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : SPRINGDALE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
009	NEW HOLLAND PA	684,000	\$ 0.6500 *

TOTAL AWARDED: 2,844,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CHILLED, LEGS
PACK SIZE : BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: OUT OF THE SHELL, LLC.
PLANT ADDRESS : SOUTH EL MONTE CA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
011	POMONA CA	216,000	\$ 0.6700

TOTAL AWARDED: 216,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CHILLED, THIGHS
PACK SIZE : BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : BERRYVILLE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
012	PINE BLUFF AR	108,000	\$ 0.4100

TOTAL AWARDED: 108,000

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ANNOUNCEMENT : PY307
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 018

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, 7 PC, BRD COOKED
PACK SIZE : 30 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.
PLANT ADDRESS : MOOREFIELD WV

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
013	VINELAND NJ	156,000	\$ 1.5262
014	MCALESTER OK	78,000	\$ 1.5535
015	AUSTIN TX	39,000	\$ 1.5520
016	SAN ANTONIO TX	39,000	\$ 1.5521

TOTAL AWARDED: 312,000

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