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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-322

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, Monday, June 11. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, June 15. Deliveries are to be made from July 16 to July 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-322; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specifications for Chicken Parts, Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts, and Batter/Breaded Chicken Breasts, Thighs, and Drumsticks dated May 2007; 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-322, 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.

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 2007. 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 within the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2007. 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 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Thighs, Bulk Parts (224290) - Chilled chicken thighs, (without back portion), bulk packed for further processing. Thighs must weigh between 2.50 and 10.50 ounces (70.87 and 297.66 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 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 002
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 07/16/07 - 07/31/07

001	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
002	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	160,000
003	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
004	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
005	FAIRBURN	GA	TRUCK ONLY	27,280
	LOUISVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	12,720
006	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	120,000
007	LEXINGTON	SC		40,000
008	GRANITE CITY	IL		200,000
009	ALEXANDRIA	LA		23,560
	HARAHAN	LA		16,440
010	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
011	HOUSTON	TX		40,000
012	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
013	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 960,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 002
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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

014	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	288,000
015	ROME	GA		36,000
016	MOOREFIELD	WV	TRUCK ONLY	180,000*
017	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	288,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 792,000

COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

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

018	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	252,000
019	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	252,000*
020	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,908,000*
021	ROGERS	AR	TRUCK ONLY	504,000*
022	GAINESVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	720,000
023	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	2,160,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 5,796,000

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

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
INVITATION : 002
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 41 CHICKEN, CHILLED, LEGS
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACK

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

024 LOS ANGELES CA TRUCK ONLY 180,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 180,000

COMM TYPE : 42 CHICKEN, CHILLED, THIGHS
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACK

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

025 PINE BLUFF AR TRUCK ONLY 180,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 180,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 7,908,000

Catherine V. Smith /s/
Contracting Officer

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