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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 8, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-324

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl 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, Oct. 1. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 5. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 16 to Nov. 30.

Offers will be invited from approved suppliers for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54-kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

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. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-324, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken 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-324, 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.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY324
INVITATION : 008
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/07 - 11/30/07

001	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
002	WILMINGTON	MA		40,000
003	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
004	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WORCESTER	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
005	BANGOR	ME	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	17,080
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	22,920
007	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
008	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	7,560
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	32,440
009	BARTOW	FL	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,800
010	GRANITE CITY	IL		80,000
011	BRIGHTON	MI	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	GRAND RAPIDS	MI	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WYOMING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
012	NEWPORT	MN		40,000
013	DAYTON	OH		40,000
014	DARIEN	WI		40,000
015	ALEXANDRIA	LA		16,560
	HARAHAN	LA		23,440
016	HOUSTON	TX		40,000
017	PUEBLO WEST	CO	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
018	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	COMMERCE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000

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020	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
021	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
022	PUYALLUP	WA		20,000
	SEATTLE	WA		20,000
023	PUYALLUP	WA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 960,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 960,000



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