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CONSUMER PACK CUT-UP CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 12, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-319

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell consumer pack cut-up chicken as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Aug. 25. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Aug. 29. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 1 to Dec. 15.

**This Invitation has been revised to replace Announcement PY-319 and The Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens dated September 2006, as amended, with The Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurements dated May 2008; the Qualification Requirements dated May 2008; and the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens August 2008.**

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen, U.S. Grade A, cut-up chicken, 8-piece cut, with neck and giblets **or without neck and giblets**. The commodity must be packaged in tray pack-style containers and must be packed 12 packages in each fiberboard shipping container (case). A purchase unit will total 1,000 cases.

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 **The Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurements dated May 2008; the Qualification Requirements dated May 2008; the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens dated August 2008**, 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 will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-319, 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 : PY319  
INVITATION : 012  
COMM GROUP : 20 CHICKEN FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 50 WHOLE CUT-UP CHICKEN FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 50 12/4# PKG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/08 - 10/15/08				
001	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
002	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/08 - 10/31/08				
003	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/08 - 11/15/08				
004	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
005	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08				
006	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/08 - 12/15/08				
007	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
008	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	38,400
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				307,200
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				307,200

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