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CANNED BONED POULTRY, INVITATION NO. 41, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-225, AS AMENDED

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell canned boned poultry 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, Nov. 26. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 30. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 16 to Jan. 31, 2002.

This invitation for offers to sell canned boned poultry is in response to the August 27 announcement by the Department to purchase fowl meat products. This purchase will create a much-needed market for light spent fowl meat, which is produced from egg-type laying hens. Egg producers have been unable to dispose of the layers in sufficient numbers because fowl processors cannot increase normal markets for fowl meat. Product must be produced under the Commodity Specification for Canned Boned Poultry dated November 1998 and Amendment Numbers 1 and 2; **however, canned boned poultry must be produced from light fowl (4.5 pounds or less) meat only.**

Offers are invited from the trade for canned boned poultry in 29-ounce (822 g) cans, packed 24 cans to a shipping container with 43.5 pounds (19.73 kg) net weight. A purchase unit will consist of 840 shipping containers totaling 36,540 pounds (16,574 kg) net weight.

**As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, 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 on and after October 1, 2001, 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-225, as amended; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for Canned Boned Poultry dated November 1998 and Amendment Numbers 1 and 2; 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 will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-225, as amended, 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 trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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INVITATION : 041  
COMM GROUP : 21 POULTRY  
COMM TYPE : 10 CHICKEN, CANNED, BONED  
PACK SIZE : 29 24/29 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/02 - 01/31/02				
001	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
002	BARRE	VT	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
003	VINELAND	NJ		36,540
004	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
	ROANOKE	VA	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
005	CHARLESTON	WV		36,540
006	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	19,401
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	17,139
007	RUSSELL SPRINGS	KY	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
008	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	21,924
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	14,616
009	GRAY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	24,360
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	12,180

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010	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
011	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	24,360
	WESTLAND	MI	TRUCK ONLY	12,180
012	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
013	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
014	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	21,924
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	14,616
015	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
016	VICTORIA	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,540
017	CLEARFIELD	UT	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
018	BELL	CA	TRUCK ONLY	73,080
019	COEUR D'ALENE	ID	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
	LEWISTON	ID	TRUCK ONLY	18,270
020	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	21,272
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	15,268
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				767,340
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				767,340

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Contracting Officer

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