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CANNED BONED POULTRY, INVITATION NO. 044, 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, Wednesday, Dec. 26 (due to the holiday on Monday and Tuesday for Federal employees).** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 28. Deliveries are to be made from Feb. 1 to Feb. 15, 2002. Purchase of the quantities listed on this Invitation will complete current requirements.

Offers are invited from the trade for canned boned poultry in 50-ounce (1.42 kg) cans, packed 12 cans to a shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 37,500 pounds (17,010 kg).

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, as amended; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260,

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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.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY225
 INVITATION : 044
 COMM GROUP : 21 POULTRY
 COMM TYPE : 10 CHICKEN, CANNED, BONED
 PACK SIZE : 50 12/50 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	TRANS ST	RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/02 - 02/15/02				
001	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS	262,500
002	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	15,337
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	22,163
003	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		26,250
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		11,250
004	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	9,375
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	9,375
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	18,750
005	JACKSON	MS		37,500
006	LAUREL	MS	TRUCK ONLY	37,500
007	GRANITE CITY	IL		37,500
008	MCALESTER	OK		37,500
009	OMAHA	NE		37,500
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				562,500
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				562,500

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 Contracting Officer

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