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INDIVIDUALLY FROZEN (IF) CUT-UP CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 2,
ANNOUNCEMENT PY-231

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell IF cut-up chicken as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 1 p.m., Washington, D.C. time, Monday, Dec. 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 10. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 16 to Jan. 31, 2000.

Offers are invited from the trade for individually frozen, U.S. Grade A, 8-piece, cut-up chicken parts, 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 individually frozen, packaged in a minimum of four plastic-film bags in natural proportion, 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).

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-231, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Individually Frozen Cut-up Chickens dated October 1999, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, 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-231, 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.

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ANNOUNCEMENT: PY231
INVITATION : 002
COMM GROUP : 20 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 51 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, IF SOC
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM	DESTINATION	TRANS	QUANTITY	
NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/00 - 01/31/00

001	LOS ANGELES/FAS	CA	FAS	80,000
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 80,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 80 000

Dennis J. Pearson
Contracting Officer

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