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Poultry Programs

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CONSUMER PACK CHICKENS, INVITATION NO. 005, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-233

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen consumer pack chickens as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 13. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 17. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 1 to Jan. 15, Feb. 1 to Feb. 15, Feb. 16 to Feb. 28, March 1 to March 15, and March 16 to March 31, 2001.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen U.S. Grade A ready-to-cook young chickens, with neck and giblets. Individual chickens must weigh 3 to 4.25 pounds (1.36 to 1.93 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be commercially labeled and packed in individual plastic-film bags with 10-12 chickens per fiberboard shipping container. An individual shipping container must weigh 36 to 44 pounds (16.33 to 19.96 kg). A purchase unit will total 39,600 pounds (17,962 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-233, Appendix-1 and Amendment No. 1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack 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>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-233, 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 : PY233  
 INVITATION : 005  
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN  
 COMM TYPE : 51 CHICKEN, FROZEN WHOLE BAGGED  
 PACK SIZE : 36 36-43 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01

001	BRONX/MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	*See Note.
002	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
003	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
004	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
005	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
006	MOLINE	IL	TRUCK ONLY	25,451	
	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	14,149	
007	PEORIA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	19,800	
	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	19,800	
008	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	23,078	
	ST CHARLES	IL	TRUCK ONLY	16,522	
009	EVANSVILLE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	25,983	
	GRANITE CITY	IL	TRUCK ONLY	13,617	
010	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	25,344	
	LOGAN	OH	TRUCK ONLY	14,256	
011	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
012	EAU CLAIRE	WI		39,600	
013	MADISON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
014	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
015	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
016	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
017	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
018	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	28,340	
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	11,260	
019	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	
020	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600	

DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/01 - 02/15/01

021	MILLWOOD	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,800	
	W BRENTWOOD	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,800	
022	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	28,340	
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	11,260	

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DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/01 - 02/28/01

023	BUTNER	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
024	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
025	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	118,800
026	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/01 - 03/15/01

027	BUTNER	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
028	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
029	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
030	SPRINGFIELD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	22,513
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	17,087

DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/01 - 03/31/01

031	BUTNER	NC	TRUCK ONLY	79,200
032	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
033	ROCKFORD	IL	TRUCK ONLY	28,340
	URBANA	IL	TRUCK ONLY	11,260

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,425,600

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**\*Note:** The destination receiving warehouse is unknown at the time of invitation. Contract will be awarded for the item to be delivered to either warehouse. Successful contractor must contact Carl Elliot at telephone 718-991-4300 (Fax 718-893-3442) prior to shipping to confirm final destination.

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 Contracting Officer

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