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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 013, ANNOUNCEMENT  
PY-234

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products 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. 27. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 1. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 1 to Jan. 15, 2001.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-234, Appendix-1 and Amendment No. 1, the applicable Commodity Specification, 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 of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-234, 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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Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, 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 packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags 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).

Cooked (221530) - Frozen cooked batter/breaded cut-up chickens, 8 pieces. The cooked chicken parts must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3 pounds (1.13 to 1.36 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packaged or packed in a minimum of three plastic-film bags or layers, respectively, and packed 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,300 containers per purchase unit totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is over 3.75 to 7 pounds (1.70 to 3.18 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Thighs, Bulk Parts (224290) - Chilled chicken thighs, bulk packed for further processing. Thighs must weigh between 2.50 and 10.50 ounces (70.87 and 297.66 g) each, or be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 7 pounds (1.13 to 3.18 kg) per whole carcass, without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY234  
 INVITATION : 013  
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN  
 COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN  
 PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01					
001	EAST HARTFORD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
002	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
003	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	WINTERPORT	ME	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
004	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
005	PEEKSKILL	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	--KOSHER ONLY
006	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
007	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS	40,000	
008	PORT NEWARK	NJ		20,000	
	VINELAND	NJ		20,000	
009	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	16,120	
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	23,880	
010	YORK	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
011	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	200,000	
012	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	200,000	
013	MIAMI	FL		120,000	
014	PENSACOLA	FL		25,600	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		14,400	
015	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000	
016	FORT MYERS	FL		28,800	
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		11,200	
017	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000	
	LAWRENCEVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000	
018	COLUMBUS	GA		20,000	
	MACON	GA		20,000	
019	JACKSON	MS		80,000	
020	BUTNER	NC	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	
021	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	57,600	
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	22,400	
022	SALISBURY	NC		40,000	
023	LEXINGTON	SC		40,000	
024	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
025	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
026	MEMPHIS	TN		40,000	
027	GRANITE CITY	IL		40,000	
028	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	

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029	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
030	HOUSTON	TX		40,000
031	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
032	CLEARFIELD	UT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
033	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,840,000

COMM TYPE : 15 CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP  
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01				
034	EAST HARTFORD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
035	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
036	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
037	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
038	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
039	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	HOLLEY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
040	GUILDERLAND CTR	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
041	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
042	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
043	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	22,500
	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,500
044	LEXINGTON	SC		39,000
045	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	18,525
	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	20,475

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01				
046	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
047	NEWPORT	MN		39,000
048	ST PAUL	MN	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
049	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	SOMERSET	KY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
050	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		39,000
051	MCALESTER	OK		78,000
052	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
053	BISMARCK	ND	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
054	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
055	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
056	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
	NATIONAL CITY	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
057	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
058	BOISE	ID	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
059	FOREST GROVE	OR		39,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				1,209,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM  
PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01				
060	BATESVILLE	AR	TRUCK ONLY	144,000
061	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	144,000
062	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	180,000
063	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	468,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				936,000

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INVITATION : 013  
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG  
PACK SIZE : 90 3 3/4 - 7 LB BULK PACK

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01					
064	MILAN	MO	TRUCK ONLY	72,000	
065	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,404,000	
066	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	<b>*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)</b>
067	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	576,000	
068	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,548,000	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				3,636,000	

COMM TYPE : 42 CHICKEN, CHILLED, THIGHS  
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACK

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01					
069	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				36,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 7,657,000

**\*Note:** No weight variation will be allowed for purchase units under this item number. Any purchase unit weighing less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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Contracting Officer

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