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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 11, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-264

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl 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, Dec. 16. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 20. Deliveries are to be made from Feb. 1 to Feb. 15, 2003.

This invitation includes some item numbers and the associated quantities that must be produced from light fowl only and are indicated by a double asterisk. Product must be produced under the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated June 2002; however, the diced chicken must be produced from light fowl (4.5 pounds or less) meat.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

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 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. **Note that some item numbers and the associated quantities for frozen cooked diced chicken have been set-aside for small business concerns and are indicated by a single asterisk.** Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-264, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated June 2002, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 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 of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-264, 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 : PY264
INVITATION : 011
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	

DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/03 - 02/15/03					
001	BROCKTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
002	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
003	NATICK	MA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
004	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
005	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
006	PORT NEWARK	NJ		40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
007	VINELAND	NJ		40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
008	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
009	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
010	ASHLAND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
011	DANVILLE	VA	TRUCK ONLY	22,400	
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	17,600	
012	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
013	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	16,800	
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	23,200	
014	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	
	NEWPORT NEWS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	
015	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		120,000	*SET ASIDE
016	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY

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017	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
018	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	28,000	
	COLUMBUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	12,000	
019	BATESVILLE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	24,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	16,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
020	JACKSON	MS		40,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
021	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	21,400	
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	18,600	
022	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
023	GRANITE CITY	IL		40,000	*SET ASIDE
024	EAU CLAIRE	WI		60,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
	MADISON	WI		60,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
025	EAU CLAIRE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
026	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
027	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		40,000	
028	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	8,000	
	SAN ANGELO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	12,000	
	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
029	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX		80,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
030	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
031	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	**LIGHT FOWL ONLY
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				1,480,000	
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 Contracting Officer

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