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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 11, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-267

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, Oct. 27. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 31. Deliveries are to be made from Dec. 1 to Dec. 15.

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. 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-267; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specifications for Chicken Parts, Batter/Breaded Chicken Parts, and Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003; 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-267, 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.

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 neck and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003. 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 pounds (over 1.70 kg), without neck and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY267
INVITATION : 011
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)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/03 - 12/15/03

001	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
002	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	- KOSHER ONLY
003	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
004	ALEXANDER CITY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
005	BIRMINGHAM	AL		40,000	
006	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	
007	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	16,000	
	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000	
008	BATON ROUGE	LA		40,000	
009	GRAMBLING	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
010	HARAHAN	LA		40,000	
011	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
012	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
013	FRESNO	CA		40,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 560,000

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

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/03 - 12/15/03

014	YANTIC	CT		39,000	
015	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	39,000	

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016	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
017	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
018	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
019	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
020	BALTIMORE	MD	TRUCK ONLY	24,540
	JESSUP	MD	TRUCK ONLY	14,460
021	BALTIMORE	MD		14,700
	ROCKVILLE	MD		24,300
022	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	12,750
	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	26,250
023	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	25,200
	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	13,800
024	GRANITE CITY	IL		78,000
025	NEWPORT	MN		39,000
026	ST PAUL	MN	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
027	MCALESTER	OK		78,000
028	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
029	CONCORDIA	KS	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
030	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
031	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
032	CLEARFIELD	UT	TRUCK ONLY	26,340
	SANDY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	12,660
033	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
034	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
035	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	FRESNO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
036	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	156,000
037	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/03 - 12/15/03

038	PICO RIVERA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
039	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	117,000
040	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
041	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
042	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	19,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,404,000

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

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/03 - 12/15/03

043	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
044	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	288,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 324,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY267
INVITATION : 011
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY
NO CITY ST RESTR (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/03 - 12/15/03

045	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	2,016,000	
046	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	504,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
047	ROGERS	AR	TRUCK ONLY	252,000	
048	MT PLEASANT	TX	TRUCK ONLY	72,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
049	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	108,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
050	GAINESVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	396,000	
051	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
052	FRESNO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
053	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,512,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)

***NOTE:** No tolerance will be allowed for purchase units under these item numbers. Purchase units weighing less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 4,932,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 7,220,000

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Contracting Officer

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