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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 7, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-245

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey 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, Tuesday, Sept. 4 (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Sept. 7. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 16 to Oct. 31.

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-245, the Commodity Specifications dated April 1999, as amended, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 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>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-245, 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.

Consumer Pack (233260) - Consumer packaged, frozen young turkeys without necks and giblets, basting optional. Turkeys must weigh not less than 12 pounds (5.44 kg) and not more than 22 pounds (9.98 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. Turkeys must be packed with not more than four turkeys weighing up to 14 pounds (6.35 kg) per container or not more than two turkeys weighing over 14 pounds (6.35 kg) per container. The difference between individual carcass weights per container must be no more than 2 pounds (0.91 kg). The 2-pound (0.91 kg) increments must be: 12-14, 14-16, 16-18, 18-20, or 20-22 pounds. (Metric equivalency of increments: 5.44-6.35, 6.35-7.26, 7.26-8.16, 8.16-9.07, and 9.07-9.98 kg.) A purchase unit will total 38,000 pounds (17,237 kg). A purchase or delivery unit may consist of shipping containers which cover two consecutive weight ranges only.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY245
INVITATION : 007
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 32 TURKEY, WHOLE, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 60 30-60 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/01 - 10/31/01

001	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS	38,000
002	PORT NEWARK	NJ		19,000
	VINELAND	NJ		19,000
003	VINELAND	NJ		38,000
004	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
005	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	20,520
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	17,480
006	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
007	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
008	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	12,000
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	26,000
009	ATLANTA	GA		38,000
010	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	20,840
	OWENSBORO	KY	TRUCK ONLY	17,160
011	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
012	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
013	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		38,000
014	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
015	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,000
	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 570,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY245
INVITATION : 007
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/01 - 10/31/01					
016	WILLIAMSTOWN	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	72,000	
017	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	252,000	
018	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
019	WAEELDER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
020	RAEFORD	NC	TRUCK ONLY	288,000	
021	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				720,000	

***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.

COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/01 - 10/31/01					
022	YANTIC	CT		40,000	
023	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
024	BINGHAMTON	NY		40,000	
025	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
026	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	10,000	
	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	30,000	
027	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
028	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
029	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	

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030	GRANITE CITY	IL		40,000
031	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		40,000
032	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
033	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
034	CORPUS CHRISTI	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
035	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
036	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
037	LUBBOCK	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
038	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
039	TYLER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				800,000

COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ
PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/01 - 10/31/01				
040	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
041	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
042	WILMINGTON	MA		40,000
043	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
044	BATESVILLE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
045	JACKSON	MS		80,000
046	MAGEE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
047	LEXINGTON	SC		40,000
048	GRANITE CITY	IL		80,000
049	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
050	EAU CLAIRE	WI		40,000

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051	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
052	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
053	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX		40,000
054	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
055	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
056	GARDENA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,800
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,200

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 800,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 2,890,000

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Contracting Officer

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