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TREASURY SECURITY AUCTION RESULTS BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC DEBT - WASHINGTON DC

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RESULTS OF TREASURY'S AUCTION OF 26-WEEK BILLS

Term: 182-Day Bill
Issue Date: March 18, 1999
Maturity Date: September 16, 1999

CUSIP Number: 912795CB5

High Rate: 4.530% Investment Rate 1/: 4.713% Price: 97.710

All noncompetitive and successful competitive bidders were awarded securities at the high rate. Tenders at the high discount rate were allotted 92%. All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

AMOUNTS TENDERED AND ACCEPTED (in thousands)

Tender Type	Type Tendered		Accepted	
Competitive Noncompetitive	\$	21,938,553 1,116,591	\$	4,172,622 1,116,591
PUBLIC SUBTOTAL		23,055,144		5,289,213 2/
Foreign Official Refunded		2,229,340		2,229,340
SUBTOTAL		25,284,484		7,518,553
Federal Reserve Foreign Official Add-On		3,265,000 320,660		3,265,000 320,660
TOTAL	\$	28,870,144	\$	11,104,213

Median rate 4.530%: 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate. Low rate 4.500%: 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

Bid-to-Cover Ratio = 23,055,144 / 5,289,213 = 4.36

- 1/ Equivalent coupon-issue yield.
- 2/ Awards to TREASURY DIRECT = \$778,743,000

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