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TREASURY TO AUCTION CASH MANAGEMENT BILLS

The Treasury will auction approximately \$20,000 million of 19-day Treasury cash management bills to be issued March 31, 1999.

Competitive and noncompetitive tenders will be received at all Federal Reserve Banks and Branches. Tenders will <u>not</u> be accepted for bills to be maintained on the book-entry records of the Department of the Treasury (*TreasuryDirect*). Tenders will <u>not</u> be received at the Bureau of the Public Debt, Washington, D.C.

Additional amounts of the bills may be issued to Federal Reserve Banks as agents for foreign and international monetary authorities at the highest discount rate of accepted competitive tenders.

The auction being announced today will be conducted in the single-price auction format. All competitive and noncompetitive awards will be at the highest discount rate of accepted competitive tenders.

This offering of Treasury securities is governed by the terms and conditions set forth in the Uniform Offering Circular for the Sale and Issue of Marketable Book-Entry Treasury Bills, Notes, and Bonds (31 CFR Part 356, as amended).

NOTE: Competitive bids in cash management bill auctions must be expressed as a discount rate with two decimals, e.g., 7.10%.

Details about the new security are given in the attached offering highlights.

The Treasury expects to announce another short-term cash management bill on March 31, 1999.

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Attachment

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HIGHLIGHTS OF TREASURY OFFERING OF 19-DAY CASH MANAGEMENT BILL

March 25, 1999

Offering Amount .....\$20,000 million

Description of Offering:

Term and type of security	.19-day Cash Management Bill
CUSIP number	.912795 EP 2
Auction date	.March 30, 1999
Issue date	.March 31, 1999
Maturity date	.April 19, 1999
Original issue date	.March 31, 1999
Minimum bid amount and multiples	.\$1,000

Submission of Bids:

Noncompetitive bids	Accepted in full up to \$1,000,000 at the highest accepted discount rate.
Competitive bids(1)	Must be expressed as a discount rate with
-	two decimals, e.g., 7.10%.
(2)	Net long position for each bidder must
	be reported when the sum of the total bid
	amount, at all discount rates, and the
	net long position is \$1 billion or
	greater.
(3)	Net long position must be determined as
	of one half-hour prior to the closing
	time for receipt of competitive tenders.
Maximum Recognized Bid	
at a Single Yield	35% of public offering
Maximum Award	35% of public offering
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Receipt of Tenders:	Duion to 11.00 o m. Fostown Stondard time
Noncompetitive tenders	Prior to 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard time
	on auction day
Competitive tenders	Prior to 11:30 a.m. Eastern Standard time
	on auction day
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	Reserve Bank on issue date, or payment of
	full par amount with tender.
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