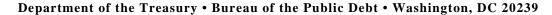
PUBLIC DEBT NEWS





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 30, 2006
Maturity Date: September 28, 2006

CUSIP Number: 912795XX4

High Rate: 4.600% Investment Rate 1/: 4.775% Price: 97.674444

All noncompetitive and successful competitive bidders were awarded securities at the high rate. Tenders at the high discount rate were allotted 69.37%. All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

AMOUNTS TENDERED AND ACCEPTED (in thousands)

Tender Type	Tendered		Accepted	
Competitive Noncompetitive FIMA (noncompetitive)	\$	27,863,963 1,501,503 652,500	\$	12,846,040 1,501,503 652,500
SUBTOTAL		30,017,966		15,000,043 2/
Federal Reserve		5,761,747		5,761,747
TOTAL	\$	35,779,713	\$	20,761,790

Median rate 4.585%: 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate. Low rate 4.570%: 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

Bid-to-Cover Ratio = 30,017,966 / 15,000,043 = 2.00

- 1/ Equivalent coupon-issue yield.
- 2/ Awards to TREASURY DIRECT = \$908,643,000