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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: September 05, 2002 Maturity Date: March 06, 2003

CUSIP Number: 912795MB4

High Rate: 1.580% Investment Rate 1/: 1.615% Price: 99.201

All noncompetitive and successful competitive bidders were awarded securities at the high rate. Tenders at the high discount rate were allotted 68.66%. All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

AMOUNTS TENDERED AND ACCEPTED (in thousands)

Tender Type	Tendered		Accepted		
Competitive	\$	31,852,625	\$	12,956,135	
Noncompetitive		1,018,887		1,018,887	
FIMA (noncompetitive)		25,000		25,000	
SUBTOTAL		32,896,512		14,000,022 2/	
Federal Reserve		5,468,835		5,468,835	
TOTAL	\$	38,365,347	\$	19,468,857	

Median rate 1.570%: 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate. Low rate 1.545%: 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

Bid-to-Cover Ratio = 32,896,512 / 14,000,022 = 2.35

- 1/ Equivalent coupon-issue yield.
- 2/ Awards to TREASURY DIRECT = \$742,100,000

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