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TREASURY OFFERS 10-YEAR INFLATION-INDEXED NOTES

The Treasury will auction \$9,000 million of 10-year inflation-indexed notes to refund the outstanding adjusted amount of \$17,870 million of publicly held notes maturing July 15, 2002, and to pay down about \$8,870 million.

In addition to the public holdings, Federal Reserve Banks hold the outstanding adjusted amount of \$1,010 million of the maturing notes for their own accounts, which may be refunded by issuing an additional amount of the new security.

Up to \$1,000 million in noncompetitive bids from Foreign and International Monetary Authority (FIMA) accounts bidding through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York will be included within the offering amount of the auction. These noncompetitive bids will have a limit of \$100 million per account and will be accepted in the order of smallest to largest, up to the aggregate award limit of \$1,000 million.

The auction will be conducted in the single-price auction format. All competitive and noncompetitive awards will be at the highest yield of accepted competitive tenders. The allocation percentage applied to bids awarded at the highest yield will be rounded up to the next hundredth of a whole percentage point, e.g., 17.13%.

The notes being offered today are eligible for the STRIPS program.

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).

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

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Attachment

HIGHLIGHTS OF TREASURY OFFERING TO THE PUBLIC OF 10-YEAR INFLATION-INDEXED NOTES TO BE ISSUED JULY 15, 2002

July 8, 2002

Public Offering
Term and type of security
Series
CUSIP number
Auction dateJuly 10, 2002
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Issue dateJuly 15, 2002
Dated dateJuly 15, 2002
Maturity date
Interest rate Determined based on the highest
accepted competitive bid
Real yield at auction
Interest payment datesJanuary 15 and July 15
Minimum bid amount and multiples\$1,000
Accrued interest
Premium or discount Determined at auction
STRIPS Information:
Minimum amount required\$1,000
Corpus CUSIP number912820 HC 4
Due date(s) and CUSIP number(s)
for additional TIIN(s)July 15, 2012 912833 YW 4
Submission of Bids:
Noncompetitive bids: Accepted in full up to \$5 million at the highest accepted yield.
Foreign and International Monetary Authority (FIMA) bids: Noncompetitive bids
submitted through the Federal Reserve Banks as agents for FIMA accounts.
Accepted in order of size from smallest to largest with no more than \$100

limit to be exceeded, each will be prorated to avoid exceeding the limit. Competitive bids:

- (1) Must be expressed as a real yield with three decimals, e.g., 3.123%.
- (2) Net long position for each bidder must be reported when the sum of the total bid amount, at all yields, and the net long position is \$2 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.

million awarded per account. The total noncompetitive amount awarded to Federal Reserve Banks as agents for FIMA accounts will not exceed \$1,000 million. A single bid that would cause the limit to be exceeded will be partially accepted in the amount that brings the aggregate award total to the \$1,000 million limit. However, if there are two or more bids of equal amounts that would cause the

Maximum	Recognized	Bid	at	a	Single	Yield	 	 . 35%	of	public	offering
Maximum	Award						 	 . 35%	of	public	offering

Receipt of Tenders:

Noncompetitive tenders: Prior to 12:00 noon eastern daylight saving time on auction day. Competitive tenders: Prior to 1:00 p.m. eastern daylight saving time on auction day.

<u>Payment Terms</u>: By charge to a funds account at a Federal Reserve Bank on issue date, or payment of full par amount with tender. *TreasuryDirect* customers can use the Pay Direct feature which authorizes a charge to their account of record at their financial institution on issue date.

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