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## TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security	247-Day Bill
CUSIP Number	912795U25
High Rate <sup>1</sup>	1.350%
Allotted at High	43.37%
Price	99.073750
Investment Rate <sup>2</sup>	1.379%
Median Rate <sup>3</sup>	1.200%
Low Rate <sup>4</sup>	1.080%
Issue Date	October 20, 2008
Maturity Date	June 24, 2009

	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$69,538,750,000	\$34,997,785,000
Noncompetitive	\$2,495,000	\$2,495,000
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$0	\$0
Subtotal <sup>5</sup>	\$69,541,245,000	\$35,000,280,0006
SOMA	\$0	\$0
Total	\$69,541,245,000	\$35,000,280,000
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer <sup>7</sup>	\$57,635,000,000	\$25,159,305,000
Direct Bidder <sup>8</sup>	\$1,720,000,000	\$795,000,000
Indirect Bidder <sup>9</sup>	\$10,183,750,000	\$9,043,480,000
Total Competitive	\$69,538,750,000	\$34,997,785,000

All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$69,541,245,000/\$35,000,280,000 = 1.99

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$0.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.