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## TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security CUSIP Number		91-Day Bill 912795H79
High Rate <sup>1</sup>		1.850%
Allotted at High		44.40%
Price		99.532361
Investment Rate <sup>2</sup>		1.885%
Median Rate <sup>3</sup>		1.810%
Low Rate <sup>4</sup>		1.750%
Issue Date		August 21, 2008
Maturity Date		November 20, 2008
	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$73,595,636,000	\$26,186,196,000
Noncompetitive	\$1,747,327,900	\$1,747,327,900
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$66,500,000	\$66,500,000
Subtotal <sup>5</sup>	\$75,409,463,900	\$28,000,023,900
SOMA	\$0	\$0
Total	\$75,409,463,900	\$28,000,023,900
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer <sup>7</sup>	\$59,350,000,000	\$16,585,000,000
Direct Bidder <sup>8</sup>	\$455,000,000	\$255,000,000
Indirect Bidder <sup>9</sup>	\$13,790,636,000	\$9,346,196,000
Total Competitive	\$73,595,636,000	\$26,186,196,000

<sup>1</sup> All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

<sup>2</sup> Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

- <sup>3</sup> 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.
- <sup>4</sup> 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.
- <sup>5</sup> Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$75,409,463,900/\$28,000,023,900 = 2.69

- <sup>6</sup> Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$1,260,797,200.
- <sup>7</sup> Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts. <sup>8</sup> Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.
- <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.