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TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security CUSIP Number		91-Day Bill 912795K83
COSIF Nulliber		912/93K83
High Rate ¹		0.050%
Allotted at High		51.47%
Price		99.987361
Investment Rate ²		0.051%
Median Rate ³		0.005%
Low Rate ⁴		0.000%
Issue Date		December 18, 2008
Maturity Date		March 19, 2009
	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$74,252,000,000	\$25,691,647,800
Noncompetitive	\$1,308,361,700	\$1,308,361,700
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$0	\$0
Subtotal⁵	\$75,560,361,700	\$27,000,009,500
SOMA	\$0	\$0
Total	\$75,560,361,700	\$27,000,009,500
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer ⁷	\$61,917,000,000	\$17,104,330,000
Direct Bidder ⁸	\$300,000,000	\$116,029,000
Indirect Bidder ⁹	\$12,035,000,000	\$8,471,288,800
Total Competitive	\$74,252,000,000	\$25,691,647,800

¹ All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

² Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

- ³ 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.
- ⁴ 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.
- ⁵ Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$75,560,361,700/\$27,000,009,500 = 2.80

- ⁶ Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$1,037,577,700.
- ⁷ Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts. ⁸ Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.
- ⁹ Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.