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TREASURY OFFERING ANNOUNCEMENT¹

182-Day Bill Term and Type of Security 26-Week Bill Security Description \$27,000,000,000 Offering Amount **Currently Outstanding** \$0 **CUSIP** Number 912795L82 November 10, 2008 **Auction Date** Original Issue Date November 13, 2008 Issue Date November 13, 2008 Maturity Date May 14, 2009 \$9,450,000,000 Maximum Award Maximum Recognized Bid at a Single Rate \$9,450,000,000 **NLP Reporting Threshold** \$9,450,000,000 **NLP Exclusion Amount** Scheduled Purchases in Treasury Direct \$813,000,000 Minimum Bid Amount and Multiples \$100 0.005% Competitive Bid Rate Increments² \$5,000,000 Maximum Noncompetitive Award Eligible for Holding in Treasury Direct Yes Eligible for Holding in Legacy Treasury Direct Yes \$126,001,000,000 Estimated Amount of Maturing Bills Held by the Public Maturing Date November 13, 2008 **SOMA Holdings Maturing** \$2,418,000,000 SOMA Amounts Included in Offering Amount No Yes FIMA Amounts Included in Offering Amount³

Noncompetitive Closing Time 10:00 a.m. ET Competitive Closing Time 10:30 a.m. ET

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), and this offering announcement.

²Must be expressed as a discount rate with three decimals in increments of 0.005%, e.g., 7.100%, 7.105%.

³FIMA up to \$1,000 million in noncompetitive bids from Foreign and International Monetary Authority not to exceed \$100 million per account.