

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

[Circular No. 4706]
February 17, 1959]

OFFERING OF TWO SERIES OF TREASURY BILLS

\$1,400,000,000 of 91-Day Bills, Dated February 26, 1959, Maturing May 28, 1959

\$400,000,000 of 182-Day Bills, Dated February 26, 1959, Maturing August 27, 1959

*To all Incorporated Banks and Trust Companies, and Others
Concerned, in the Second Federal Reserve District:*

Following is the text of a notice issued by the Treasury Department, released for publication in morning newspapers, Tuesday, February 17, 1959:

The Treasury Department, by this public notice, invites tenders for two series of Treasury bills to the aggregate amount of \$1,800,000,000, or thereabouts, for cash and in exchange for Treasury bills maturing February 26, 1959, in the amount of \$1,802,782,000, as follows:

91-day bills, for \$1,400,000,000, or thereabouts, to be dated February 26, 1959, and to mature May 28, 1959.

182-day bills, for \$400,000,000, or thereabouts, to be dated February 26, 1959, and to mature August 27, 1959.

The bills of both series will be issued on a discount basis under competitive and noncompetitive bidding as hereinafter provided, and at maturity their face amount will be payable without interest. They will be issued in bearer form only, and in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000, \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 (maturity value).

Tenders will be received at Federal Reserve Banks and Branches up to the closing hour, one-thirty o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard time, Friday, February 20, 1959. Tenders will not be received at the Treasury Department, Washington. Each tender must be for an even multiple of \$1,000, and in the case of competitive tenders the price offered must be expressed on the basis of 100, with not more than three decimals, e.g., 99.925. Fractions may not be used. It is urged that tenders be made on the printed forms and forwarded in the special envelopes which will be supplied by Federal Reserve Banks or Branches on application therefor.

Others than banking institutions will not be permitted to submit tenders except for their own account. Tenders will be received without deposit from incorporated banks and trust companies and from responsible and recognized dealers in investment securities. Tenders from others must be accompanied by payment of 2 percent of the face amount of Treasury bills applied for, unless the tenders are accompanied by an express guaranty of payment by an incorporated bank or trust company.

Immediately after the closing hour, tenders will be opened at the Federal Reserve Banks and Branches, following which public announcement will be made by the Treasury Department of the amount and price range of accepted bids. Those submitting tenders will be advised of the acceptance or rejection thereof.

This Bank will receive tenders for both series up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, Friday, February 20, 1959, at the Securities Department of its Head Office and at its Buffalo Branch. Tender forms for the respective series are enclosed. Please use the appropriate forms to submit tenders and return them in an envelope marked "Tender for Treasury Bills." Tenders may be submitted by telegraph, subject to written confirmation; they may not be submitted by telephone. *Payment for the Treasury bills cannot be made by credit through the Treasury Tax and Loan Account. Settlement must be made in cash or other immediately available funds or in maturing Treasury bills.*

This circular was printed before the results of the bidding for Treasury bills dated February 19, 1959 were available; those results will be announced after release by the Treasury Department.

ALFRED HAYES,
President.

Closing date for receipt of tenders is Friday, February 20.