

# FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

[ Circular No. 4717 ]  
March 23, 1959

## Offering of \$2,000,000,000 of Special 289-Day Treasury Bills

Dated April 1, 1959

Maturing January 15, 1960

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

Following is the text of a notice published today:

RELEASE, A. M. NEWSPAPERS,  
Monday, March 23, 1959.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT  
Washington

The Treasury Department, by this public notice, invites tenders for \$2,000,000,000, or thereabouts, of 289-day Treasury bills, to be issued on a discount basis under competitive and noncompetitive bidding as hereinafter provided. The bills of this series will be dated April 1, 1959, and will mature January 15, 1960, when the 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, Thursday, March 26, 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.

All bidders are required to agree not to purchase or to sell, or to make any agreements with respect to the purchase or sale or other disposition of any bills of this issue, until after one-thirty o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, March 26, 1959.

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. The Secretary of the Treasury expressly reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders, in whole or in part, and his action in any such respect shall be final. Subject to these reservations, noncompetitive tenders for \$400,000 or less without stated price from any one bidder will be accepted in full at the average price (in three decimals) of accepted competitive bids. Payment of accepted tenders at the prices offered must be made or completed at the Federal Reserve Bank in cash or other immediately available funds on April 1, 1959, provided, however, any qualified depository will be permitted to make payment by credit in its Treasury Tax and Loan Account for Treasury bills allotted to it for itself and its customers up to any amount for which it shall be qualified in excess of existing deposits when so notified by the Federal Reserve Bank of its district.

The income derived from Treasury bills, whether interest or gain from the sale or other disposition of the bills, does not have any exemption, as such, and loss from the sale or other disposition of Treasury bills does not have any special treatment, as such, under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. The bills are subject to estate, inheritance, gift or other excise taxes, whether Federal or State, but are exempt from all taxation now or hereafter imposed on the principal or interest thereof by any State, or any of the possessions of the United States, or by any local taxing authority. For purposes of taxation the amount of discount at which Treasury bills are originally sold by the United States is considered to be interest. Under Sections 454(b) and 1221(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 the amount of discount at which bills issued hereunder are sold is not considered to accrue until such bills are sold, redeemed or otherwise disposed of, and such bills are excluded from consideration as capital assets. Accordingly, the owner of Treasury bills (other than life insurance companies) issued hereunder need include in his income tax return only the difference between the price paid for such bills, whether on original issue or on subsequent purchase, and the amount actually received either upon sale or redemption at maturity during the taxable year for which the return is made, as ordinary gain or loss.

Treasury Department Circular No. 418, Revised, and this notice, prescribe the terms of the Treasury bills and govern the conditions of their issue. Copies of the circular may be obtained from any Federal Reserve Bank or Branch.

This Bank will receive tenders up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, March 26, 1959, at the Securities Department of its Head Office and at its Buffalo Branch. Please use the form on the reverse side of this circular to submit a tender, and return it in an envelope marked "Tender for Special Treasury Bills." Tenders may be submitted by telegraph, subject to written confirmation; they may not be submitted by telephone. *Settlement for accepted tenders must be made in cash or other immediately available funds, except that any qualified depository may make payment by credit in its Treasury Tax and Loan Account for Treasury bills allotted to it for itself and its customers, up to any amount for which it shall be qualified in excess of existing deposits.*

ALFRED HAYES,  
President.

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TENDER FOR SPECIAL 289-DAY TREASURY BILLS

Dated April 1, 1959

Maturing January 15, 1960

To FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK,
Fiscal Agent of the United States.

Dated at ....., 1959

Pursuant to the provisions of Treasury Department Circular No. 418, Revised, and to the provisions of the public notice issued by the Treasury Department and printed on the reverse side of this tender, the undersigned hereby offers to purchase the above described Treasury bills in the amount indicated below, and agrees to make payment therefor at your Bank on or before the issue date at the price indicated below:

COMPETITIVE TENDER

Do not fill in both Competitive and Noncompetitive tenders on one form

NONCOMPETITIVE TENDER

\$. (maturity value), or any lesser amount that may be awarded.

\$. (maturity value). (Not to exceed \$400,000 for one bidder through all sources)

Price: per 100.

At the average price of accepted competitive bids.

(Price must be expressed with not more than three decimal places, for example, 99.925)

Subject to allotment, please issue, deliver, and accept payment for the bills as indicated below:

Table with columns: Pieces, Denomination, Maturity value, Delivery instructions (checkboxes 1-5), and Payment method (checkboxes). Includes a 'Totals' row and a note: '(No changes in delivery instructions will be accepted)'

The undersigned (if a bank or trust company) hereby certifies that the Treasury bills which you are hereby instructed to dispose of in the manner indicated in item 3 or 4 above are owned solely by the undersigned.

We hereby agree not to buy or to sell, or to make any agreements with respect to the purchase or sale or other disposition of any bills of this issue, until after one-thirty o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, March 26, 1959.

Insert this tender in special envelope marked "Tender for Special Treasury Bills"

Name of subscriber (Please print)
By (Official signature(s) required)
Title
Address

(Banks submitting tenders for customer account must indicate name on line below, or attach a list)

(Name of customer) (Address)

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. No tender for less than \$1,000 will be considered, and each tender must be for an even multiple of \$1,000 (maturity value).
2. Others than banking institutions will not be permitted to submit tenders except for their own account. Banks submitting tenders for customer account may consolidate competitive tenders at the same price and may consolidate noncompetitive tenders, provided a list is attached showing the name of each bidder, the amount bid for his account, and method of payment. Forms for this purpose will be furnished on request.
3. If the person making the tender is a corporation, the tender should be signed by an officer of the corporation authorized to make the tender, and the signing of the tender by an officer of the corporation will be construed as a representation by him that he has been so authorized. If the tender is made by a partnership, it should be signed by a member of the firm, who should sign in the form "... a copartnership, by ... a member of the firm."
4. 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.
5. If the language of this tender is changed in any respect, which, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury, is material, the tender may be disregarded.