

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

[Circular No. 6171]
May 22, 1968

OFFERING OF TWO SERIES OF TREASURY BILLS

\$1,600,000,000 of 90-Day Bills, Additional Amount, Series Dated Feb. 29, 1968, Due Aug. 29, 1968
(To Be Issued May 31, 1968)

\$1,100,000,000 of 182-Day Bills, Dated May 31, 1968, Due November 29, 1968

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 today at 4 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time:

The Treasury Department, by this public notice, invites tenders for two series of Treasury bills to the aggregate amount of \$2,700,000,000, or thereabouts, for cash and in exchange for Treasury bills maturing May 31, 1968, in the amount of \$4,003,990,000, as follows:

90-day bills (to maturity date) to be issued May 31, 1968, in the amount of \$1,600,000,000, or thereabouts, representing an additional amount of bills dated February 29, 1968, and to mature August 29, 1968, originally issued in the amount of \$1,000,438,000, the additional and original bills to be freely interchangeable.

182-day bills, for \$1,100,000,000, or thereabouts, to be dated May 31, 1968, and to mature November 29, 1968.

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, \$50,000, \$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 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time, Monday, May 27, 1968. 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.

Banking institutions generally may submit tenders for account of customers, provided the names of the customers are set forth in such tenders. 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

This Bank will receive tenders for both series up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time, Monday, May 27, 1968, 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.*

Results of the last weekly offering of Treasury bills (91-day bills to be issued May 23, 1968, representing an additional amount of bills dated February 23, 1968, maturing August 22, 1968; and 182-day bills dated May 23, 1968, maturing November 21, 1968) are shown on the reverse side of this circular.

ALFRED HAYES,
President.

Please note that the Treasury bills maturing August 29, 1968, will be 90-day bills.

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RESULTS OF LAST WEEKLY OFFERING OF TREASURY BILLS (TWO SERIES)

TO BE ISSUED MAY 23, 1968)

Range of Accepted Competitive Bids

	<i>91-Day Treasury Bills Maturing August 22, 1968</i>		<i>182-Day Treasury Bills Maturing November 21, 1968</i>	
	<i>Price</i>	<i>Approx. equiv. annual rate</i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Approx. equiv. annual rate</i>
High.....	98.534 ^a	5.800%	96.985 ^b	5.964%
Low.....	98.517	5.867%	96.959	6.015%
Average.....	98.522	5.847% ¹	96.969	5.995% ¹

^a Excepting one tender of \$200,000.

^b Excepting one tender of \$538,000.

¹ These rates are on a bank discount basis. The equivalent coupon issue yields are 6.02 percent for the 91-day bills, and 6.27 percent for the 182-day bills.

(48 percent of the amount of 91-day bills bid for at the low price was accepted.)

(9 percent of the amount of 182-day bills bid for at the low price was accepted.)

Total Tenders Applied for and Accepted (By Federal Reserve Districts)

<i>District</i>	<i>91-Day Treasury Bills Maturing August 22, 1968</i>		<i>182-Day Treasury Bills Maturing November 21, 1968</i>	
	<i>Applied for</i>	<i>Accepted</i>	<i>Applied for</i>	<i>Accepted</i>
Boston.....	\$ 26,019,000	\$ 26,019,000	\$ 24,799,000	\$ 3,799,000
New York.....	1,848,448,000	1,157,768,000	1,461,097,000	715,727,000
Philadelphia.....	26,270,000	14,270,000	15,272,000	7,272,000
Cleveland.....	23,838,000	23,838,000	27,554,000	14,554,000
Richmond.....	13,585,000	12,085,000	6,857,000	5,357,000
Atlanta.....	30,962,000	24,442,000	21,293,000	15,243,000
Chicago.....	306,827,000	181,697,000	339,214,000	175,214,000
St. Louis.....	35,617,000	24,517,000	15,347,000	12,147,000
Minneapolis.....	16,180,000	14,180,000	11,889,000	6,889,000
Kansas City.....	19,616,000	18,116,000	12,776,000	11,176,000
Dallas.....	21,875,000	12,875,000	17,275,000	8,275,000
San Francisco.....	156,715,000	90,715,000	196,366,000	124,366,000
TOTAL.....	\$2,525,952,000	\$1,600,522,000^c	\$2,149,739,000	\$1,100,019,000^d

^c Includes \$243,418,000 noncompetitive tenders accepted at the average price of 98.522.

^d Includes \$114,382,000 noncompetitive tenders accepted at the average price of 96.969.