

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

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[October 30, 1970]

Auction of \$2 Billion of 18-Month Treasury Notes

*To All Banking Institutions, and Others Concerned,
in the Second Federal Reserve District:*

The following statements were made public today by the Treasury Department:

TREASURY ANNOUNCES AUCTION OF \$2.0 BILLION OF NEW NOTES

The Treasury announced that preliminary reports indicate that about \$5.3 billion of the \$6.0 billion of November 15 5% notes held by the public will be exchanged for new notes. This leaves about \$0.7 billion, or 12%, to be paid off in cash.

To provide cash to pay off these notes and to raise part of the cash needed for the remainder of the calendar year, the Treasury also announced that it will auction \$2.0 billion of 6¾% 1½ year notes. The notes will be dated November 16, 1970, and will mature on May 15, 1972. They will be auctioned Thursday, November 5.

The Treasury noted that the use of the auction method of sale represents an adaptation of the technique used successfully for many years in marketing Treasury bills. This test of the auction technique as a way of selling Treasury notes is part of a continuing effort of the Treasury to develop more efficient debt management techniques.

The details of the sale are attached. Nonbank investors should note particularly that payment for the notes must be completed in funds available to the Treasury by November 16, 1970, or deposits will be subject to forfeiture.

DETAILS OF TREASURY ANNOUNCEMENT OF AUCTION OF \$2.0 BILLION OF NEW NOTES

The \$2.0 billion, or thereabouts, of 1½-year 6¾% Treasury Notes of Series D-1972 to be sold at auction under competitive and noncompetitive bidding will be issued on November 16, 1970, and mature May 15, 1972.

The notes will be issued in registered and bearer form in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000.

Tenders for the notes will be received up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970, at any Federal Reserve Bank or Branch and at the Office of the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. 20220. Tenders received after the closing hour will not be accepted.

Each tender must be in the amount of \$1,000 or a multiple thereof, and must state the price offered, if it is a competitive tender, or the term "noncompetitive," if it is a noncompetitive tender. The price on competitive tenders must be expressed on the basis of 100, with two decimals, e.g., 100.00. Tenders at a price less than 99.76 will not be accepted. Fractions may not be used. The notation "TENDER FOR TREASURY NOTES" should be printed at the bottom of the envelope in which the tender is submitted.

Public announcement will be made of the amount and price range of accepted tenders. 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 \$200,000 or less will be accepted in full at the average price (in two decimals) of accepted competitive tenders. This price may be 100.00, or more or less than 100.00.

Commercial banks, which for this purpose are defined as banks accepting demand deposits, may submit tenders for account of customers provided the names of the customers are set forth in such tenders. Others than commercial banks will not be permitted to submit tenders except for their own account.

Tenders will be received without deposit from commercial banks for their own account, Federally insured savings and loan associations, States, political subdivisions or instrumentalities thereof, public pension and retirement and other public funds, international organizations in which the United States holds membership, foreign central banks and foreign States, dealers who make primary markets in Government securities and report daily to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York their positions with respect to Government securities and borrowings thereon, and Government accounts. Tenders from others must be accompanied by payment of 5 percent of the face amount of notes applied for.

Payment for accepted tenders must be completed on or before Monday, November 16, 1970, at the Federal Reserve Bank or Branch or at the Office of the Treasurer of the United States in cash, 5% Treasury Notes of Series A-1970 (will be accepted at par), or other funds immediately available to the Treasury by that date. Where full payment is not completed in funds available by the payment date, the allotment will be canceled and the deposit with the tender up to 5 percent of the amount of notes allotted will be subject to forfeiture to the United States.

Nonbank investors should understand that their checks will constitute payment only if they are fully and finally collected by the payment date, Monday, November 16, 1970. Checks not so collected will subject the investor's deposit to forfeiture as set forth in the preceding paragraph. A check payable other than at a Federal Reserve Bank received on the payment date will not constitute immediately available funds on that date. Accordingly, in order that a check will constitute immediately available funds to the Treasury by the payment date, it should be submitted sufficiently in advance to assure completion of its collection by Monday, November 16, 1970. Checks should be drawn to the order of the office to which the tender is submitted. If a check for the full amount of the payment is submitted with the subscription, it should

be, in the case of tenders at a competitive price, equal to the total purchase price of the notes bid for, or, in the case of noncompetitive tenders, equal to the full face amount of the notes bid for. Bidders on a non-competitive basis who submit checks for the face amount of the notes bid for will be (1) required to pay an additional amount if the purchase price is more than 100, or (2) paid the difference if the purchase price is less than 100.

Commercial banks are prohibited from making unsecured loans, or loans collateralized in whole or in part by the notes bid for, to cover the deposits required to be paid when tenders are entered, and they will be required to make the usual certification to that effect. Other lenders are requested to refrain from making such loans.

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 the notes bid for under this offering at a specific rate or price, until after 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970.

Any qualified depository will be permitted to make settlement by credit in its Treasury tax and loan account for not more than 50 percent of the amount of notes allotted to it for itself and its customers.

The terms of this offering are set forth in Treasury Department Circular No. 12-70, Public Debt Series, a copy of which is printed on the following pages. This Bank will receive tenders up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970, at the Securities Department of its Head Office and at its Buffalo Branch. Please use the enclosed tender forms to submit tenders, and return them in the enclosed envelope marked "Tender for Treasury Notes." Tenders not requiring a deposit may be submitted by telegraph, subject to written confirmation; no tenders may be submitted by telephone. Settlement for accepted tenders may be made in cash, 5 percent Treasury Notes of Series A-1970, or other immediately available funds, except that any qualified depository may make settlement by credit in its Treasury Tax and Loan Account for not more than 50 percent of the amount of notes allotted to it for itself and its customers.

ALFRED HAYES,
President

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

6¾ PERCENT TREASURY NOTES OF SERIES D-1972

Dated and bearing interest from November 16, 1970

Due May 15, 1972

DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR
Public Debt Series — No. 12-70

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of the Secretary,
Washington, October 30, 1970

I. OFFERING OF NOTES

1. The Secretary of the Treasury, pursuant to the authority of the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended, invites tenders at a price not less than 99.76 percent of their face value for \$2,000,000,000, or thereabouts, of notes of the United States, designated 6¾ percent Treasury Notes of Series D-1972. Tenders will be received up to one-thirty p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970. The notes will be issued under competitive and noncompetitive bidding, as set forth in Section III hereof. The 5 percent Treasury Notes of Series A-1970 maturing November 15, 1970 will be accepted at par in payment in whole or in part to the extent subscriptions are allotted by the Treasury.

II. DESCRIPTION OF NOTES

1. The notes will be dated November 16, 1970, and will bear interest from that date at the rate of 6¾ percent per annum, payable on a semiannual basis on May 15 and November 15, 1971, and May 15, 1972. They will mature May 15, 1972, and will not be subject to call for redemption prior to maturity.

2. The income derived from the notes is subject to all taxes imposed under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. The notes 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.

3. The notes will be acceptable to secure deposits of public moneys. They will not be acceptable in payment of taxes.

4. Bearer notes with interest coupons attached, and notes registered as to principal and interest, will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Provision will be made for the interchange of notes of different denominations and of coupon and registered notes, and for the transfer of registered notes, under rules and regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

5. The notes will be subject to the general regulations of the Treasury Department, now or hereafter prescribed, governing United States notes.

III. TENDERS AND ALLOTMENTS

1. Tenders will be received at Federal Reserve Banks and Branches and at the Office of the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. 20220, up to the closing hour, one-thirty p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970. Each tender must

state the face amount of notes bid for, which must be \$1,000 or a multiple thereof, and the price offered, except that in the case of noncompetitive tenders the term "noncompetitive" should be used in lieu of a price. In the case of competitive tenders, the price must be expressed on the basis of 100, with two decimals, e.g., 100.00. Tenders at a price less than 99.76 will not be accepted. Fractions may not be used. Noncompetitive tenders from any one bidder may not exceed \$200,000. It is urged that tenders be made on the printed forms and forwarded in the special envelopes marked "Tender for Treasury Notes," which will be supplied by Federal Reserve Banks on application therefor.

2. Commercial banks, which for this purpose are defined as banks accepting demand deposits, may submit tenders for account of customers provided the names of the customers are set forth in such tenders. Others than commercial banks will not be permitted to submit tenders except for their own account. Tenders will be received without deposit from banking institutions for their own account, Federally insured savings and loan associations, States, political subdivisions or instrumentalities thereof, public pension and retirement and other public funds, international organizations in which the United States holds membership, foreign central banks and foreign States, dealers who make primary markets in Government securities and report daily to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York their positions with respect to Government securities and borrowings thereon, and Government accounts. Tenders from others must be accompanied by payment (in cash or 5 percent Treasury Notes of Series A-1970, which will be accepted at par) of 5 percent of the face amount of notes applied for.

3. Immediately after the closing hour tenders will be opened, 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. In considering the acceptance of tenders, the highest prices offered will be accepted in full down to the amount required, and if the same price appears in two or more tenders, and it is necessary to accept only a part of the amount offered at such price, the amount accepted at such price will be prorated in accordance with the respective amounts applied for. 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 \$200,000 or less without stated price from any one bidder will be accepted

in full at the average price* (in two decimals) of accepted competitive tenders.

4. 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 notes of this issue at a specific rate or price, until after one-thirty p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970.

5. Commercial banks in submitting tenders will be required to certify that they have no beneficial interest in any of the tenders they enter for the account of their customers, and that their customers have no beneficial interest in the banks' tenders for their own account.

IV. PAYMENT

1. Settlement for accepted tenders in accordance with the bids must be made or completed on or before November 16, 1970, at the Federal Reserve Bank or Branch or at the Office of the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. 20220, in cash, 5 percent Treasury Notes of Series A-1970 (interest coupons dated November 15, 1970 should be detached) or other funds immediately available by that date. Payment will not be deemed to have been completed where registered notes are requested if the appropriate identifying number as required on tax returns and other documents submitted to the Internal Revenue Service (an individual's social security number or an employer identification number) is not furnished. In every case where full payment is not completed, the payment with the tender up to 5 percent of the amount of notes allotted shall, upon declaration made by the Secretary of the Treasury in his discretion, be forfeited to the United States. Any qualified depository will be permitted to make settlement by credit in its Treasury Tax and Loan Account for not more than 50 percent of notes allotted to it for itself and its customers. When payment is made with notes of Series A-1970 a cash adjustment will be made to or required of the bidder for any difference between the face amount of notes submitted and the amount payable on the notes allotted.

* Average price may be at, or more or less than 100.00.

V. ASSIGNMENT OF REGISTERED NOTES

1. Registered notes tendered as deposits and in payment for notes allotted hereunder should be assigned by the registered payees or assignees thereof, in accordance with the general regulations of the Treasury Department, in one of the forms hereafter set forth. Notes tendered in payment should be surrendered to a Federal Reserve Bank or Branch or to the Office of the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. 20220. The maturing notes must be delivered at the expense and risk of the holder. If the new notes are desired registered in the same name as the notes surrendered, the assignment should be to "The Secretary of the Treasury for 6¾ percent Treasury Notes of Series D-1972"; if the new notes are desired registered in another name, the assignment should be to "The Secretary of the Treasury for 6¾ percent Treasury Notes of Series D-1972 in the name of"; if new notes in coupon form are desired, the assignment should be to "The Secretary of the Treasury for 6¾ percent Treasury Notes of Series D-1972 in coupon form to be delivered to"

VI. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. As fiscal agents of the United States, Federal Reserve Banks are authorized and requested to receive tenders, to make such allotments as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, to issue such notices as may be necessary, to receive payment for and make delivery of notes on full-paid tenders allotted, and they may issue interim receipts pending delivery of the definitive notes.

2. The Secretary of the Treasury may at any time, or from time to time, prescribe supplemental or amendatory rules and regulations governing the offering, which will be communicated promptly to the Federal Reserve Banks.

CHARLES E. WALKER,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

IMPORTANT — Closing time for receipt of this tender is 1:30 p.m., Thursday, November 5, 1970.

TENDER FOR 6¾ PERCENT TREASURY NOTES OF SERIES D-1972

Dated November 16, 1970

Due May 15, 1972

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

Dated at
....., 19....

Pursuant to the provisions of Treasury Department Circular No. 12-70, Public Debt Series, dated October 30, 1970, the undersigned hereby subscribes for United States of America 6¾ percent Treasury Notes of Series D-1972, as follows:

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.

Price: per 100 (minimum of 99.76).
(Price must be expressed with not more than two decimal places, for example, 100.00)

\$..... (maturity value),
(Not to exceed \$200,000 for one bidder through all sources)

at the average price of accepted competitive bids.

We hereby agree not to buy or sell, or to make any agreements with respect to the purchase or sale or other disposition of any notes of this issue at a specific rate or price, until after one-thirty p.m., Eastern Standard time, Thursday, November 5, 1970.

Certifications by Commercial Banks

We hereby certify that we have received tenders from our customers in the amounts set opposite the customers' names on the list which is made a part of this tender; that there has been paid to us by each such customer as required by the official offering circular, not subject to withdrawal until after allotment, not less than 5 percent of the amount bid for; that we have not made unsecured loans, or loans collateralized in whole or in part by the notes bid for, to supply the amounts of such payments to any of such customers; that we have no beneficial interest in the tenders of such customers; and that none of our customers has any beneficial interest in the amount bid for our own account.

We further certify that tenders received by us, if any, from other commercial banks for their own account and for the account of their customers have been entered with us under the same conditions, agreements and certifications as set forth in this form.

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

Pieces	Denomination	Maturity value		Payment will be made as follows:
	\$ 1,000		<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Deliver over the counter to the undersigned	<input type="checkbox"/> By check herewith
	5,000		<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Ship to the undersigned	<input type="checkbox"/> By cash or check in <i>immediately available funds</i> on delivery
	10,000		<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Hold in safekeeping (for account of member bank only)*	<input type="checkbox"/> By charge to our reserve account
	100,000		<input type="checkbox"/> 4. Hold as collateral for Treasury Tax and Loan Account*	<input type="checkbox"/> By credit in Treasury Tax and Loan Account (not more than 50% of purchase price, rounded to next higher \$1,000)
	1,000,000		<input type="checkbox"/> 5. Special instructions:	
	Totals		(No changes in delivery instructions will be accepted)	

* The undersigned certifies that the allotted notes will be owned solely by the undersigned.

Insert this tender in special envelope marked "Tender for Treasury Notes"

.....
(Name of subscriber—please print or type)

.....
(Address—please print or type)

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(Signature of subscriber or authorized signature)

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(Title of authorized signer)

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

Name of Customer

Name of Customer

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 non-competitive tenders, provided a list is attached showing the name of each bidder, the amount bid for his account, and method of payment.
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 commercial banks for their own account, Federally insured savings and loan associations, States, political subdivisions or instrumentalities thereof, public pension and retirement and other public funds, international organizations in which the United States holds membership, foreign central banks and foreign States, dealers who make primary markets in Government securities and report daily to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York their positions with respect to Government securities and borrowings thereon, and Government accounts. Tenders from others must be accompanied by payment of 5 percent of the face amount of notes applied for.
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.