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RESULTS OF AUCTION OF 4-1/2-YEAR TREASURY NOTES

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

The following statement was made public October 23 by the Treasury Department:

The Treasury has accepted \$1.0 billion of the \$2.3 billion of tenders received for the 4-1/2-year notes auctioned today. The range of accepted competitive bids was as follows:

Lowest yield....7.78%^a
Highest yield...7.93%
Average yield...7.89%

Excepting 2 tenders totaling \$101,000.

The interest rate on the notes will be 7-7/8%. At the 7-7/8% rate, the above yields result in the following prices:

Low-yield price......99.787 High-yield price.....99.787 Average-yield price....99.937

The \$1.0 billion of accepted tenders includes 13% of the amount of notes bid for at the highest yield, and \$0.2 billion of noncompetitive tenders accepted at the average yield.

ALFRED HAYES,

President.

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