

# FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

[Circular No. 8397]  
August 2, 1978

## OFFERING OF TWO SERIES OF TREASURY BILLS

**\$2,300,000,000 of 91-Day Bills, Additional Amount, Series Dated May 11, 1978, Due November 9, 1978  
(To Be Issued August 10, 1978)**

**\$3,500,000,000 of 182-Day Bills, Dated August 10, 1978, Due February 8, 1979**

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 yesterday:

The Department of the Treasury, by this public notice, invites tenders for two series of Treasury bills totaling approximately \$5,800 million, to be issued August 10, 1978. If final action on the debt ceiling legislation has not been completed by August 10, the issue date of these bills, the bills delivered on that date will be those issued on July 31 to Government accounts. The auctions will be held as scheduled and the bills will have the CUSIP numbers and due dates specified in this announcement. This offering will not provide new cash for the Treasury as the maturing bills are outstanding in the amount of \$5,808 million. The two series offered are as follows:

91-day bills (to maturity date) for approximately \$2,300 million, representing an additional amount of bills dated May 11, 1978, and to mature November 9, 1978 (CUSIP No. 912793 U38), originally issued in the amount of \$3,403 million, the additional and original bills to be freely interchangeable.

182-day bills for approximately \$3,500 million to be dated August 10, 1978, and to mature February 8, 1979 (CUSIP No. 912793 W77).

Both series of bills will be issued for cash and in exchange for Treasury bills maturing August 10, 1978. Federal Reserve Banks, for themselves and as agents of foreign and international monetary authorities, presently hold \$3,482 million of the maturing bills. These accounts may exchange bills they hold for the bills now being offered at the weighted average prices of accepted competitive tenders.

The bills will be issued on a discount basis under competitive and noncompetitive bidding, and at maturity their par amount will be payable without interest. Except for definitive bills in the \$100,000 denomination, which will be available only to investors who are able to show that they are required by law or regulation to hold securities in physical form, both series of bills will be issued entirely in book-entry form in a minimum amount of \$10,000 and in any higher \$5,000 multiple, on the records either of the Federal Reserve Banks and Branches, or of the Department of the Treasury.

Tenders will be received at Federal Reserve Banks and Branches and at the Bureau of the Public Debt, Washington, D. C. 20226, up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time, Monday, August 7, 1978. Form PD 4632-2 (for 26-week series) or Form PD 4632-3 (for 13-week series) should be used to submit tenders for bills to be maintained on the book-entry records of the Department of the Treasury.

Each tender must be for a minimum of \$10,000. Tenders over \$10,000 must be in multiples of \$5,000. 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.

Banking institutions and dealers who make primary markets in Government securities and report daily to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York their positions in and borrowings on such securities may submit tenders for account of customers, if the

This Bank will receive tenders for both series up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time, Monday, August 7, 1978, 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 the enclosed envelope marked "Tender for Treasury Bills." Forms for submitting tenders directly to the Treasury are available from the Government Bond Division of the Bank. Tenders not requiring a deposit may be submitted by telegraph, subject to written confirmation; no tenders may be submitted by telephone. *Payment for 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 August 3, 1978, representing an additional amount of bills dated May 4, 1978, maturing November 2, 1978; and 182-day bills dated August 3, 1978, maturing February 1, 1979) are shown on the reverse side of this circular.

PAUL A. VOLCKER,  
President.

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**RESULTS OF LAST WEEKLY OFFERING OF TREASURY BILLS  
(TWO SERIES TO BE ISSUED AUGUST 3, 1978)**

**Range of Accepted Competitive Bids**

	<i>91-Day Treasury Bills Maturing November 2, 1978</i>			<i>182-Day Treasury Bills Maturing February 1, 1979</i>		
	<i>Price</i>	<i>Discount Rate</i>	<i>Investment Rate<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Discount Rate</i>	<i>Investment Rate<sup>1</sup></i>
High .....	98.268 <sup>a</sup>	6.852%	7.07%	96.289	7.340%	7.73%
Low .....	98.253	6.911%	7.13%	96.273	7.372%	7.76%
Average .....	98.257	6.895%	7.12%	96.278	7.362%	7.75%

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

<sup>a</sup> Excepting three tenders totaling \$4,315,000.

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

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

**Total Tenders Received and Accepted**

	<i>91-Day Treasury Bills Maturing November 2, 1978</i>		<i>182-Day Treasury Bills Maturing February 1, 1979</i>	
<i>F.R. District (and U.S. Treasury)</i>	<i>Received</i>	<i>Accepted</i>	<i>Received</i>	<i>Accepted</i>
Boston .....	\$ 19,290,000	\$ 19,290,000	\$ 61,000,000	\$ 16,660,000
New York .....	3,444,280,000	1,860,480,000	5,130,115,000	3,218,405,000
Philadelphia .....	37,690,000	37,280,000	7,385,000	7,385,000
Cleveland .....	44,260,000	43,860,000	21,495,000	12,495,000
Richmond .....	67,295,000	57,215,000	32,620,000	31,620,000
Atlanta .....	37,230,000	37,190,000	14,575,000	14,575,000
Chicago .....	222,035,000	65,195,000	389,660,000	37,860,000
St. Louis .....	46,240,000	29,240,000	32,935,000	18,935,000
Minneapolis .....	14,000,000	13,600,000	15,900,000	15,900,000
Kansas City .....	35,260,000	35,260,000	12,400,000	12,400,000
Dallas .....	18,720,000	17,640,000	8,100,000	7,100,000
San Francisco .....	262,925,000	76,725,000	277,205,000	97,905,000
U.S. Treasury .....	8,450,000	8,450,000	10,685,000	10,685,000
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$4,257,675,000</b>	<b>\$2,301,425,000<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>\$6,014,075,000</b>	<b>\$3,501,925,000<sup>c</sup></b>

<sup>b</sup> Includes \$344,325,000 noncompetitive tenders from the public.

<sup>c</sup> Includes \$182,130,000 noncompetitive tenders from the public.