

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

Fiscal Agent of the United States

[Circular No. 7525]
December 13, 1974

OFFERING OF TWO SERIES OF TREASURY BILLS

\$2,600,000,000 of 91-Day Bills, Additional Amount, Series Dated September 26, 1974, Due March 27, 1975
(To Be Issued December 26, 1974)

\$2,000,000,000 of 182-Day Bills, Dated December 26, 1974, Due June 26, 1975

*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 at 4 p.m. today :

The Treasury Department, by this public notice, invites tenders for two series of Treasury bills to the aggregate amount of \$4,600,000,000, or thereabouts, to be issued December 26, 1974, as follows :

91-day bills (to maturity date) in the amount of \$2,600,000,000, or thereabouts, representing an additional amount of bills dated September 26, 1974, and to mature March 27, 1975 (CUSIP No. 912793 WB8), originally issued in the amount of \$1,800,305,000, the additional and original bills to be freely interchangeable.

182-day bills, for \$2,000,000,000, or thereabouts, to be dated December 26, 1974, and to mature June 26, 1975 (CUSIP No. 912793 WQ5).

The bills will be issued for cash and in exchange for Treasury bills maturing December 26, 1974, outstanding in the amount of \$4,601,080,000, of which Government accounts and Federal Reserve Banks, for themselves and as agents of foreign and international monetary authorities, presently hold \$2,799,600,000. These accounts may exchange bills they hold for the bills now being offered at the average prices of accepted tenders.

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 in denominations of \$10,000, \$15,000, \$50,000, \$100,000, \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 (maturity value) and in book-entry form to designated bidders.

Tenders will be received at Federal Reserve Banks and Branches up to the closing hour, one-thirty p.m., Eastern Standard time, Friday, December 20, 1974. Tenders will not be received at the Treasury Department, Washington. 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. 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 and 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 may submit tenders for account

This Bank will receive tenders for both series up to 1:30 p.m., Eastern Standard time, *Friday, December 20, 1974*, 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." Tenders not requiring a deposit may be submitted by telegraph, subject to written confirmation; no tenders may 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.*

The results of bidding for the previous offering of Treasury bills, to be issued December 19, 1974, were not available at the time of printing this circular; those results will be announced after release by the Treasury Department.

ALFRED HAYES,
President.

Closing date for receipt of tenders is *Friday, December 20.*