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## TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security CUSIP Number Series

Interest Rate High Yield<sup>1</sup> Allotted at High Price Accrued Interest per \$1,000

Median Yield<sup>2</sup> Low Yield<sup>3</sup>

Issue Date Maturity Date Original Issue Date Dated Date

S 29-Year 6-Month Bond 912810PX0 Bonds of May 2038

> 4-1/2% 4.310% 83.20% 103.154521 \$0.24862

> > 4.204% 4.095%

November 17, 2008 May 15, 2038 August 15, 2008 November 15, 2008

Competitive Noncompetitive FIMA (Noncompetitive) Subtotal <sup>4</sup>	<b>Tendered</b> \$20,693,250,000 \$21,737,800 \$0 <b>\$20,714,987,800</b>	Accepted \$9,978,306,000 \$21,737,800 \$0 \$10,000,043,800 <sup>5</sup>
SOMA	\$1,777,238,500	\$1,777,238,500
Total	\$22,492,226,300	\$11,777,282,300
Primary Dealer <sup>6</sup>	<b>Tendered</b> \$15,706,000,000	<b>Accepted</b> \$7,709,200,000
Direct Bidder <sup>7</sup>	\$688,000,000	\$453,000,000
Indirect Bidder <sup>8</sup> Total Competitive	\$4,299,250,000 <b>\$20,693,250,000</b>	\$1,816,106,000 <b>\$9,978,306,000</b>

<sup>1</sup> All tenders at lower yields were accepted in full.

 $^2$  50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that yield.

 $^3$  5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that yield.

<sup>4</sup> Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$20,714,987,800/\$10,000,043,800 = 2.07

<sup>5</sup> Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = 9,702,800.

<sup>6</sup> Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>7</sup> Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>8</sup> Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.