FOOD PURCHASE United States **REPORT**

Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: April 21, 2004

BUYS: CANCELLATION OF CANNED FRUIT COCKTAIL

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) has cancelled the purchase of canned fruit cocktail for distribution to child nutrition other domestic food assistance programs, according to Robert C. Keeney, Deputy Administrator, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service.

Product, quantity, pounds and program cost consist of the following:

Canned Fruit Cocktail

17,820 cases

FV200, Invitation 251 (Canned Fruit Cocktail), dated April 6, 2004, has been cancelled due to lack of bids received.

Further information can be obtained from the Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 2548-South Building, Washington, DC 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-4517 or our Internet Site: http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp