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**TERM INVESTMENT OPTION
SPECIAL COMMUNICATION**

**DECOMMISSIONING OF
TERMLINK**

Due to market conditions, the Treasury Department has elected to temporarily suspend Term Investment Option (TIO) offerings and auctions.

The TERMLink system will be permanently disabled effective April 30, 2009.

Information and instructions for future auctions will be provided via e-mail and the FMS website.

If you have any questions, please call the TIO Hotline (1-800-333-0870).