

NATIONAL RURAL UTILITIES COOPERATIVE FINANCE CORP /DC/
 Form 424B3
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 (To: Prospectus Dated November 1, 2017 and Prospectus Supplement Dated November 3, 2017)

| CUSIP Number | Principal Amount | Selling Price | Gross Concession | Net Proceeds | Coupon Type | Coupon Rate | Coupon Frequency | Maturity Date | 1st Coupon Date | 1st Coupon Amount | Survivor's Option | Product Rank |
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| 63743FG42[] | 100% | 1.250% | | | Fixed | 3.050% | MONTHLY | 01/15/2024 | 02/15/2019 | \$1.69 | Yes | Senior Unsecured Notes |

Redemption Information: Non-Callable

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| 63743FG59[] | 100% | 1.800% | | | Fixed | 3.500% | MONTHLY | 01/15/2029 | 02/15/2019 | \$1.94 | Yes | Senior Unsecured Notes |

Redemption Information: Non-Callable

National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corp
 Offering Dates: Monday, January 14, 2019 through Tuesday, January 22, 2019
 Trade Date: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 @ 12:00 PM ET
 Settlement Date: Friday, January 25, 2019
 Minimum Denomination/Increments: \$1,000.00/\$1,000.00
 Initial trades settle flat and clear SDFS: DTC Book Entry only
 DTC number: 0235 via RBC Dain Rauscher Inc.
 National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corp Prospectus Dated November 1, 2017

Agents: Incapital, LLC, Citigroup, J.J.B. Hilliard, W.L. Lyons, Inc., Wells Fargo Advisors, RBC Capital Markets

If the maturity date or an interest payment date for any note is not a Business Day (as term is defined in Prospectus), principal, premium, if

any, and interest for that note is paid on the next Business Day, and no interest will accrue from, and after, the maturity date or interest payment date.

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