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Ref.: BID 07/14 – Bioterrorism Preparedness  
and Response in Colombia and The Bahamas

To Whom It May Concern:

The General Secretariat of the Organization of American States (GS/OAS), through its Department of Procurement (DP), cordially invites you to participate in the above referenced bidding process to facilitate the development of a National Biosecurity Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan in Colombia and The Bahamas.

Please find attached the Request for Proposal (RFP) for Bid 07/14, which includes the instructions for the preparation and submission of the proposals, the rules that govern the bidding process, the Terms of Reference, and the Terms and Conditions of the Contract.

All proposals must be received by the GS/OAS no later than close of business ("COB") **5:30 p.m. EST on July 22, 2014.**

This invitation and the attached RFP are also being posted on the OAS Web Site ([www.oas.org](http://www.oas.org)) under Procurement, the UN Development Business Site ([www.devbusiness.com](http://www.devbusiness.com)) and dgMarket Site ([www.dgmarket.com](http://www.dgmarket.com)).

We appreciate in advance your giving consideration to this invitation, and look forward to receiving your proposal.

Sincerely,

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