

Emergent BioSolutions Delivers over 3 Million Doses of BioThrax(R) to U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for Strategic National Stockpile

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--Delivery represents approximately \$75 million of revenue for 4Q 2006; Company on track to deliver remaining 1 million doses in 1Q 2007-

GAITHERSBURG, Md.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Dec. 14, 2006--Emergent BioSolutions Inc. (NYSE:EBS) today announced that it has successfully completed the 4Q 2006 deliveries of over three million doses of BioThrax(R) (Anthrax Vaccine Adsorbed), the only FDA licensed anthrax vaccine, to the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) for placement into the nation's strategic national stockpile (SNS). The delivery of these doses, made under a May 2006 modified contract with HHS, represents 4Q 2006 revenue of approximately \$75 million.

Under the modified contract, the company is required to complete delivery of a total of five million doses of BioThrax(R) to HHS prior to May 31, 2007 for a fixed price of \$120 million. Since the contract modification, the company has delivered approximately four million doses of BioThrax(R) and expects to deliver the balance during 1Q 2007. Including the 4Q 2006 deliveries, the company has now supplied over nine million doses of BioThrax(R) to HHS for inclusion in the SNS.

"Over the past five years, we have consistently demonstrated our ability to meet our contractual obligations to deliver critically needed countermeasures to the U.S. Government for placement into the Strategic National Stockpile," said Robert G. Kramer, president and chief executive officer of the company's biodefense operations. "Our success is directly attributable to our dedicated employees who exhibit a deep commitment to these principles every day in assuring the continued successful manufacture of the only FDA approved vaccine against anthrax."

The company's initial deliveries to HHS were pursuant to a May 2005 supply agreement under which the company agreed to supply an initial five million doses of BioThrax(R) for placement into the SNS for a fixed price of \$123 million. The company successfully delivered all five million doses by February 2006, seven months ahead of schedule. The SNS, which is administered by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, comprises large quantities of medicine and medical supplies to protect the American public if there is a public health emergency (terrorist attack, flu outbreak, earthquake) severe enough to cause local supplies to run out.

"We are proud to play a vital role in the strategic defense of the United States and the protection of its citizens from the threat of an anthrax attack," said Fuad EI-Hibri, chairman and chief executive officer of Emergent BioSolutions. "We welcome the opportunity to continue to work closely with the Department of Health and Human Services to meet the strategic biodefense requirements of the Government."

About Emergent BioSolutions Inc.

Emergent BioSolutions Inc. is a biopharmaceutical company focused on the development, manufacture and commercialization of immunobiotics. Immunobiotics are vaccines and immune globulins that induce or assist the body's immune system to prevent or treat disease. The company's biodefense business is focused on developing and commercializing immunobiotics for use against biological agents that are potential weapons of bioterrorism. The company's commercial business is focused on developing immunobiotics for use against infectious diseases with significant unmet or underserved medical needs. More information on the company is available at www.emergentbiosolutions.com.

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