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CoBRA Response Kit[®] Systems to Support Crisis Response Teams at Super Bowl XL

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When Detroit hosts the Super Bowl next month, Federal, state and local responders will rely on CoBRA Response Kit systems from Defense Group Inc. to safeguard the attendees, participants and venue.

CoBRA[®] is the leading emergency management decision support system for FBI Special Agent Bomb Technicians. It is used by thousands of Federal, State and Local First responders nationwide, as well as Military Responders deployed world wide. CoBRA software contains the necessary tools and data to support emergency response involving hazardous chemicals, improvised explosive devices, and weapons of mass destruction. Using CoBRA, responders can quickly determine the correct course of action to take in crisis situations. A CoBRA Response Kit includes CoBRA software loaded on an Itronix[®] rugged laptop computer with a GPS device, digital camera, printer and scanner, all packed in a readily deployable, hardened case.

Over 900 state and local bomb squads originally received CoBRA Response Kits in 2001 under the auspices of the FBI's Bomb Data Center. CoBRA software has also served as a pre-planning, training and response tool at other major sports stadiums on the East and West coasts.

“DGI has successfully supported the FBI Bomb Data Center and state and local bomb squads for over four years. We are proud to play a role in working toward better national standards and in equipping our nation’s first responders,” said Chris Boehm, CoBRA Group Vice President at Defense Group Inc. “You can tell you’re making a difference when you see render safe teams and responders across many agencies interoperating by using your system at such events as the Super Bowl.”

About DGI

Since 1987, DGI has assisted federal, state and local government agencies in preparation for and response to incidents involving chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive threats. DGI’s CoBRA[®] solutions are deployed to over 2,000 first responders nationwide, including fire, EMS, law enforcement and bomb squad personnel. For more information on CoBRA[®] and DGI, visit www.defensegroupinc.com/cobra.

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