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Mister
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Dear Mr. Celler:

It is a pleasure to greet you, as I take the opportunity to refer to the proposal sent by ERI Global to the President of the Republic, Mr. Carlos Alvarado Quesada, which raises the availability of the company that you represent for the implementation of laboratory services and vaccination services regarding COVID-19 in major airports in Costa Rica.

In this regard, I would like to inform you that our country has a wide range of public and private laboratories throughout the country, which has allowed us to respond to the great demand for tests generated by the national population and by people who visit us for tourism and require this service to return to their country. On the other hand, the national vaccination strategy against COVID-19 has focused on the provision of vaccines to the Costa Rican Social Security Fund, a public institution that provides direct health care services and has a coverage of 97% of the population in the national territory. That being the case, at this time we would not be making use of the service offer that you have so kindly presented.

Best regards,

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HEALTH MINISTER

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