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INFORMATION BULLETIN

1. Venue and Date

The meeting of the Group of Experts on Maritime Narcotrafficking will take place in Cartagena, Colombia, September 13-15, 2016 at the *Club Naval de Oficiales Santa Cruz de Castillogrande*.

2. General Coordination

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3. Accommodation

Please find below three options of hotels in Bocagrande near the *Club Naval*:

Almirante Cartagena
Phone: 1 8000 96 96 69
E-mail: reservascartagena@hotelalmirante.co
webpage: <http://web.hotelalmirante-cartagena.com/>

Hotel Tequendama Inn Cartagena de Indias
Cra 3 N° 7 -171 Bocagrande
Phone: (57-1) 3820300 Ext. 2373-2374*-2375 PBX 6655531- 6655507
webpage: www.sht.com.co

Hampton by Hilton Cartagena
Calle 8 Sant Martín
Phone: (57- 5) 6945000
Fax: (57-5) 6939800
webpage: <http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/colombia/hampton-by-hilton-cartagena-CTGHXHX/index.html>

4. **Registration of Participants**

To register online please go to: <http://www.CICAD.oas.org?ie=CO024B>

5. **Working Languages and Documents**

The meeting will be conducted in Spanish and English. Simultaneous interpretation services will also be provided in those languages, as well as, the working documents.

Since the OAS has a policy of holding eco-friendly meetings, the printing of documents will be limited; participants are requested to keep their documents during all meetings. Participants are kindly urged to download meeting documents from: <http://www.CICAD.oas.org?ie=CO024B>

6. **Entry and Departure Requirements**

If you are a national of one of the countries to which Colombia does not require a tourist visa, it is not necessary to obtain it. You will find information on visas in the following website, but it is recommended to go directly to the Consulate of the country of your interest: http://www.cancilleria.gov.co/sites/default/files/tramites_servicios/visas/archivos/cuadro_visas_p_or_paises_a_08_oct_2013.pdf

7. **Transfer to the Club Naval (from/to hotel)**

During the meeting, the Colombian Navy will offer transport hotel- Club Naval -hotel for the participants. We kindly request that you send the name of the hotel you are staying in Cartagena to Sargent Ardila Julio Jimmy, (jimmy.ardila@armada.mil.co) by September 7, 2016.

8. **Weather**

During the month of September, the temperatures vary between 68°F and 86°F in Cartagena.

8. **Electrical Current**

Electrical current is 110V (110V AC, 60Hz).

9. **Currency**

Colombian pesos COB

10. **Attire**

Navy and Coast Guard officers: please wear the uniform for warm weather.



Formal manga corta
Uniforme 6A



Guayabera manga corta
(formal)



Formal manga corta