



GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA

ASSIGNMENT OF SUBJECTS AND DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES AND OTHER PUBLIC BODIES

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This document is intended to specify the portfolio assignment of Subjects and Departments to Cabinet Ministers in accordance with Sections 77 and 93 of the Constitution of Jamaica:

77.-(1) Subject to the provisions of this Constitution, the Governor-General, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, may, by directions in writing, charge any Minister who is a member of the House of Representatives, or (except in so far as may be inconsistent with any Ministerial functions under section 67, 115, 116 or 118 of this Constitution) who is a member of the Senate with the responsibility for any subject or any department of government.

93.-(1) Where any Minister has been charged with the responsibility for a subject or department of government, he shall exercise general direction and control over the work relating to that subject and over that department; and, subject as aforesaid and to such direction and control, the aforesaid work and the department shall be under the supervision of a Permanent Secretary appointed in accordance with the provisions of section 126 of this Constitution.

(2) A person may be a Permanent Secretary in respect of more than one department of government.

(3) The office of Financial Secretary is hereby constituted and, for the purposes of this section, he shall be deemed to be a Permanent Secretary.

It should be noted that for the purposes of this document, public bodies and some operational/administrative units are **broadly classified as departments**. This document is not intended to provide an exhaustive list of all GOJ public entities and governing Acts.

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**OFFICE OF THE CABINET
PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB
CREATION: The Most Hon. Andrew Holness ON, MP**

**CABINET SECRETARY/PERMANENT SECRETARY AND HEAD OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE:
Ambassador the Hon. Douglas Saunders, OJ, CD, JP**

SUBJECTS (GENERAL)

Business of Cabinet
National Security Policy Coordination
Policy Formulation, Analysis and Coordination of Government
Public Sector Transformation and Modernization
Public Service Training
Strategic Planning for Government
Whole-of-Government Performance Monitoring and Evaluation

DEPARTMENTS (GENERAL)

Management Institute for National Development (MIND)
Electricity Sector Enterprise Team (ESET)

Office of Utilities Regulation (OUR)¹

¹*The Office of the Cabinet has neither accounting nor budgetary responsibilities for the OUR but has responsibilities therefor with respect to overall legislative matters.*

**OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB
CREATION: The Most Hon. Andrew Holness, ON, MP
MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO: Hon. Derrick Smith, CD, MP**

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Audrey Sewell, CD, JP

SUBJECTS (GENERAL)

Defence
National Identification System (NIDS)
National Awards
Registration of Births and Deaths
Social Partnership
State Protocol

SUBJECTS (PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS)

Business of the House of Representatives²
Electoral Matters (Electoral Commission of Jamaica)

DEPARTMENTS (GENERAL)

Access to Information Unit
Constituency Development Fund (CDF)
Culture, Health, Arts, Sports & Education (CHASE)
Jamaica Defence Force (JDF)³
Jamaica Information Service (JIS)
Jamaica Social Investment Fund (JSIF)
National Housing Trust (NHT)
Registrar General's Department and Island Records Office

Integrity Commission⁴

² *Assigned to the Minister Without Portfolio in his capacity as Leader of the House*

³ *Administrative oversight rests with the Ministry of National Security*

⁴ *Commission of Parliament - for administrative purposes only*

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION
PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB
CREATION: The Most Hon. Andrew Holness, ON, MP
MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO: Hon. Dr. Horace Chang, MP
MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO: Hon. Daryl Vaz, MP
MINISTER OF STATE: Hon. Everald Warmington, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Audrey Sewell CD, JP

SUBJECTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION - GENERAL)

Agro Business
Economic Growth
Economic Planning and Monitoring
Factory Construction
Film and Motion Pictures
IMF Coordination Unit
Investment Promotion
Job Creation
Logistics Hub
Population Census
Port Development
Port Regulation
Privatization
Special Economic Zones Development
Vital Statistics

SUBJECTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – LAND, ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE)

Emancipation Lands
Estate Management/Property Management
Land Development and Utilization
Land Policy and Administration
Land Reform
Land Registration
Land Surveys
Land Titling
Lands (including Crown Lands and Land Settlements)
National Geographic Data Management
Parish Boundaries
Physical Planning
Subdivision of Land
Town and Country Planning

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION (Cont'd)

Air Quality and Control
Beach Control and Coastal Management
Climate Change Adaptation
Environmental Regulation
Forests
Marine Conservation and Protection
Meteorology
National Environmental Protection
Watershed Management
Wildlife Protection

SUBJECTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – HOUSING)

Architects' Registration
Architects Registration Act
Housing
Housing Act
Land Acquisition/Housing
Landlord and Tenants
Landlord and Tenants Act
National Urban Upgrading
Port Royal Brotherhood
Quantity Surveyors' Registration
Rent Control (Restriction)
Relocation of Human Settlements
Shelter Solutions
Squatter Management

SUBJECTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – WATER)

Domestic Water Supply
Irrigation
Sewerage
Surface and Underground Water Resources
Water Policy and Monitoring

SUBJECTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – WORKS)

Civil Works
Flood Water Control
Land Reclamation
Main Roads
Main Roads Act
Professional Engineers' Registration Act

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION (Cont'd)

Sandy Gully Drainage System
Seaports
Road Maintenance Act
Port Authority Act

DEPARTMENTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION - GENERAL)

Agro Investment Corporation
Development Bank of Jamaica
Factories Corporation of Jamaica (FCJ)
Harmonization Limited
International Financial Services Authority
JAMPRO
National Export-Import Bank of Jamaica (EXIM Bank)
Kingston Container Terminal
Kingston Free Zone
Montego Free Zone
Planning Institute of Jamaica (PIOJ)
Port Authority of Jamaica (PAJ)
Port Authority Management Services
Statistical Institute of Jamaica (STATIN)
Urban Development Corporation (UDC) and its subsidiaries

DEPARTMENTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – LAND, ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE)

Land Administration and Management Programme (LAMP)
Land Access for National Development (L.A.N.D.) Project
Land Development and Utilization Commission
Land Divestment Advisory Committee
National Land Agency (NLA)
National Spatial Data Management Unit
Public Sector Estate Management
Beach Control Authority
Forestry Department

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION (Cont'd)

Meteorological Department

National Environment and Planning Agency (NEPA)

(Includes National Resource and Conservation Authority, Town Planning Department, Town & Country Planning Authority and Negril/Green Island Local Planning Authority)

DEPARTMENTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – HOUSING)

Commission of Strata Corporations

Jamaica Mortgage Bank (JMB)

Housing Agency of Jamaica (HAJ)

Real Estate Board

Rent Assessment Board

DEPARTMENTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – WATER)

Central Wastewater Treatment Company

National Irrigation Commission Limited (NIC)

National Water Commission (NWC)

Rural Water Supply Company

Water Resource Authority (WRA)

DEPARTMENTS (ECONOMIC GROWTH AND JOB CREATION – WORKS)

National Road Operating & Constructing Company (NROCC)

National Works Agency (NWA)

Road Maintenance Fund (RMF)

MINISTRY OF CULTURE, GENDER, ENTERTAINMENT AND SPORT
MINISTER: Hon. Olivia Grange, CD, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Dr. Janice Lindsay (Acting)

SUBJECTS

Arts and Culture
Cultural and Creative Industries
Entertainment
Gender Affairs
Heritage
Publications (*Legal Deposits*)
National Commemorative Events (Labour, Emancipation, Independence, National Heroes Days)
Reparations
Sport

DEPARTMENTS

Bureau of Gender Affairs
Cinematograph Authority
Creative Production and Training Centre (CPTC)
Entertainment Board
Institute of Jamaica (IOJ) (*including African Caribbean Institute of Jamaica/Jamaica Memory Bank/Liberty Hall, Junior Centres, Museums of History and Ethnography, National Gallery of Jamaica, National History Museum of Jamaica and Simon Bolivar Cultural Centre*)
Independence Park Ltd (IPL)
Institute of Sports (INSPO RTS)
Jamaica Anti-Doping Commission (JADCO)
Jamaica Cultural Development Commission (JCDC)
Jamaica National Commission for UNESCO
Jamaica National Heritage Trust (JNHT)
National Commission on Reparations
National Library of Jamaica
Sports Development Foundation (SDF)
Women's Centre of Jamaica Foundation (WCJF)

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, YOUTH AND INFORMATION

MINISTER: Senator the Hon. Ruel Reid CD

MINISTER OF STATE: Hon. Floyd Green, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mr. Dean-Roy Bernard

SUBJECTS (EDUCATION)

Education Policies and Programmes Management

Human Resource Development

Libraries

Literacy

Supervision and Regulation of Educational Institutions:

(a) Pre-Primary

(b) Primary

(c) Secondary

(d) Tertiary

(e) Independent Schools

Vocational Training (*including Apprenticeship and Industrial Training*)

Students Nutrition

SUBJECTS (YOUTH)

Children's Affairs

Child Care and Protection

Day Care Services

Family Services/Foster Care

National Youth Service Act

Youth and Adolescent Affairs/Development

SUBJECTS (INFORMATION)

Archives

Broadcasting

Information

DEPARTMENTS (EDUCATION)

Apprenticeship Board

Career Advancement Programme (CAP)

College of Agriculture, Science and Education (CASE)

Council of Community Colleges of Jamaica

Early Childhood Commission

Edna Manley College of the Visual and Performing Arts

Educational Institutions

EXED School of Nursing Programme

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, YOUTH AND INFORMATION (Cont'd)

Dental Auxiliary School
G. C. Foster College of Physical Education
Human Employment and Resource Training/HEART Trust/NTA
Jamaica Foundation for Lifelong Learning
Jamaica Library Service
Jamaica School of Nurse Anesthesia Critical Care
Jamaica Teaching Council
Jamaica Tertiary Education Commission
Kingston School of Nursing
National College for Educational Leadership
National Council on Education
National Council on Technical and Vocational Education and Training (NCTVET)
National Education Inspectorate
National Education Trust (NET)
National Parenting Support Commission
Nutrition Products Limited
Overseas Examinations Commission
Regions 1 – 7
Teacher Training Colleges
University Council of Jamaica (UCJ)
University of Technology, Jamaica (UTECH)
University of the West Indies (UWI)
Vocational Training Development Institute (VDTI)

DEPARTMENTS (YOUTH)

Child Development Agency (CDA)
Office of the Children's Registry (*including Ananda Alert Secretariat*)
Children's Homes and Places of Safety
National Centre for Youth Development (NCYD)
National Youth Service
Possibility Programme
Youth Development Programme
Youth Empowerment Project
Young Entrepreneurs Programme (YEP)

DEPARTMENTS (INFORMATION)

Broadcasting Commission
Jamaica Archives and Records Department
Public Broadcasting Corporation of Jamaica (PBCJ)

MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE

MINISTER: Hon. Audley Shaw, CD, MP

MINISTER OF STATE: Hon. Fayval Williams, MP

MINISTER OF STATE: Hon. Rudyard Spencer, CD, MP

FINANCIAL SECRETARY/PERMANENT SECRETARY (ACTING): Mr. Everton McFarlane

SUBJECTS (FINANCE)

Bank Inspection

Banking and Currency

Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1965

Bauxite Production Levy

Capital Development Fund

Central Treasury Management

Expenditure Budget

Debt/Equity Conversion

Debt Management

Equity Investments

Finance

Financial Administration and Management

Financial Investigations (Money Laundering and Financial Law Enforcement)

Fiscal Policy

Government Investment in Companies and Statutory Corporations

Industrial and Provident Societies Act

Insurance

Loan Negotiations

Monetary Policy

PetroCaribe Development Fund

Public Accountancy Act

Public Bodies Management

Public Debt Charges (Interest Payments)

Public Sector Procurement

Regulation of the Financial Sector

Revenue

Revenue Protection

Taxation

SUBJECTS (PUBLIC SERVICE)

Benefits and Assistance Policy

Classification Systems

Compensation Policy

Conditions of Service

Establishment Control

Human Resource Management Information Systems (HRMIS)

MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE (Cont'd)

Organizational Design
Pensions Policy
Pensions Verification and Payment
Scholarships
Staff Orders
Strategic Human Resource Management

SUBJECTS (INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS)

Industrial Relations

DEPARTMENTS (FINANCE)

Air Jamaica (Legacy)
Accountant General's Department
Bank of Jamaica (BOJ)
Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Commission (BGLC)
Casino Gaming Commission
Caymanas Track Limited
Financial Institutions Services (FIS)
Financial Investigations Division (FID)
Financial Services Commission (FSC)
Jamaica Customs Agency
Jamaica Deposit Insurance Corporation (JDIC)
Jamaica Racing Commission (JRC)
National Contracts Commission
Public Accountancy Board
Revenue Appeals Division (*formerly the Tax Appeals Department*)
Revenue Protection Division
Students' Loan Bureau (SLB)
Tax Administration Jamaica (TAJ)

- Inland Revenue Department (former)
- Tax Administration Services Department (former)
- Taxpayer Audit and Assessment Department (former)

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND FOREIGN TRADE

MINISTER: Senator the Hon. Kamina Johnson Smith

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Ambassador Marcia Gilbert Roberts

SUBJECTS

Bilateral Relations (all countries)

Coastal Zone Management

Consular Affairs

Economic and Technical Cooperation and Trade Promotion

Foreign Trade Policy Formulation, Coordination and Trade Negotiations:

- Bilateral - USA (CBI) , EU (EPA, Canada (CARIBCAN), Norway, Brazil, Mexico, South Africa, Ghana, New Zealand, et al
- Commodity Agreements (ISO, ICO, ICCO, Common Fund)
- Inter-Regional (ACP/EU Economic Partnership Agreement {EPA}, (ACP/EU Cotonou Partnership Agreement)
- Multilateral (WTO, UNCTAD and Other Bodies)
- Regional (CSME, CARICOM Trade Agreements and COTED))

Hemispheric Relations (OAS, SELA, Summit of the Americas)

International Economic Relations

International Political, Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Affairs (UN and Specialized Organizations and Agencies and the Commonwealth, including Human Rights, Reporting and International Agreements)

Inter-Regional Cooperation (ACP, ACP/EU, NAM, G/77 and China, G/15, South Centre)

Jamaican Diaspora

Law of the Sea (International Seabed Authority, {ISA})

Protocol Affairs

Regional Affairs (including CARICOM, CARIFORUM and ACS)

Small Island Developing States (SIDS)

SUBJECTS (PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS)

Business of the Senate⁵

DEPARTMENTS

Consulates-General (Miami, New York, Toronto)

Embassies (Beijing, Berlin, Bogota, Brasilia, Brussels, Caracas, Havana, Kuwait City, Mexico City, Santo Domingo, Tokyo, Washington)

High Commissions (Abuja, London, Ottawa, Port of Spain, Pretoria)

Honorary Consulates (Eight-six world-wide)

Permanent Missions (Geneva, New York, Washington)

Mission to the EU (Brussels)

⁵ Assigned to the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade in her capacity as Leader of Government Business in the Senate

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

MINISTER: Dr. the Hon. Christopher Tufton, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Sancia Bennett Templer

SUBJECTS

Drug Abuse Prevention
Family Planning
Food and Drug Control
Health Facilities (Hospitals and Health Centres)
Health Policy and Services
Medical Services
Medical Waste Management and Incinerator Services
Mental Health Services
Pesticides Control
Public Health
Professions Supplementary to Medicine

DEPARTMENTS

Bellevue Hospital
Central Board of Health
Government Chemist
Health Centres
Hope Institute
Dental Appeal Tribunal
Medical Appeals Tribunal
National Council on Drug Abuse (NCDA)
National Family Planning Board
National Health Fund (NHF)
National Public Health Laboratory Services
Nursing Appeals Tribunal
Nutrition Advisory Council
Pesticides Control Authority (PCA)
Dental Council
Medical Council
Nursing Council
Pharmacy Council
Professions Supplementary to Medicine Council
Quarantine Authority

MINISTRY OF HEALTH (Cont'd)

Regional Health Authorities

- North East Regional Health Authority
- South East Regional Health Authority
- Southern Regional Health Authority
- Western Regional Health Authority

Registration Appeal Tribunal (Pharmacy)

Sir John Golding Rehabilitation Centre (Mona Rehab.)

St Joseph's Hospital

University Hospital of the West Indies (UHWI)

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE, AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES

MINISTER: Hon. Karl Samuda, CD, MP

MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO: Hon. J.C. Hutchinson, CD, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mr. Donovan Stanberry, JP

SUBJECTS (INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE)

Anti-Dumping
Charities Act
Charitable Organizations
Commercial Business
Commodity Supplies
Companies Act
Consumer Affairs
Co-operatives and Friendly Societies
Copyright
Customs Duties (Dumping and Subsidies) Act
Design Act
Distributive Trade
Fair Competition Act
Food Storage and Prevention of Infestation
Hire Purchase
Import and Export Licensing
Industrial Apprenticeship
Industrial Development
Manufacturing
Marketing and Advertising
Merchandise Marks
Metrication
Patents
Registration of Business Names Act
Small Business Development
Standards
Trade Act
Trade Marks
Weight and Measures

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE, AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES (Cont'd)

SUBJECTS (AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES)

Agricultural Commodities
Agricultural Marketing
Agricultural Research and Development
Extension Services
Fisheries
Fisheries Management and Development Fund
Food Security
Livestock and Poultry
Plant Protection/Quarantine
Produce Inspection
Public and Botanical Gardens
Veterinary Services

DEPARTMENTS (INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE)

Anti-Dumping and Subsidies Commission
Bureau of Standards Jamaica (BSJ)
Cannabis Licensing Authority
Charites Authority
Companies Office of Jamaica
Consumer Affairs Commission (CAC)
Fair Trading Commission (FTC)
Jamaica Commodity Trading Company (JCTC)
Jamaica Intellectual Property Office (JIPO)
Jamaica Business Development Centre (JBDC)
Self-Start Fund
Micro Investment Development Agency (MIDA)
Jamaica National Agency for Accreditation (JANAAC)
Office of the Supervisor of Insolvency
Registrar/Department of Co-operatives and Friendly Societies
Trade Board

DEPARTMENTS (AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES)

Agricultural Credit Board (ACB)
Agricultural Development Corporation (ADC)
Agricultural Marketing Corporation
Agricultural Support Services and Productive Projects Fund Limited (ASSPFL)
Banana Insurance Fund

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE, AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES (Cont'd)

Commodity Boards (*including Banana, Coffee, Cocoa, Coconut and Pimento Industry Boards*)

Jamaica 4-H Clubs

Jamaica Agricultural Society (JAS)

Jamaica Dairy Development Board

Jamaica Exotic Flavours and Essences Company Limited

Protection of Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture Management Authority

Rural Agricultural Development Authority (RADA)

Sugar Company of Jamaica (SCJ) Legacy

Sugar Company of Jamaica Holding Ltd.

Sugar Industry Authority (*including Sugar Industry Research Institute*)

Tobacco Industry Control Authority

Veterinary Board

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE

MINISTER: Hon. Delroy Chuck, QC, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Carol Palmer, CD, JP

SUBJECTS

Administration of Justice

Conditional Discharge of Forensic Psychiatric Inmates (*under amendment to Criminal Justice (Administration) Act 2006*)

Constitutional Reform

Coroners

Dispute Resolution

Enquiries into the Causes of Fire and Accidents

Extraditions

Justices of the Peace

Legal Education

Legal Profession

Legal Reform

Marriage Licences

Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters

Notaries Public

Obscene Publication Act

Protection of Human Rights

Victim Support

DEPARTMENTS

Administrator General's Department

Commission for the Prevention of Corruption⁶

Court Management Services

- Court of Appeal
- Family Courts
- Resident Magistrate Courts
- Revenue Court
- Supreme Court

⁶ For administrative purposes only.

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE (Cont'd)

Attorney General's Department (*subject to the provision of Section 79 of the Constitution of Jamaica*)

Office of Director of Public Prosecutions (*subject to the provision of Chapter VI of the Constitution of Jamaica*)

General Legal Council

Justice Training Institute

Legal Aid Council

Law Revision Unit

Legal Reform Division

Norman Manley Law School

Office of the Parliamentary Counsel (OPC)

Office of the Trustee in Bankruptcy

MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL SECURITY

MINISTER: Hon. Shahine Robinson, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Colette Roberts Risten

SUBJECTS

Education and Welfare of the Disabled
Elimination of Child Labour
Emergency Relief and Rehabilitation Services
Employment Agencies
Occupational Safety and Health
Industrial and Labour Relations
International Labour Conventions
Labour Legislation
Labour Market Reform
Management of Overseas Food Aid Receipts
National Insurance
Overseas Work Programmes
Public Assistance and Outdoor Poor Relief Services
Programme of Advancement Through Health and Education (PATH)
Services for Senior Citizens
Social Security
Social Welfare
Special Intervention Programme (Formerly Special Youth Employment and Training (SYEAT) Programme)
Work Permits
Workmen's Compensation

DEPARTMENTS

Abilities Foundation
Industrial Disputes Tribunal
Jamaica Council for Persons with Disabilities
Jamaica Productivity Centre
Labour Market Reform Commission
Minimum Wage Advisory Commission
National Advisory Council on Disability
National Council for Senior Citizens
National Insurance Fund (NIF)
National Insurance Scheme (NIS)
Vineyard Town Golden Age Home

MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

MINISTER: Hon. Desmond McKenzie, CD, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mr. Denzil Thorpe

SUBJECTS

Community Development
Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management
Fire Services
Infirmaries
Local Governance
Local Government Amenities (*abattoirs, pounds and cemeteries*)
Local Government Reform
Local Sustainable Development Planning
Minor Water Supplies and Social Water
Municipal Parks and Beautification
Parochial Markets
Parochial Roads
Planning Approvals
Solid Waste Management
Street Lighting

DEPARTMENTS

Board of Supervision
Jamaica Fire Brigade (JFB)
Kingston & St. Andrew Corporation (KSAC)
National Disaster Committee (*Chaired by the Prime Minister*)
National Solid Waste Management Authority (NSWMA)
Office of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management (ODPEM)
Parish Councils and Portmore Municipality
Parish Development Committees
Social Development Commission (SDC)

MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY

MINISTER: Hon. Robert Montague, MP

MINISTER OF STATE: Senator the Hon. Pearnel Charles Jr

PERMANENT SECRETARY (ACTING): Miss Dianne McIntosh

SUBJECTS

Anti-Crime Social Interventions
Approved Schools
Border Control
Correctional Institutions
Deportation
Emigration
Firearms
High Security Places of Safety
Internal Security
Immigration
Maintenance of Law and Order
Nationality and Citizenship
Parole Act
Police
Probation and After Care
Morgues
Rehabilitation of Offenders
Repatriation
Security of Airports and Seaports
Traffic Ticketing and Points System
Trafficking in Persons

DEPARTMENTS

Carl Rattray Staff College
Caribbean Regional Drug Training Centre (REDTAC)
Caribbean Search Centre
Correction Services Production Company (COSPROD)
Department of Correctional Services
Firearm Licensing Authority (FLA)
Forensic Laboratory
Island Special Constabulary Force (ISCF)
Jamaica Constabulary Force (JCF)
Jamaica Constabulary Staff College (NPCJ)
Legal Medical Unit
Major Organized Crime and Anticorruption Agency (MOCA)
National Police College

MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY (Cont'd)

Parole Board

Passport, Immigration and Citizenship Agency (PICA)

Police Civilian Oversight Authority

Private Security Regulation Authority

MINISTRY OF SCIENCE, ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY
MINISTER: Dr. the Hon. Andrew Wheatley, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Hillary Alexander, JP

SUBJECTS (ENERGY)

Building Inspection
Development of Energy Resources
Energy Policy
Gas and Oil Exploration
Light and Power
Petroleum Haulage, Storage and Distribution
Petroleum Refinery
Rural Electrification

SUBJECTS (SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY)

Research and Development
Science and Technology

SUBJECTS (TELECOMMUNICATIONS)

Information and Communication Technology (ICT)
Telecommunications

DEPARTMENTS (ENERGY)

Board of Examiners
Government Electrical Inspectorate (GEI)/Government Electricity Division
Generation Procurement Entity
Jamaica Aircraft Refueling Services
National Energy Solutions Limited/Rural Electrification Programme (REP)
Petrojam Ethanol Company Limited (PEL)
Petrojam Limited
Petroleum Company of Jamaica (PETCOM) (*in process of divestment*)
Petroleum Corporation of Jamaica (PCJ)
Wigton Wind Farm Limited

DEPARTMENTS (SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY)

E-Learning Company
International Centre for Environmental and Nuclear Sciences (ICENS)
National Council on Science and Technology (NCST) (*Chaired by the Prime Minister*)
Scientific Research Council (SRC)

MINISTRY OF SCIENCE, ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY (Cont'd)

DEPARTMENTS (TELECOMMUNICATIONS)

EGov Jamaica Limited

Post and Telecommunications Department

Postal Corporation of Jamaica

Spectrum Management Authority (SMA)

Universal Access Fund Company Limited (UAF)

MINISTRY OF TOURISM

MINISTER: Hon. Edmund Bartlett, CD, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Mrs. Jennifer Griffith, JP

SUBJECTS

Tourism Policy
Tourism Marketing and Promotion, including Cruise Tourism
Tourism Product
Travel Agencies
Spas and Baths
Tourism Enhancement Act
Timeshare Vacations
Water Sports

DEPARTMENTS

Bath Fountain of St. Thomas the Apostle
Devon House Development Company
Jamaica Reservation Services Limited (*In winding up process*)
Jamaica Tourist Board (JTB)
Jamaica Vacations Limited (JAMVAC)
Milk River Hotel and Spa
River Rafting Authority
Tourism Enhancement Fund (TEF)
Tourism Product Development Company (TPDCO)

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND MINING
MINISTER: Hon. Lester Michael Henry, CD, MP

PERMANENT SECRETARY: Dr. Alwin Hales JP

SUBJECTS (TRANSPORT)

Airports
Air Transport
Land Transport
Sea Transport
Explosives and other Dangerous Substances
Jamaica Railway Corporation Act
Public Passenger Transport (Corporate Area) Act
Public Passenger Transport (Rural Area) Act
Road Safety
Road Traffic Act
Toll Roads Act
Shipping
Shipping Act
Airports Authority Act

SUBJECTS (MINING)

Bauxite and Alumina
Bauxite Community Development Projects
Mining
Non-Bauxite Minerals
Quarries

DEPARTMENTS (TRANSPORT)

Aeronautical Telecommunications Limited (AEROTEL)
Airports Authority of Jamaica (AAJ)
Air Transport Licensing Board
Caribbean Maritime Institute (CMI)
Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)
Island Traffic Authority (ITA)
Jamaica Urban Transport Company (JUTC) and its subsidiaries (*including the Jamaica Ultimate Tyre Company*)
Jamaica Railway Corporation (JRC)
Maritime Authority of Jamaica (MAJ)
Metropolitan Management Transport Holdings
Montego Bay Metro Company Limited
Norman Manley International Airport
National Road Safety Council (*Chaired by the Prime Minister*)

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND MINING (Cont'd)

Ports Security Corps Limited (PSC)
Toll Authority
Toll Regulator
Transport Authority
Urban and Rural Transport Boards

DEPARTMENTS (MINING)

Clarendon Alumina Production Limited (CAP)
Seismic (Earthquake) Research Unit
Jamaica Bauxite Institute (JBI)
Jamaica Bauxite Mining Company (JBM)
Mines and Geology Division

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