

CABINET AGENDA ISSUES – 15 MARCH 2016

The House is asked to note the following matters which were considered by the Cabinet at its meeting held on 15 March 2016:

1. Contract; and
2. Relocation of the Ministry of Justice.

Each matter shall be elaborated on in turn.

1. Contract

Award of Contract for the Placement of Insurance Coverage for the Port Authority of Jamaica (PAJ) for the Period 1 April 2016 to 31 March 2019

Cabinet approved the award of a contract to Marathon Insurance Brokers Limited to act as brokers for the placement of the insurances for the Port Authority of Jamaica for a three-year period, with effect from 1 April 2016 to 31 March 2019, with premiums for the first year (1 April 2016 to 31 March 2017) as set out below:

(i) Placement of US\$ Denominated Policies	US \$819,682.00
(ii) Placement of J\$ Denominated Policies	J \$9,491,334.00
(iii) Placement of Group Personal Accident	J \$700,000.00

Cabinet also approved British Caribbean Insurance Company Limited as the Insurer, through its overseas reinsurers.

2. Relocation of the Ministry of Justice

Cabinet approved the relocation of the Ministry of Justice to the Commerce Gate Office Complex at 61 Constant Spring Road, Kingston 10. The relocation of the Ministry was urgent due to the poor air quality of the Oxford Road building which has adversely impacted the health of the staff, and the operations of the Ministry and its departments. The poor air quality had also resulted in the Kingston and St. Andrew Public Health Department issuing a notice for the closure of the offices.

The Honourable House is asked to note the foregoing.



Andrew Holness, MP
Prime Minister
8 April 2016