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NEWS RELEASE

The Office of Utilities Regulation has taken note of the allegations of impropriety in connection with the processing of applications and issuance of telecommunications licenses, leveled against the organization and which were recently broadcast in the media.

The allegations were attributed to a telecommunications service provider, Gotel Jamaica Limited.

The Office (comprising the Director General and Deputy Director General) is unaware of any wrongdoing on the part of any officer or staff member, and stands by its record of integrity and transparency.

The Office has nevertheless commenced an internal enquiry into the allegations and is prepared to cooperate fully with any investigation of the telecommunications licensing process.

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