

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## Validation of Jamaica Public Service Company Limited Fuel Rates Charged in Respect of the Supply of Electricity for the Three (3) Months Ending March 31, 2008

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In accordance with the All-Island Electricity Licence, 2001, Schedule 3, Exhibit 2 – Fuel Cost Adjustment Mechanism, be advised that the system fuel rate calculated for the following Months are as follows:

- For the Month of **January 2008**, the fuel & IPP rate was **J\$13.869 per kilowatt-hour**. This reflects fuel related expenses of **J\$13.197** per kilowatt-hour and IPP surcharge of **J\$0.672** per kilowatt-hour.
- For the Month of **February 2008**, the fuel & IPP rate was **J\$13.498 per kilowatt-hour**. This reflects fuel related expenses of **J\$13.132** per kilowatt-hour and IPP surcharge of **J\$0.366** per kilowatt-hour.
- For the Month of **March 2008**, the fuel & IPP rate was **J\$14.733 per kilowatt-hour**. This reflects fuel related expenses of **J\$14.313** per kilowatt-hour and IPP surcharge of **J\$0.420** per kilowatt-hour.

**WHEREAS** Jamaica Public Service Company limited has represented that:

- (i) It has fully complied with Schedule 3, Exhibit 2 of the All-Island Electricity licence, 2001.
- (ii) The documentation submitted in support of such representation, including inter-alia calculations in respect of the system fuel rate, IPP charges and Petrojam invoices are accurate.
- (iii) It is exempted for a period of ten (10) years, effective January 1, 2003 from consumption duty invoiced on fuel oil delivery to the Bogue combined cycle power plant in Montego Bay

The Office **HAVING RELIED ON AND ACCEPTED** the said representations as true and accurate in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 4 (4) of the Office of Utilities Regulation Act as amended **HEREBY VALIDATES** the Fuel Rate Adjustment, including the Schedule for application of the fuel charge to each Rate Class for the months specified above.

**AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that this validation is voided in the event that the representations specified herein prove to be false and/or inaccurate as may be reflected by any audit, regulatory returns or the annual audit of the Company's financial statement.

Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2008.

**BY ORDER OF THE OFFICE**



**J. Paul Morgan**  
Director General