

Master List of Legislative Instruments

Note to website visitors:

This list provides you with some legislative instruments used by the OUR in fulfilling its mandate. However, ALL laws of Jamaica remain applicable. The [Ministry of Justice \(MoJ\) website](#) can provide access to even more Laws of Jamaica which are relevant to the utility regulator and its operations.

General

1. Office of Utilities Regulation Act
2. Office of Utilities Regulation (Amendment) Act, 2015
3. Office of Utilities Regulation (Amendment of First Schedule to the Act) Order, 2014
4. Public Bodies Management and Accountability Act
5. Public Bodies Management and Accountability (Amendment) Act, 2010
6. Public Bodies Management and Accountability (Amendment) Act, 2011
7. Public Bodies Management and Accountability (Amendment) Act, 2014
8. Public Bodies Management and Accountability (Amendment) Act, 2015
9. Public Bodies (Financial Distribution) Regulations, 2012
10. Public Bodies Regulations, 2015
11. Integrity Commission Act, 2017
12. Public Procurement Act, 2015
13. Public Procurement (Amendment) Act 2018
14. Access to Information Act
15. Access to Information Regulations, 2003
16. Access to Information (Appeal Tribunal) Rules, 2005
17. Protected Disclosures Act, 2011
18. Interpretation Act
19. Interpretation (Amendment) Act, 2016
20. General Consumption Tax Act
21. General Consumption Tax (Amendment) Act, 2014
22. General Consumption Tax (Amendment of Schedules) Order, 2013
23. Arbitration Act, 2017

Electricity Sector

24. Electricity Act, 2015
25. The OUR (Meter Testing Administrative and Operational Protocol for the Electricity and Water Sector in Jamaica) Order, 2017
26. Jamaica Public Service Company Limited, Electricity Licence, 2016

27. The Electricity Act (System Benefit Fund) Order, 2017

Telecommunications Sector

- 28. Telecommunications Act
- 29. Telecommunications (Universal Service Levy) Order, 2011
- 30. Telecommunications (Forms) Regulations, 2000
- 31. Telecommunications (Prescribed Equipment) Order, 2005
- 32. Telecommunications (Regulatory Fees) Regulations, 2017/2018
- 33. Telecommunications (Number Portability) Rules, 2014
- 34. The Number Portability Administration Fees 2020

Water & Sewerage Sector

- 35. The National Water Commission Act
- 36. National Water Commission (Water Supply Services) (Rates and Charges) Regulations, 1985
- 37. Water and Sewerage (Regulatory Service Fees) Regulations, 2017/2018
- 38. The OUR (Meter Testing Administrative and Operational Protocol for the Electricity and Water Sector in Jamaica) Order, 2017