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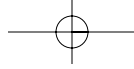
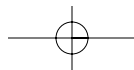
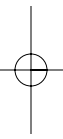
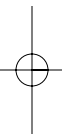


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1.0 BACKGROUND

Jamaica Promotion's Corporation (JAMPRO) was established by the Government to promote and encourage investment and export production through the effective delivery of first-rate and comprehensive business advisory services to private investors through an experienced team of professionals ready to provide expert insight and assistance in investment, trade, training, export promotion and industry modernization.

JAMPRO develops and implements programmes to encourage expand and diversify investments; modernize the production and management systems of companies as well as stimulate growth of exports from Jamaica. The organisation's focus is to support the development of businesses in Agriculture and Agro-industry, Information Technology and International Business, Leisure Industry (Tourism, Film and Music), Manufacturing and Mining.

1.1 GOVERNMENT APPROVALS

The company facilitates various types of government approvals on behalf of investors including approval for incentives, film and mining licences, work permits and visas, land, building and other approvals.

1.2 BUSINESS LIBRARY

JAMPRO maintains a comprehensive Business Library that provides information on marketing, trade and investment.

1.3 ITINERARY ARRANGEMENTS

Itineraries are arranged for Jamaican business persons visiting territories served by JAMPRO offices and also foreign business persons visiting Jamaica, to ensure maximum benefit from business travels related to investment and export.

1.4 IDENTIFICATION OF LAND AND FACTORY SPACE

Assistance is provided with the identification of appropriate sites (land and factory space) for projects.

1.5 FILM PRODUCTION

JAMPRO can assist with all aspects of film production including location scouting, administration of incentives, transportation, accommodation and personnel.

1.6 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Business enterprises can benefit from technical assistance sourced by JAMPRO from bilateral and multilateral agencies.

JAMPRO also provides counterpart staff to help with in-plant consultancy, advice on production methods and equipment selection, plant design and layout. Assistance is also provided to develop/expand businesses after start-up.

1.7 EXPORTER REGISTRATION

JAMPRO registers all exporters. The register provides current data on exporters, their credentials and ability to carry out their declared activities.

1.8 MARKETING

JAMPRO provides market intelligence and assistance with product promotion in order to help exporters locate and penetrate overseas markets.

1.9 TRADE COMMISSIONER SERVICES

JAMPRO is strategically located in New York and London, to serve business interests.

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