

At the Meeting of the Authority held on January 16, 2008 the following recommendations from the Technical Review Committee were accepted as indicated: -

<p>1. APPLICATION#2004-13017-EP00083 (AMENDMENT) Jamalco was granted a permit on October 27, 2004 for expansion of the Refinery at Halse Hall, Clarendon. The permitted activity involved the expansion of the production capacity of the refinery from 1.25 million tonnes per year to 2.8 million tonnes per year of smelting grade alumina. The permit stipulated that the fuel utilised by the expanded facility shall not exceed 2.2% sulphur content. Based on the Bubble Principle however, it was determined that the maximum sulphur content in the fuel oil would be 2.63% when the facility is fully expanded. Due to the expansion of the refinery (Phase 1), Jamalco requested an amendment of the permit to reflect a revised maximum sulphur content of 2.86%.</p>	<p>Approval granted. Conditions of the previous permit are still binding.</p>
<p>2. APPLICATION#2007-14017-EP00249 Environmental Permit for a subdivision and housing development at Part of Eltham Manor, St. Catherine by Y.P. Seaton and Associates Company Limited</p>	<p>The application was held in abeyance for the site to be inspected. After the inspection has been completed, a letter is to be sent to NWC to ascertain whether the plant has the capacity to accommodate the development.</p>
<p>3. APPLICATION #2006-01017-EP00141 Environmental Permit for drainage and sewage improvement at Passmore Town, known as Dunkirk, Kingston by the Jamaica Social Investment Fund (JSIF)</p>	<p>Permit granted with stipulated conditions.</p>

<p>4. APPLICATIONS #2007-07017-EP000261 Environmental permit for the modification of 40 hectares of wetlands at Hague Property – Falmouth, Trelawny by Port Authority of Jamaica.</p>	<p>Permit granted Conditions to be included regarding the siting of crocodiles. The recommended conditions are to be reviewed to ensure that they were carefully drafted.</p>
<p>5. APPLICATIONS #2007-07017-EP00051 Environmental Permit application for Port and Harbour Development, Falmouth Cruise Pier by Port Authority of Jamaica</p>	<p>Permit granted with stipulated conditions. The recommended conditions are to be reviewed to ensure that they were carefully drafted.</p>
<p>6. APPLICATION #2007-06017-EP00074 & #2007-06017-EL00013 Environmental Permit/Licence for the modification of an existing sewage treatment plant and discharge of sewage effluent at Belle Aire, St. Ann by National Housing Trust</p>	<p>Permit/Licence granted with stipulated conditions.</p>
<p>7. APPLICATION # 2007-06017-EP00224 & #2007-06017-EL00048 Environmental Permit/Licence for the modification of existing wastewater treatment facility for the Dairy Manufacturing Plant at Island Dairies Limited, Priory, St. Ann by Island Dairies</p>	<p>Permit/Licence granted with stipulated conditions.</p>

<p>8 APPLICATION #2007-02017-EL00051 Environmental Licence for discharge of trade effluent at 122 ¾ Barbican Road, St. Andrew by Ray Brennan</p>	<p>Licence refused for the following reason:-</p> <p>The trade effluent to be discharged to the storm drain will not meet the Natural Resources Conservation Authority (NRCA) standards for discharge to the environment.</p>
<p>9 APPLICATION #2007-08017-BL00032 Beach Licence for use of the foreshore and floor of the sea for dredging at RIU Mahoe Bay, St. James by RIU Jamaicotel Limited.</p>	<p>Beach Licence granted with stipulated conditions</p>
<p>10. APPLICATION #2007-07017-BL00013 Beach Licence application for dredging of 4.4 million cubic metres of material, construction of mooring dolphins, sea wall and coastline reclamation by Port Authority of Jamaica</p>	<p>Beach Licence granted with stipulated conditions</p> <p>The recommended conditions are to be reviewed to ensure that they were carefully drafted.</p> <p>In terms of the dredging activities, omit the word “some” from condition 15.</p>