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Your weekly news & updates

This week's issue will give you a glimpse into: Help us help you understand the EPA!, Members' Forum on Jamaica's Energy Vision 2030, Public Forum on The Business of Medicinal Marijuana: Profit or Loss?, ICC Conference in Kingston, Jamaica on "Boosting the use of arbitration in the Caribbean", Highlights from the All Island Parish Chamber Meeting & Luncheon & the JCC ICC Editorial panel at the Gleaner Editor's Forum.

Upcoming Events :



There's still time for you to register for the ICC Arbitration Conference in Kingston, Jamaica.

The International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), in association with the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators- Caribbean Branch (CiArb), the Jamaica International Arbitration Centre (JAIAC), the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration (KLRCA) and the JCC, will be staging a conference entitled "**Boosting the Use of Arbitration in the Caribbean**" in Kingston, Jamaica on Monday, **August 28, 2017**. The Jamaica Chamber of Commerce (JCC) is a member of the ICC which represents chambers of commerce throughout most of the world.

**Venue: The Spanish Court Hotel,
1 St. Lucia Avenue, Kingston 5**

**Registration Cost: ICC- CIArb- JAIAC-
JCC- KLRCA Members: US\$250.00 /
32,000(JA) Non Members: US\$300.00 /
38,000 (JA)**

**For more details please contact JCC or
email Janet Silvera: (info@jaiac.org).**

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The Jamaica
Chamber of
Commerce

FREE Members' Forum

ENERGY VISION 2030

**Guest Speaker: Fitzroy Vidal- Principal Director in
Energy, Ministry of Science, Energy & Technology**

- Benefits of LNG
- Commercial vs Residential Billing
- Netbilling using solar solutions

September 14, 2017 @ 8:30 am

**Jamaica's Energy Vision 2030, how are
we progressing to achieve it & how will it
affect us?**

Join us for the next JCC Members' Forum on
September 14, 2017 at 8:30 am @ JCC's
Secretariat, 58 Half Way Tree Road, Kingston
10.

Come hear Guest Speaker **Fitzroy Vidal -
Principal Director in Energy from the
Ministry of Science, Energy &
Technology** address on:

- How will Jamaica's Energy Vision 2030 affect us.
- The benefits of LNG.
- Commercial vs Residential Billing.
- Net-billing - using solar solutions.
- Energy Consumption.

You are invited to come and join the
discussion. JCC Members only FREE!

To reserve your seat for the forum, please
email nordia.henry@jamaicachamber.org.jm
or thasya.fletcher@jamaicachamber.org.jm
or call **922-0150-1**.



SAVE THE DATE

PUBLIC FORUM
"The Business of Medicinal Marijuana: Profit or Loss?"

August 30, 2017 | 6:00 p.m.
Executive Lecture Theatre, MSBM (North)
The UWI, Mona Campus

Public Forum: "The Business of Medicinal Marijuana: Profit or Loss?"

The Mona School of Business Management (MSBM) presents a Public Forum on "The Business of Medicinal Marijuana: Profit or Loss?" on **Wednesday, August 30, 2017 at 6:00pm.**

You are invited to join in the discussion. You can bring a friend or colleague.

Contact Mona School of Business & Management for further details at (876) 977-6035 or 3775 or email msbm@uwimona.edu.jm or telephone www.mona.uwi.edu/msbm

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Help us help you understand the EPA!

Caribbean Export is in the process of simplifying the CARIFORUM-EU Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA) for regional SMEs in an effort to support businesses to increase exports to European markets. As such, they would like you to identify your current level of understanding of key aspects of the agreement, in order for them to better understand your information needs. The results of the survey will allow them to develop a targeted breakdown of the EPA which is suited to your needs. Therefore they are asking for your assistance in completing this survey on your understanding of the different aspects of the EPA.

Take Survey: <http://carib-export.us5.list-manage.com/track/click?u=f70a3cefd17281acaea426b4&id=b3f1593348&e=13e4146a50>

JCC Highlights :



Keynote Speaker, Mr. Earl Jarrett, Chief Executive Officer Jamaica National Group, address members & guests at the 3rd quarter's All Island Parish Chamber meeting at Casa Maria Hotel in St. Mary on August 19, 2017.



#JCC ICC editorial panelist at the Gleaner Editor's Forum, speaking on Arbitration & the value to Jamaica as a precursor to the upcoming ICC Conference on August 28, 2017. Members of the panel are: (L-R) Anthony Hylton- MP, Dr. Christopher Malcolm- Secretary General of Jamaica International Arbitration Center, Larry Watson- President of JCC & Hon. Parnell Charles Jr- Minister of State in the Ministry of National Security.



Parish Chamber Presidents & other Executive Members of the secretariat at Casa Maria Hotel in St. Mary for the 3rd Quarter's All Island Parish Chamber meeting on August 19, 2017

We want to hear from you!

Do you have information on a Seminar or business event that you would like to share with other JCC members? Please send us the details by close of business each Tuesday and we'll include it in our weekly newsletter! Send email to: nordia.henry@jamaicachamber.org.jm

The JCC team is committed to providing excellent professional services to its members. Please feel free to contact us for answers to any questions or queries you have. We can be contacted at 922-0150-1 or info@jamaicachamber.org.jm

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