

HEADQUARTERS JAMAICA DEFENCE FORCE

UP PARK CAMP KINGSTON 5 JAMAICA

18 November 2009

REQUEST FOR COVERAGE

DEPLOYMENT OF JAMAICA DEFENCE FORCE CONTINGENT FOR THE COMMONWEALTH HEADS OF GOVERNMENT MEETING

The Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting (CHOGM) is scheduled to be hosted by Trinidad and Tobago over the period 27 - 29 November 2009.

Jamaica will be providing assistance to CHOGM as part of the Joint Inter-Agency Multi-National Task Force Security Operation.

The JDF Contingent will comprise seventy-seven (77) all ranks of the Infantry and Logistic Support Staff. They will depart from the Norman Manley International Airport (Manley Base) on Wednesday 18 November 2009 at 1900 hrs (7:00 p.m.).

The JDF is requesting coverage for the deployment of the Contingent.

- END -

CONTACTS

Major Ricardo O St M Blackwood Civil/Military Co-operation Officer Telephone 926-7668/832-4534 Captain Basil Jarrett Civil/Military Co-operation Officer Telephone 926-7668/833-0811