

## News release

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### PwC Jamaica donates J\$4 million to the PSOJ COVID-19 Jamaica Response Fund

**Kingston, Jamaica** – As Jamaica continues to respond to the impact of COVID-19, PwC Jamaica recognises that there are significant challenges facing our health services, and that our communities are at risk. We believe businesses like ours have a critical role to play in filling the gaps and meeting the needs of key stakeholders.

**PwC Jamaica** is, therefore, pleased to support the Private Sector Organisation of Jamaica - PSOJ COVID-19 Response Fund with a donation of **J\$4 million**. The Fund, which has a target of J\$250 million, will be channeled through two key areas of need: **Food Security and Health Services**. It is aimed at providing support to our healthcare workers fighting this pandemic on the frontline and assisting those who live in communities most impacted.

**Leighton McKnight, PwC Jamaica territory leader, said:** “The impact of COVID-19 on the people and communities of Jamaica is unprecedented. We are now facing challenges that are creating new norms for all of us. As we navigate this crisis together, we believe that businesses should play significant roles in helping our health services and assisting the most vulnerable in our communities. Collectively we can make a difference in helping the country respond to, and recover from this pandemic.”

“The PSOJ is grateful for this generous gift from PwC,” **President Keith Duncan said**. “It takes us a step nearer to our goals, and will help us in our fight against the impact of this pandemic. PwC’s contribution and thoughtfulness is a shining example of corporate responsibility.”

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Leighton McKnight, PwC Jamaica territory leader  
Keith Duncan, President, Private Sector Organisation of Jamaica

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