Overview of the Operations

Jamaica Customs Department

Network of eGovernment leaders of Latin America and the Caribbean

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Mission

To be a world class Customs organization that facilitates trade, protects our borders and promotes economic growth, consistent with national policies on trade and development
Customs Operations

- Cargo Processing
  - Entry processing
  - Valuations
  - Collections and Accounts
  - Cargo Examination and Release

- Passenger Processing

- Risk Management, Compliance and Enforcement

- Tariffs and Trade Policy
Customs Automation

- **Cargo Processing (C78) System:**
  - Online system for import declarations
  - Controls workflows
  - Automatic feedback to Custom Brokers
  - Online lookup for Brokers and Importers
  - Risk Profiling
Customs Automation

- **Electronic Payment of Duties**
  - Computerized collections systems
  - Online payment facility (ePayment)
  - Accounting
Customs Automation

- **Electronic Manifest**
  - Online submission of Manifest
  - Automatic feedback to Shipping Agents and Freight Forwarders
  - Risk Profiling
Customs Automation

- **Risk Management**
  - Valuations support
  - Risk Analysis support
  - Intelligence support

Integrates with Cargo Processing (C78) system & Electronic Manifest.
Customs Automation

- Data Warehouse
  - Historical data
Customs Automation

Integration with Trade Agencies

- Inland Revenue – Motor Vehicle data
- Trade Board - Validation of licenses and permits
- JAMPRO – Validation of exporter’s registration
Summary

Operations strategically aligned to fulfill mandates of mission:

- Trade facilitation
- Border protection
- Revenue generation

Using IT to support and enhance our operations.
Questions