

# **The Jamaica Castor Industry Association**

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## Proposed JCIA Vision and Mission

### Vision

- The vision of the Jamaica Castor Industry Association is to be the authority on castor in Jamaica, and to guide a structured industry that is integral to the development of the Jamaican economy and protects the products, history and cultural significance of castor, while remaining profitable.

### Mission

- The mission of the Jamaica Castor Industry Association is to create opportunities to ensure the protection, growth and sustainable development of the Jamaica castor industry by driving standards and regulations through the implementation of strategies to benefit stakeholders in support of Jamaica's economic growth.

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- Aims & Objectives

It is the objective of the Association to provide the highest quality service to its members and in particular:

- a) To assist the members to maximize their individual interests relating to Castor.
- b) To be a “one stop shop” for obtaining information related to Castor in Jamaica.
- c) To showcase and assist the public, potential investors, service providers and resource owners to understand and pursue the opportunities available from Castor initiatives.
- d) To develop and implement a business plan to grow the Association for the overall benefit of its members.
- e) To realize opportunities for Castor through the development and implementation of strategic plans.

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- f) To promote networking among members and others in related fields and to generally promote the Castor sector and the companies that work in it.
- g) To disseminate research results and other knowledge on Castor amongst members.
- h) To provide a united Castor Industry voice, and to present to others a coherent argument for the benefits of Castor and the goals and capabilities of the Members.
- i) To advocate for the Castor Industry in the media, to the public and to Government.
- j) To assist members develop their short and long-term business opportunities and projects.
- k) To assist members understand the requirements of stake-holders.
- l) To investigate and disseminate sector information to reduce member and investor uncertainty.
- m) To represent the Jamaican Castor Industry internationally to assist the transfer of international knowledge and experience to relevant Jamaican practitioners.

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- n) To proactively assist Government develop policies and implement programs that further the interests of members and the industry.
- o) To help foster Jamaican export opportunities for the Castor Industry
- p) Assist members achieve their individual business objectives.
- q) To gather and record industry data and performance measures, i.e. the collection and dissemination of information related to the Castor industry, its participants and activities. This database will include information about the facilities in use, size, location, etc.
- r) To develop and enhance co-operation with any other agencies or organizations with objectives similar or identical to that of the Association.
- s) To protect the castor industry through licencing, certification, trademark, copyrights, and geographical identification of castor products and specifically the Jamaica Black Castor Oil (JBCO).
- t) To perform such acts, address matters or obtains things as may be recognized or expedient for the purposes of the Association or is conducive to the attainment of the objectives of the Association and its members.
- u) To be the repository of castor information in Jamaica

# Concept of the Biodiesel Association

- The Association Structure

BOARD

Members

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## BOARD

The Officers of the Association:

- Chairman
- Five (5) Directors
- Secretary
- Treasurer



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- Duties

- Promote the objectives of the Association
- Administration and Management of the Association Business
- Delegation of functions and powers

# Draft Constitution

