



To: The News Editor

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**Power supply problems affect St. Thomas System
....Scheduled works to disrupt water supply in sections of St. Andrew**

National Water Commission customers in sections of **St. Thomas** who are served by the **Springfield Well** are being advised that the disruption they are currently experiencing in their service is due to power supply problems at the facility. The matter has been reported to the Jamaica Public Service Company Limited and every effort is being made to restore normal operations at the facility.

Areas affected by this disruption in service include: **Morant bay, Springfield, Duhaney Pen, Roselle, Lyssons, Western Prospect, York, Alexander Park, Retreat, Seaforth and Highbury**

In the meantime, the Commission is also reporting that it will be conducting mechanical works on the **Long Mountain Deep Well in St. Andrew on Wednesday, August 10, 2011 between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00pm.** Customers who are served by this facility will experience low water pressure or no water conditions during the period.

Areas that will be affected include: **Harbour View, Palisadoes, Port Royal and Seven Miles.** Customers in these areas are therefore being urged to store water for use during the period of disruption.

The National Water Commission apologizes for any inconvenience caused to its valued customers in these instances.

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