

JUST RIGHTS

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1. **NEW LEGISLATION**: The Bar has received the following Bill from the Houses of Parliament (Gordon House):

An Act to Establish the Office of Custos Rotularum (**Act No. 17/11**)

2. **NOTICE**

As part of its 35th anniversary celebration The National Housing Trust (NHT) will be staging a series of fairs across Jamaica in February 2010. The theme of the fairs will be "Partnerships in Housing: A Journey to Affordable Housing." The Association is invited to participate at these fairs as we play a critical role in the housing industry. You will be notified of the dates and venues for each fair.

3. **OVERSEAS PROGRAMMES/SEMINARS**:

- The next Football World Cup for Lawyers:
The 16th MUNDIAVOCAT CLASSIC/3rd MUNDIAVOCAT MASTER will take place in Rovinj, Croatia from June 1 to 10 2012
- The Public Administration International (PAI) is having a one week study programme on **Public Law in Changing Times: How do government lawyers respond?**
Applications may be completed online at:
www.public-admin.co.uk

Please contact the Bar office for further information.

4. REPORTS/PUBLICATIONS

The following reports are available at the Bar office:

- Ministry of Justice – Draft National Restorative Justice Policy
- Ministry of Justice – Annual Reports 2008-09 & 2009-10
- Interights Bulletin Volume 16 Number 3 – Violence Against Women: Protection and Prevention Through International Law
- Institute of Chartered Accountants of Jamaica – Annual Report 2010 – 2011

5. JAMBAR CONTACT: The Association's offices are located at 78 Harbour Street, Kingston. The telephone numbers are 967-3394; 967-9034; 967-3783 (fax); Email: jba@flowja.com.
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