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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Outbound Mail Items to China and Hong Kong Suspended**

**The Post and Telecommunications Department (PTD), 6-10 South Camp Road, Central Sorting Office (CSO), Kingston,** wishes to advise our valued customers that effective Monday, February 10, 2020 all outbound mail items to China and Hong Kong, *with the exception of Fast Track shipments*, will be suspended until further notice.

The outbreak of the Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV) has affected the lives of many persons. This growing global health emergency, which is still being studied by health officials continue to impact commerce and logistics. The PTD which works with various partners, including international flights to and from China, the epicentre of the 2019-nCoV and Hong Kong, have been affected.

Regrettably, the Department has been left with no choice but to cease accepting mail items destined to China and Hong Kong as our airline partners have suspended their services to those countries. However, customers may still utilize the Fast Track service to export packages worldwide, excepting to Wuhan, China. We will continue to monitor the situation closely and as soon as things return to normal we will resume operations in the affected areas.

For additional information about our products and services, you may visit our website at [jamaicapost.gov.jm](http://jamaicapost.gov.jm) or email [info@jamaicapost.gov.jm](mailto:info@jamaicapost.gov.jm). The Post and Telecommunications Department sincerely apologizes for any inconvenience caused as we remain committed to delivering uncompromised logistics solutions to all our customers.

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