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The ninth PSOJ Job Creation Award Ceremony, sponsored by Cable & Wireless Jamaica Ltd., will be held on Tuesday, October 22, 2002 at the Terra Nova All Suite Hotel, beginning at 7.45 a.m.

This month's awardees are Jencare Skin Farm, Knutsford Court Hotel, Palace Amusement and the small business awardee: Solid Life & General Insurance Brokers. President of the Small Business Association of Jamaica, Ms. Andrea Graham, will be the guest speaker.

The PSOJ's Job Creation Award was designed to recognize companies who have made new investment that has led to the creation of a minimum of twenty-five (25) new employment opportunities. Starting in July, 2002, in collaboration with the Small Business Association of Jamaica (SBAJ), a monthly award is also presented to entrepreneurs/small business companies who have created a minimum of five additional jobs.

President of the PSOJ, Oliver Clarke said that the PSOJ is particularly pleased to be associated with this event, which recognizes hard work, persistence, the willingness to take chances and hope for the future. "These awardees are helping to contribute to economic growth and are positive role models to be emulated", continued Clarke.

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