SCOTIABANK BREAKS GROUND FOR NEW FINANCIAL SERVICES CENTRE IN MONTEGO BAY



Caption: (from left) Rosemarie Pilliner - Executive Vice President - Operation; Bruce Bowen, President and CEO of Scotiabank; Sylvia Chrominska - Global Head of Human Resources and COmmunications Scotiabank (International); Brian Porter - President Scotiabank (International); Dr Angela Samuels-Harris - Director of the Board of Scotia Insurance Jamaica Ltd; Councilor Glendon Harris, Mayor of Montego Bay.

[Montego Bay, February 28, 2013] Scotiabank today marked the official start of construction for a new financial services centre in Fairview, Montego Bay. When complete, the new building will offer a full suite of financial services, including, Premium Banking; Scotia Private Client Group; Scotia Investments Jamaica Limited and Scotia Insurance.

Bruce Bowen, president of Scotiabank said: "This project can be referenced against our continued commitment to Jamaica and Scotiabank's continued role in the growth and development of this great country. It is the strength of that relationship and our relationship of more than 124 years that drives us to work hard at improving how we meet the needs of our customers and contributing to their individual visions of success."

Fairview has become an important commercial centre in Montego Bay, with its proximity to a host of communities among them, Westgate Hills, Spring Garden and Bogue. The new 19,000 sq ft., CAD\$9.3M Scotiabank Financial Centre is expected to be completed within 24 months.

The project is being managed by BCQS International, Design Collaborative International and HLC structural engineers.