CONVENTIONS, ASSEMBLIES AND SEMINARS
(Tariff CO)
Effective from 1 January 2018

1. SCOPE OF TARIFF

This tariff applies to performances of music whether live or recorded at conventions, assemblies and seminars where music is not the main entertainment.

2. GENERAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS

2.1. This TARIFF applies to performances of music covered by a licence from JACAP. JACAP is not bound to offer a licence under this tariff in respect of any performances for which application was not made in advance.

2.2. A 10% discount of the tariff applies only to (i) new licences obtained before the performances commenced; or (ii) licences due for renewal obtained before the prescribed renewal date.

2.3. The License Fee payable under this tariff is calculated by reference to the "Gross Revenue" subject to a particular minimum fee per day on which music is performed.

2.4. For the purposes of this tariff the following definitions shall apply:-

2.4.1. "Gross Revenue" means admission fees (excluding any element thereof in respect of Value Added Tax and any other payments levied as a matter of law on actual receipts).

2.4.2. "JACAP means the Jamaica Association of Composers, Authors and Publishers Ltd.

2.4.3. "Persons' Capacity" shall mean the maximum number of persons which could normally be accommodated in the room where the performances take place.

2.4.4. "Specially Featured Entertainment" means music performed by:

- performers in person, or
- a compact disc, tape or record player, or
- audio, visual equipment or video player
- or any electro-mechanical or digital device

2.5. JACAP reserves the right to make such variations in this tariff as it considers appropriate where licensing premises or performances which, in its opinion, do not fall within the scope of this tariff.

3. License Fee

License Fee per event …….. $16,000.00

4. INFLATION ADJUSTMENT

JACAP reserves the right, upon one months' notice to Licensees under this tariff, to adjust the License Fees payable under this tariff on the 1st January 2018 and on each succeeding anniversary by the percentage (to the nearest whole percentage point) by which the Consumer Price Index published by the Statistical Institute of Jamaica changes for December 2018 (and subsequently for December of the following years), when compared with the figure for December in the previous year.