## DEHRING BUNTING & GOLDING LIMITED 1998

## GROUP RESULTS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1998

The directors of Dehring Bunting & Golding Ltd. announce the following unaudited results for the three month period ended September 30, 1998:-

Summary of Balance Sheet	As at 30-Sep-98 \$000's	As at 30-Sep-97 \$000's
Total Assets Stock Holders Equity	3,253,367 192,421	2,032,424 169,496
Summary of Profit and Loss Third Quarter (Jul Sept.)	Three Months ended 30-Sep-98 \$000's	Three Months ended 30-Sep-97 \$000's
Gross Operating Revenue	356,620	163,027
Profit After Tax	9,791	4,946
Earnings Per Share	\$0.087	\$0.044

Summary of Profit and Loss Year to Date (Jan Sept.)	Nine Months ended 30-Sep-98 \$000's	Nine Months ended 30-Sep-97 \$000's
Gross Operating Revenue	1,010,515	478,221
Profit After Tax	20,272	15,165
Earnings Per Share	\$0.180	\$0.135

## NOTES:

- 1. Total Assets include assets held on behalf of clients in which DB&G has an interest. This figure does not include Bank of Jamaica Repurchase Agreements which are brokered by the Company in its capacity as an approved Primary Dealer. Figure for 1997 has been restated accordingly for comparative purposes.
- 2. Gross Operating Revenue for the third quarter of 1998 more than doubled when compared with the same period of the previous year.
- 3. Profit after Tax for the quarter ended September 30, 1998 increased by 98% when compared with the same period of the previous year.
- 4. Profit after Tax for the first nine months of 1998 increased to \$20.3 million, a 34% increase over profits earned in the first nine months of 1997.

Peter Bunting - Director

Mark Golding - Director