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JPS Welcomes New Board Chairman

October 1, 2021

Kingston, Jamaica: The Jamaica Public Service Company Ltd. (JPS) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Yong Hyun Kim, as Chairman of the Board of Directors, effective **October 1, 2021**. Mr. Kim succeeds Mr. Bok Hoa Jeong who served as Chairman between April 2020–September 2021.

As a former JPS Board Member (2018), Mr. Kim is no stranger to the Jamaican experience and landscape. He has coordinated several international projects including the establishment of the 190MW Old Harbour Combined Cycle Gas Power Plant in Jamaica.

Mr. Kim boasts over 20 years of experience in the electricity industry. Having his start as an associate at the Korea Electric Power Company (KEPCO), Mr. Kim brings a unique professional mix to JPS. He has experience in many areas of the electricity industry including finance, strategy and planning, performance management, and domestic and overseas business.

Presently, Mr. Kim serves as Managing Director in the Global Business Division at the Korea East-West Power Company (EWP). In this role, he led EWP to becoming one of the biggest power providers in Korea by developing and operating new power businesses (Thermal and Renewable) all over the world. He was also able to set up the long-term and short-term strategies for EWP's overseas businesses, dealing with potential risks and facilitating partnerships.

Mr. Kim believes that electricity has the potential to be the best and easiest way to improve the lives of people and benefit the earth.

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