

GENERATION 2000 (G2K) CONSTITUTION



(2019 Version)

1. **NAME**

The name of the Organization shall be Generation 2000 or G2K which may be used interchangeably.

2. **ADMINISTRATIVE YEAR**

The Administrative year of G2K shall run from the date of the Annual General Meeting to the date of the next Annual General Meeting, held in November each year, and the full term of office for any elected or appointed officer, subject to the provisions hereinbelow, shall run from the date of acceptance of appointment, in the case of appointed officers, or election (in the case of elected officers) to the last day of the Administrative Year .

3. **AIMS AND OBJECTIVES**

- (a) To serve as the young professional affiliate of the Jamaica Labour Party (hereinafter referred to interchangeably as “the Party” or the “JLP”), being the voice of said demographic to the Party, while promoting the Party’s ethos, programmes, mission, vision and policies to the said demographic with a view to attracting same to the Party.
- (b) To create a better Jamaica through an organized and effective JLP.
- (c) To collaborate and co-operate with the JLP on all issues G2K and the Party may deem necessary, and to the extent as may be agreed from time to time to be appropriate. Notwithstanding the generality of the foregoing, G2K reserves the right to hold and express responsibly and respectfully, views that do not necessarily coincide with those of the Party, provided these views are neither detrimental nor injurious to the image of and abiding unity between the Party and Generation 2000 and are done within the confines of the relevant protocol established and promulgated time to time by G2K.

- (d) To promote, communicate, and foster the principles of democracy to all the people of Jamaica.
- (e) To undertake research, as may be determined, in all aspects of the social, political and economic life of the people of Jamaica, and to publish the finding of same as agreed from time to time.
- (f) To stimulate interest in the importance of political education.
- (g) To provide facilities for the advancement of knowledge and understanding of the principles of transparency, accountability and good governance.
- (h) To publish such material as is desirable in furtherance of the educational objectives of G2K.
- (i) To establish and maintain a library and collection of literature, films, videotapes and other visual and audio-visual and other materials relating to politics and political ideologies and to afford facilities for the use of the same.
- (j) To bring together persons and organizations interested in the, principles and politics of democracy and democratic organizations by such means as conferences and meetings, the reading of papers and the promotion of research.
- (k) Subject to the laws of Jamaica, to accept gifts, donations and bequests and devices for the purposes of G2K and to undertake and execute any trusts in respect of any such bequest or device and to solicit and appeal for any such gifts, donations or bequests as aforesaid.

- (l) To apply for, solicit, obtain, accept and utilize international, government, departmental, municipal or other grants, once qualified for, towards carrying out the objects of G2K.
- (m) To subscribe to any relevant local or other political institution or organization and to grant donations for any political, educational, charitable or cultural purpose.
- (n) To promote, form, establish and/or support any institution, society, company or association not formed for profit and being an educational or political organization with objects broadly similar to those of G2K.
- (o) To amalgamate or affiliate with any institution, society, company or association being an educational or political organization with objects broadly similar to those of G2K and the JLP and prohibiting the distribution of its property and income amongst its members.
- (p) To promote, preserve and defend the rights of all Jamaicans for recognition of those rights in the society including educational, cultural, political social, religious and economic opportunities;
- (q) To do all such other lawful things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objectives or any of them.

4. CODE OF CONDUCT

- (a) All members of G2K shall be bound by the G2K Code of Conduct annexed to this Constitution, as may be amended from time to time by majority vote of the Management Committee.

- (b) Any breach of the Code of Conduct shall render the offending member liable to disciplinary proceedings and possible expulsion from G2K in accordance with the provisions herein.

5. STRUCTURE OF G2K

G2K shall be comprised of:-

- I. The Elected Officers
- II. The Management Committee
- III. The Central Executive Committee
- IV. The Chapters
- V. Direct Members
- VI. Affiliate Groups

6. The Elected Officers

- (a) The Elected Officers shall be comprised of the President and 4 Vice-Presidents, who shall all be elected at a General Meeting of the organization;
- (b) The positions of President and 4 Vice-Presidents shall be elected;
- (c) No person shall be elected President who was not a member of the Management Committee in the year preceding his/her candidacy, having served on said Management Committee for at least 80% of the Administrative Year.
- (d) Subject to the provisions herein, the Elected Officers shall have the executive authority to make all operational and policy decisions in respect of the organisation, in consultation with the Management Committee, reporting such decisions to the Central Executive Committee at the regular and/or special meetings of the Central Executive Committee
- (e) The Elected Officers shall, as it deems necessary, set the goals and objectives for each committee and for G2K in general.

- (f) An Elected Officer shall only be removed by way of a majority vote of no confidence by the Central Executive Committee, or in accordance with Clause 12 B.
- (g) The President shall from time to time, in consultation with the other Elected Officers, agree and designate in writing, the roles and responsibilities of each position within the Management Committee

7. **THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

- (a) The Management Committee shall be comprised of The President, 4 Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, Deputy Treasurer, General Secretary, Deputy General Secretaries, Legal Advisor, Committee Chairpersons and no more than 5 co-opted members (if desired).
- (b) The President in consultation with the other Elected Officers shall appoint all Management Committee members who do not hold elected positions as deemed necessary to achieve the goals and objectives of G2K. Said Committee members are to be appointed as soon as is possible, but in the case of the Treasurer, Deputy Treasurer, General Secretary, Deputy General Secretaries and Legal Advisor, no later than three months after the start of the Administrative year. The President, in consultation with the other Elected Officers, may form new committees as may be required, at his/her discretion, at any time within the Administrative Year.
- (c) The Management Committee shall develop and/or modify the electoral procedures, which shall apply to the nomination and election of the officers of G2K, including those of its Chapters.
- (d) Each member of the Management Committee shall take such actions individually and through their respective Committee (if applicable) as are necessary to implement such goals and objectives as have been agreed or otherwise designated by the Elected Officers, such goals and objectives having been agreed or designated by the Elected Officers after consultation with the wider Management Committee.

- (e) Any member of the Management Committee or any other committee of G2K, being a non-elected member, who is found by the Disciplinary Committee, after a hearing, to not be performing his/her duties effectively and/or fairly and/or impartially and/or in the interest of the organization or as deemed necessary to achieve the goals and objectives of G2K may be removed and replaced by the President, or otherwise sanctioned. Such removal or other sanction must be supported by a minimum of 2/3 of a quorum of the Management Committee present and voting at a meeting of the said Management Committee, provided that a minimum of 14 days' notice is given to the Management Committee of the meeting where the matter is to be considered.
- (f) Any non-elected member of the Management Committee may be summarily removed or suspended (i.e. without need for a Disciplinary Hearing) by the President, in consultation with the Elected Officers, from being a member of said Management Committee in circumstances where the President has lost confidence in the ability of the member to perform his/ her duties.
- (g) The Management Committee shall have general powers of decision making generally on behalf of the organization, subject to the powers reposed in the President and Elected Officers solely herein, and the principle of collective responsibility shall govern all decisions taken by this Committee.
- (h) Unless otherwise specified herein, decisions of the Management Committee shall be taken by a simple majority of members of the Committee present and voting.
- (i) The President or such other designate (being a member of the Management Committee) appointed by him/her to act in his/her absence, in addition to an original vote, will always have the casting vote in the event of a tied vote in any meeting of the Management Committee.
- (j) The Management Committee shall be convened by the President or his

designate monthly, unless otherwise agreed by the said Management Committee in special circumstances. Management Committee meetings may however be convened more than once per month by the President or his designate, if deemed necessary in the interest of the organization.

- (k) No member of the Management Committee shall be eligible to vote in any meeting of the Management Committee nor any election of G2K, nor be duly nominated to run for an elected post of G2K, unless said member is in good financial standing in respect of any relevant subscription fees of the organization as may be promulgated by the Treasurer from time to time. The criteria for good financial standing shall be promulgated by the Treasurer and approved by the Management Committee.
- (l) The Management Committee reserves the right to summarily sanction any Chapter Executive if it deems same to be reasonably required in the interest of G2K.

8. THE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- (a) The Central Executive Committee shall be comprised of the Elected Officers; the members of the Management Committee; from each Chapter, the Chairperson and two other member of the Chapter Executive elected for that particular representative position on the Committee by the members of the Chapter; one nominee from each Chapter Steering Committee; one nominee from each Affiliated Group; and a maximum of 10 co-opted members agreed by the previously mentioned members of the Central Committee.
- (b) The President of G2K or such person appointed by him shall chair the Central Executive Committee and the General Secretary of G2K or his designate shall be the Secretary of the Central Committee. The Central Executive Committee shall otherwise from time to time agree the roles and responsibilities of the members of the Central Executive Committee.
- (c) Each member of the Central Executive Committee shall take such action individually and through their respective Committees, Chapter Steering Committees and Chapters as necessary to implement such goals and

objectives as have been agreed or otherwise designated by the Elected Officers and/or Management Committee.

- (d) The Central Executive Committee shall have the power to appoint special committees or sub-committees.
- (e) The Central Executive Committee shall have the power to remove and replace any member of its committees or sub-committees, being a non-elected member, who is found to not be performing his/her duties effectively, fairly, and in the interests of the organization. Such removal and / or replacement may be made by the Chairman of the Central Executive Committee upon the recommendation of the Disciplinary Committee supported by a minimum of 2/3 of a quorum of the Central Executive Committee present and voting at a meeting of the said committee, provided that a minimum of 14 days' notice is given to the Central Committee of the meeting where the matter is to be considered. Notwithstanding the foregoing, should any member of the Central Executive Committee, whose membership in same arose from holding another substantive post in G2K be removed or otherwise cease to hold said substantive post, his/her membership in the Central Executive Committee shall automatically cease.
- (f) Unless otherwise specified herein, decisions of the Central Executive Committee shall be taken by a simple majority of members present and voting and the principle of Collective Responsibility shall apply.
- (g) The Central Executive Committee may recommend goals and objectives of G2K to the Management Committee for ratification.
- (h) The President or his designated Chairperson shall have the casting vote in the event of a tied vote at any meeting of the Central Executive Committee.
- (i) The Central Executive Committee shall convene regular meetings no less than three (3) times per year, and otherwise on such days and at such times as shall from time to time be determined, provided that members shall be given no less than 10 days' notice of any meeting.

- (j) No member of the Central Executive Committee shall be eligible to vote in any meeting of the said Central Executive Committee nor any election of G2K, nor be duly nominated to run for an elected post within G2K, unless said member is in good financial standing in respect of any relevant subscription fees of the organization as may be promulgated by the Treasurer from time to time. The criteria for good financial standing shall be promulgated by the Treasurer and approved by the Management Committee.

9. CHAPTERS

- (a) G2K shall at all times make its best efforts to ensure that there shall be no less than one Chapter of G2K in every parish. Chapters must be inaugurated by The Management Committee.
- (b) Chapters shall have such structure and officers and shall operate in accordance with such rules and regulations as from time to time shall be promulgated by the Management Committee and reported to the Central Committee, provided that the Chapter Roles, Rules and Responsibilities existing at the time of adoption of the Constitution shall apply without further action or agreement by any Committee of G2K, until and/or unless amended. If any provision in the said document conflicts with a provision in the Constitution, the Constitution shall prevail.
- (c) Every Chapter, Steering Committee and Constituency Support Unit must have an election for its chairman every administrative year.

10. MEMBERSHIP

- (a) Individuals of 18 years and over may become Members of the G2K by:
 - (i) registering as a Direct Member; or
 - (ii) registering as a member of an Affiliate Group;

and paying any relevant subscription fee for membership.

(b) *Direct Membership*

- (i) All applications for Direct Membership must be signed by the Applicant, two members of the Central Executive Committee and ratified by the Secretariat.
- (ii) Direct Members shall be entitled to hold office in the organization if elected or appointed in accordance with the Constitution and such rules and regulations as may be issued by the Management Committee from time to time.
- (iii) Direct Members shall have the right to attend Annual General Meetings and Extraordinary General Meetings of G2K
- (iv) A Registry or database of Direct Members shall be maintained at the main office of G2K by the General Secretary or such person as he/she may from time to time designate.

(c) *Affiliate Group Membership*

- (i) Such national, international and local voluntary or non-profit organizations, whether corporate or unincorporated, as are interested in furthering the work principles and objectives of G2K may from time to time be designated as G2K Affiliated Groups by the Management Committee.
- (ii) Each G2K Affiliated Group may, having informed the General Secretary of G2K in writing, appoint one individual to represent it at meetings of the Central Committee, but such individuals shall not form a quorum, nor have the power to vote. In the event of such individual person resigning or otherwise leaving the G2K Affiliated Group he or she shall forthwith cease to be a representative thereof. The G2K Affiliated Group shall have the right to appoint a new representative, but such representative shall not be permitted to act

in such capacity until the General Secretary of G2K has been advised in writing of the change.

- (iii) All members and G2K affiliated groups shall pay such subscription fees as the Management Committee may from time to time prescribe.
- (d) The Management Committee reserves the right to create different categories of membership as and when it deems such categories appropriate and in the interests of the organization.
- (e) Membership is contingent on members maintaining good financial standing in respect of any relevant subscription fee(s) in the terms as promulgated by the Treasurer and approved by the Management Committee from time to time.

11. CO-OPTED MEMBERS

- (a) Only Direct Members of G2K shall be eligible to serve as Co-opted Members of the Management Committee or of the Central Executive Committee.
- (b) If vacancies occur among the Co-opted Members of the Central Executive Committee, the Committee shall have the power to fill these from amongst its Direct Members. Any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall hold office until conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of G2K and shall be eligible for election at that meeting, unless otherwise removed or replaced by methods prescribed herein.

12. THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

- (a) The Elected Officers shall appoint a Disciplinary Committee (DC), which shall be comprised of five direct members of G2K, all of whom shall be members of the Management Committee. The DC shall be appointed within the first two months of the Administrative Year.
 - (i) In the event that a member of the DC is brought before the said DC

he/she will immediately cease to be a member of the DC and the Elected Officers shall fill the resulting vacant position on the DC with a Management Committee member wherein no conflict of interest lie.

- (b) Upon a written complaint being referred to the DC by any member, steering committee, constituency support unit or structural arm of G2K, through the Management Committee, the DC shall have the power to:
 - (i) Investigate, enquire and decide on all matters related to discipline within G2K including that of Elected Officers. Provided that the only means for removal of an Elected Officer is by a simple majority vote of no confidence by the eligible voting members of the Central Executive Committee. For the avoidance of doubt, in a finding of guilt by the DC of an Elected Officer, the DC shall not recommend the removal of said officer but in circumstances where the finding(s) are egregious, may, among other things, recommend that said officer be put to stand a vote of no confidence at the next meeting of the Central Executive Committee. If such a recommendation is made by the DC the Elected Officers must abide by same and shall not have the power to vacate or substitute said course.
 - (ii) Consider such other behaviour or utterance of members of G2K that breached the integrity or good standing of the G2K, or bring it into disrepute.
 - (iii) Decide on a simple majority vote whether the charges have been proven and, may recommend to the Elected Officer the sanction(s), if any, which should be applied, provided that, subject to the limitation(s) in clause 12 (b) (i) the final decision as to sanction is reposed solely in the discretion of the Elected Officers.
 - (iv) Subject to the provisions herein, should the Elected Officers vary the sanctions recommended by the DC, such variance must not be of a higher severity than that which was recommended and may include a pardon of the sanction(s) all together.

13. DISCIPLINE OF MEMBERS OF G2K

(a) Any member, whether elected or appointed, who:

- (i) Shall, within an administrative year, be absent from 3 or more meetings in the case of the Management Committee, or 2 or more meetings in the case of the Central Committee, without leave or prior apology tendered to the relevant Committee; or
- (ii) has misappropriated JLP funds or funds of G2K; or
- (iii) has conducted himself/herself in a manner not in the interests of G2K or is likely to bring or so as to bring the Party or G2K into disrepute;

may be brought to answer such charges to the DC and if the explanation for same is found to be unsatisfactory or if no explanation is forthcoming then the Elected Officers, on recommendation by the DC, may revoke the membership of such officer or member as the case may be, subject to confirmation of all decisions by the Elected Officers of G2K. Save and except that, in the case of an Elected Officer, a majority vote of no-confidence by the Central Executive Committee is required for the involuntary removal of said officer.

(b) In any event, in respect of items 10 (a) (i) and (ii), once a matter has been referred to the DC by the Management Committee and is pending before said Committee, such person being charged shall not be eligible to vote to select the next administration, nor stand for election re-election appointment or re-appointment to the next administration of the Management or Central Committee as relevant, until and unless the matter is disposed of in favour of such person, or the Elected Officers grant such exception to the person so charged. In respect of item A (iii), the officer or member may only lose eligibility to vote, if a disciplinary hearing has been held, and the relevant charge or charges proved, provided, however, that the Elected Officers may grant an exception to said person in their sole discretion.

(c) Where by reason of the foregoing absence, investigation, revocation of membership or other such sanction, any member or officer is precluded temporarily or permanently from performing the function of his office, the Elected Officers, shall appoint another member to perform such function until such post is filled. Any further vacancy thereby created, may also in turn be filled by co-opting a Direct Member for that purpose. The members appointed to fill vacancies shall have such responsibilities, rights and obligations as if they were originally elected or appointed to the relevant positions.

(ii) In the case of Elected Officers, a by-election must be called to fill the post within 60 days of the vacancy arising.

14. TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP

(a) Upon receipt of a written complaint and a subsequent hearing, the DC shall have the right for good and sufficient reason to recommend to the Elected Officers that the membership of a non-elected member or an affiliated group should be suspended or terminated.

(b) In the event of a finding of guilt by the DC of an Elected Officer, the remaining Elected Officers must within 7 days give notice to the Central Executive Committee of the finding(s) and the options available to them

(c) Where a member of G2K has been convicted of a criminal offence wherein a fingerprint order has been made, his membership shall be automatically revoked, and such revocation shall have no right of appeal. Where such a conviction is overturned, membership shall be automatically re-instated.

15. MEETINGS OF THE ORGANIZATION

(a) The General Meeting of G2K shall be held at least once per year in each year at such time (not being more than 15 months after the holding of the preceding Annual General Meeting) and place, as the Management Committee shall determine. At least 21 clear days' notice shall be given in writing by the General Secretary to the membership of G2K. The business shall include, but not be limited to:

- (i) Election of the, President and Vice-Presidents (Elected Officers);
 - (ii) Consideration of the Annual Report of work done by or under the auspices of the Central Committee;
 - (iii) Consideration of the Annual Report of work done by or under' the auspices of the Management Committee;
 - (iv) Consideration of any other business of which due notice has been given;
 - (v) Whenever necessary, consideration of and voting on proposals to alter this Constitution in accordance with clause 20 hereof;
- (b) At the Annual General Meeting, the Central Executive Committee shall elect the President and 4 Vice-Presidents of G2K;
- (c) An Extraordinary General Meeting of G2K may be called by:
- (i) The President; or
 - (ii) The Management Committee;

and the Legal Advisor shall within 21 days of receiving a written request so to do and setting out reasons for the request, call a Special General Meeting of the Organization, providing no less than 7 days' notice of the meeting to the members of the Organization.

- (d) All resolutions intended to be moved at an Annual General Meeting or Extraordinary General Meeting shall be submitted in writing to the General Secretary within 7 days of receipt of notice of the meeting. The General Secretary shall ensure that such resolutions are circulated to all members entitled to vote at such meeting, no less than 7 days before the said meeting. The Central Executive Committee may, by way of simple majority, vote to waive/abridge this provision if deemed expedient and efficacious so to do.
- (e) Where a notice of a meeting is to be provided pursuant to this

Constitution, such notice may be sent by electronic mail, facsimile or post to the addresses or numbers on the G2K Membership Application Form (unless the Secretariat has been notified of a change of number or address), or publication by any electronic or print media with national circulation. Notices will be deemed sent / delivered as follows:

- (i) electronic mail or facsimile - the same day sent, or , next business day if sent after 5pm.
- (ii) Post - 5 days after mailing
- (iii) Publication in print or electronic media - the day of publication.

16. PAID OFFICERS

- (a) The Management Committee may hire, appoint or dismiss and fix the remuneration of such staff or contractors as may in its opinion be necessary for the operation of the organization.
- (b) The Management Committee may determine which persons contracted to G2K, if any, shall be invited to attend meetings of Management Committee. Such invitees shall not be entitled to vote or eligible to form a quorum.

17. RULES OF PROCEDURE AT ALL MEETINGS

(a) Voting

Save as expressly provided otherwise herein, all issues arising at any meeting shall be decided by a simple majority of those present and entitled to vote thereat. No member shall exercise more than one vote save in the event that such member represents the interest of another by proxy presented in writing to the Chairman, prior to any meeting at which such vote is to be held. In case of an equality of votes the Chairman, save where this Constitution has specified the President, shall have a second or casting vote.

(b) Quorum

In respect of all meetings duly called in accordance with the relevant provisions herein, the following quora shall apply:

- (i) 1/3 of the membership of the Management Committee (including the President or his designate) shall form a quorum at meetings of the Management Committee; in meeting where constitutional amendments are being discussed and voted on, 2/3 of the membership of Management (including the President or his designate) shall form a quorum.
- (ii) one-third of the Central Committee, shall form a quorum at meetings of The Central Committee and General Meetings;

(c) Minutes

Minute books shall be kept by all the committees and the General Secretary and in the absence of the Legal Advisor any member appointed by any committee shall enter therein a record of all proceedings and resolutions.

18. STANDING ORDERS AND RULES

The Management Committee and Central Committee shall have power to adopt and issue Standing Orders and/or Rules for the Conduct of its respective meetings. Such Standing Orders and Rules shall come into operation immediately, provided always that they shall be subject to review by the Management Committee and shall not be inconsistent with the provisions of this Constitution.

19. FINANCE

- (a) All money(s) raised by or on behalf of G2K shall be handed over to the Treasurer who shall give an account for same in the financial reports corresponding to receipt of such money(s) and shall be applied to further the objectives of G2K and for no other purpose, provided that nothing

herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith of reasonable and proper remuneration to any employee of G2K or the repayment of reasonable out of pocket expenses.

- (d) The Treasurer together with the Deputy Treasurer shall keep proper accounts of the finances of G2K. In the absence of the Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer shall, without more, act in his stead.
- (c) An accountant's report shall be prepared in respect of G2K's finances, no less than once per financial year and distributed the Management Committee, and such donors, as the Management Committee deems necessary.
- (d) The financial year shall be for the period January 01 to December 31 of each year.
- (e) A Bank Account shall be opened in the name of G2K with any bank considered most appropriate by the Management Committee on the recommendation of the Treasurer. The Management Committee shall authorize in writing the following persons to sign cheques on behalf of the Organization: The President, the General Secretary and the Treasurer.
- (f) Any deviation from paragraph (A) herein shall be subject to disciplinary proceedings before the relevant body.

20. TRUST PROPERTY

The title to all real or personal property which may be acquired by or on behalf of G2K shall be vested in a Trust Company or in a body of not less than three nor more than seven individuals who shall enter into a Deed of Trust setting forth the purposes and conditions under which they hold such property in trust for G2K. In the event of the incorporation of a Trust Company, no less than one member of the Management Committee shall sit on the Board, and in the event of execution of a Trust Deed, not less than one member of the Management Committee shall be a signatory. In no event shall members of the Management Committee form a majority sitting or signing respectively.

21. DISSOLUTION

If the Management Committee by a two thirds majority present and voting decides at any time that on the ground of expense or otherwise it is necessary or advisable to dissolve G2K, it shall call a meeting of all members of G2K who have the power to vote, of which meeting not less than 21 days' notice (stating the terms of the resolution to be proposed thereat) shall be provided to all members of G2K. If such decision shall be confirmed by a two-thirds majority of the Central Committee, the Management Committee shall have power to take such action as may be necessary to dispose of any assets held by or in the name of G2K. Any assets remaining after the satisfaction of any proper debts and liabilities shall be applied towards such purposes for the benefit of the Jamaica Labour Party or other non-profit organization (s) as the Management Committee may decide.

20. ALTERATION OF THE CONSTITUTION

Any proposal to alter this Constitution must be delivered in writing to the Legal Advisor not less than 45 days before the date of the meeting at which it is first to be considered. The Legal Advisor, at his discretion, may abridge the time wherein the proposed amendment must be delivered. An alteration will require:

- (a) Subject to Clause 17, approval by a two-thirds majority of members of the Management Committee present and voting at a Management Committee Meeting; and
- (b) Confirmation by a two-thirds majority of the Central Executive Committee present at meeting of said Committee.

21. APPLICATION OF THE CONSTITUTION

Having received the requisite number of votes at meetings of the Management Committees dated May 9, 2018 and June 9, 2018, and having thereafter received the requisite number of votes of the Central Executive Committee at a meeting

duly convened at 20 Belmont Road, Kingston 5 on January 18, 2019, this Constitution repeals and replaces all former Constitution(s) of G2K, and any amendments made thereto. This Constitution shall be referred to as the Generation 2000 Constitution (2019 version) and comes in effect as of:

This the 18th day of January 2019

SIGNED:  President
Stephen Edwards

 Legal Advisor

Andre Marriott-Blake

CODE OF CONDUCT

The following are seven (7) principles that all members engaged in the activities of G2K are expected to uphold at all times.

I. SERVICE

All members are expected to have a strong commitment to service. This should be unwavering to the Organisation, the Jamaica Labour Party and the Country with the highest level of commitment.

II. INTEGRITY

Members refrain from activities deemed corrupt, immoral and/or illegal, and shall conduct themselves with the highest level of integrity, representational of the Organisation and the JLP.

III. RESPECT

All members are expected to be respectful to all other members of G2K, party colleagues, political opponents and indeed all persons with whom members may come in contact.

IV. HONESTY

All members are expected to be honest and straightforward with fellow members, party colleagues, political opponents and all persons whom they come in contact.

V. ACCOUNTABILITY

All members are expected to be accountable at all times to G2K, the JLP and to their colleagues.

VI. LOYALTY

All members are expected to be loyal at all times to their country, G2K as an Organisation, the JLP and their colleagues. Loyalty means that the integrity of your actions ensures that G2K and its members are protected at all times.

VII. DECORUM

All members are expected to act in a polite manner, and to ensure that their behaviour and character are unquestionable always.

