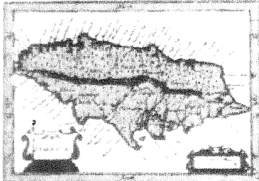


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Ms. Catherine Howell  
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Dear Sister Catherine,

**Re: Proposed Declaration of Pinnacle, St. Catherine as National Monument**

We write further to your email to our Chairman Mr. Henriques, on the status of the declaration of Pinnacle as a National Monument. We can recall the numerous and involved processes which have brought us through several years to this point. In consideration of these extensive deliberations, the JNHT 's recently appointed board of trustees have taken up the task of familiarizing themselves with the matter of Pinnacle and reviewing the relevant documentation. The agency will therefore require some time to deliberate before moving forward with respect to the appropriate recognition of this site.

As is the usual protocol where a Trustee has an interest in a particular matter placed before the board for its consideration, Mr. Michael Lake, Vice-Chairman has kindly recused himself from the recent, and all future deliberations on this matter.

We are encouraged by your continued interest and passion in protecting and promoting the recognition of the role Rastafarianism has played in our nation's history, and will advise you when the board has concluded its review.

Sincerely,

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Laleta Davis-Mattis (Mrs.)  
Executive Director

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