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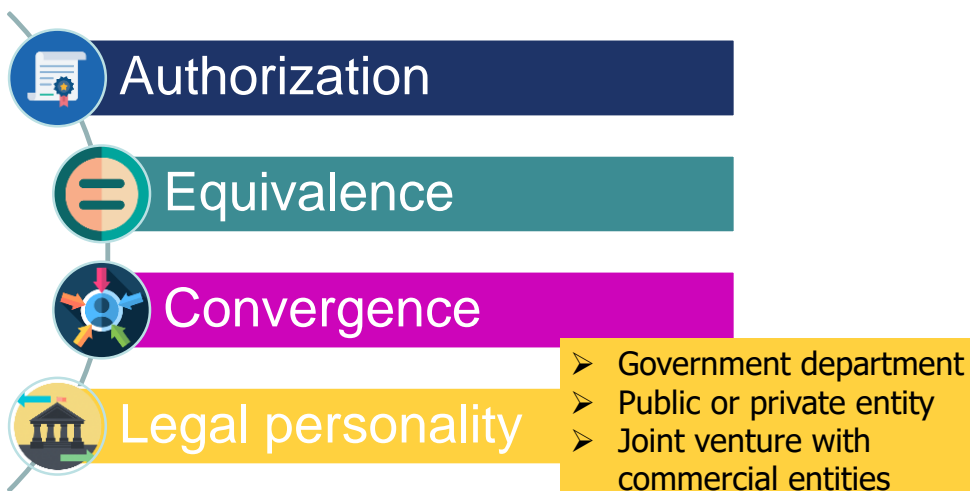


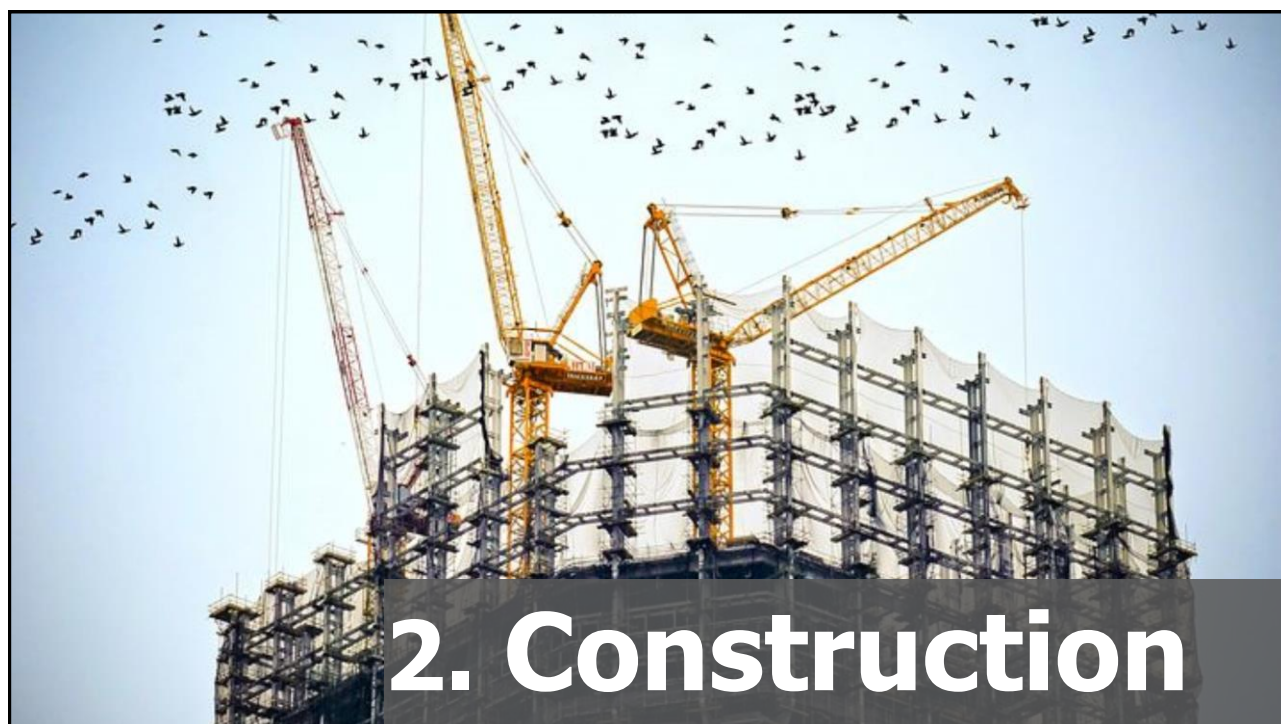
Building an ESW = Building a house

- 1.Foundation
- 2.Construction
- 3.Moving in



Must-have of the Single Window





Collaboration

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Internal

- Public authorities
- Interaction SW & BRA
- Trade Facilitation Committee



External

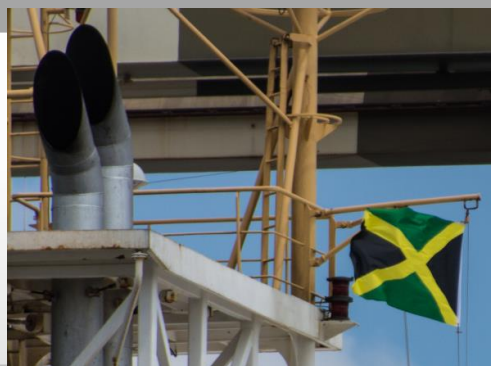
- Traders
- Relation with end-users
- End-user Agreements



Objective: healthy interaction between the ESW and the BRA

Content:

- Tailor-made to the BRA's activities
- Representation
- Collection of fees and charges
- Access and share data
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Capacity Building



**Agreement between each
BRA and JCA**

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Phases

Design

- Gap Analysis
- BPA
- MoU/Agreements

Formulation

- e-Commerce
- Amendments
- Umbrella SW law (Jamaica)

Enactment

- Approval
- Implementation
- Potential amendments



Business process

- Good declaration
- Licenses/permits
- Pre-arrival processing
- e-certificates: Origin or SPS

- E-signature
- E-Payments
- Data protection
- Enabling advance declaration
- Recognition of certificates

Review mechanism: To set up a review/appeal mechanism of decisions taken by other trade-related agencies

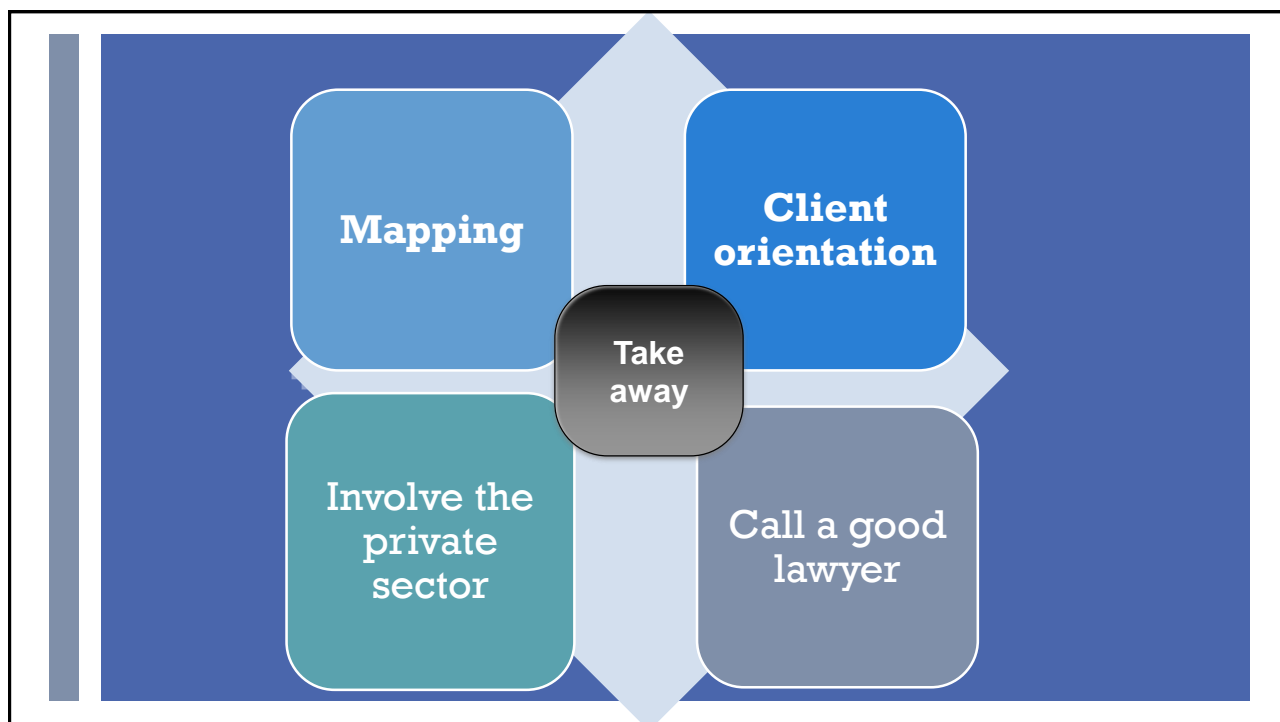
Acknowledgement of receipt: To clearly state the moment when a notification is considered received by the applicant

User authentication: To specify the means of validating the users' identity

Standardized Forms: To adopt standardized and harmonized forms for the ESW's services

E-payment: To authorize the ESW to use e-payment means specifying the electronic means while securing the integrity and confidentiality of such payment.

Findings and preliminary legal recommendations





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Automated System for Customs Data



THANK YOU

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