### **ABOUT POLYMER BANKNOTES**

Polymer banknotes are produced from a thin, transparent and flexible plastic film made from a versatile and complex material.



#### CLEANER

Polymer banknotes are cleaner and more hygienic than paper notes because they are resistant to dirt, moisture, water and other liquids.



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#### SAFER

Polymer banknotes allow for the incorporation of advanced security features, thus making the notes more difficult to counterfeit.

# STRONGER

Polymer is stronger and more durable than paper. Therefore, polymer banknotes are expected to last at least 50% longer than paper notes. This also makes the notes more environmentally friendly.

For more information, see: www.boj.org.jm



# New Banknote



#### FRONT



**REVERSE** 

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## FEEL

1 Run your fingers over the top right hand corner of the back of the note to feel the raised dots feature, which is for the visually impaired.

## LOOK

When the note is held up to light:

2 A clear window can be seen from both the front and the back of the note.

**3** The letters BOJ appear in an area of coloured print.



### TILT

As you tilt the note:

4 The colours of the images in the holographic foil change.

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# CHECK

- Using an ultra-violet (UV) light:
- 5 Some areas of the note glow in 2 colours.
- 6 The denomination appears.

