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## **BAHAMAS IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE**

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## 118 HAITIAN NATIONALS REPATRIATED TO HAITI

On Tuesday, February 1, at approximately 8:30 am, a Bahamasair chartered flight departed New Providence bound for Port-au-Prince, Haiti with a total of one hundred eighteen (**118**) Haitian nationals onboard. One hundred four (**104**) males and fourteen (**14**) females were among the group.

The Department's deportation team led these escorts with all COVID-19 protocols strictly observed as the health, welfare, and safety of our officers, law enforcement counterparts, and migrants remain the highest priority in this COVID-19 environment.

For further information, you may visit our website at **www.immigration.gov.bs** or call our hotline anonymously at **1-242-502-0574**.

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**Mission Statement:** To regulate the movement of people across the borders of The Bahamas so as to ensure the security, facilitate economic advancement and promote the harmonious social development of The Bahamas through the collaborative efforts of responsible government and non-government agencies both nationally and internationally