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18 HAITIAN MIGRANTS APPREHEDED IN MATHEW TOWN, INAGUA

On Thursday, 12th January, 2023 at approximately 3:00 pm a group of eighteen (18) Haitian migrants were apprehended in Matthew Town, Inagua by Immigration officials on the island.

The group consisted of fourteen (14) adult males and four (4) adult females. The migrants were medically assessed by local health officials and will be transported to the capital for further processing.

The Department reassures the public of our commitment to regulating the movement of people throughout The Bahamas so as to ensure the safety of its citizenry.

For more information, call Public Relations Unit at **1-242-322-7530**, visit our website at **www.immigration.gov.bs**, or call our Investigation hotline anonymously at **1-242-604-0249**.

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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*