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Statement on recent influx of Migrants

The Human Rights Commission continues to stay abreast of issues related to the local processing and detention of migrants and asylum matters. As a part of this continued monitoring, the Commission maintains active correspondence with the relevant public authorities, on matters such as policy development and advancement, housing conditions at the Immigration Detention Center, guidance on the establishment of relevant statutory bodies such as the Refugee Protection Appeals Tribunal (RPAT), and consideration of formal complaints filed and more.

The Commission is aware of the efforts of the Mass Migration Contingency Plan and understand that the Committee is working expediently to address this situation. At this juncture the Commission has provided its comments to the Cayman Islands Customs and Border Control (CBC) on the Detention Policy for the Handling of Migrants which is being finalized by the CBC and which we understand will provide further recourse to address this matter.

For more information on the Human Rights Commission and in particular the past works in relation to Migrants, we invite the public to visit the Commission website at <https://www.humanrightscommission.ky/practices>

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