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**STATUTORY INSTRUMENT**

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**Emergency Powers (Evacuation) Order, made by the Cabinet under section 3 of the Emergency Powers, (Hurricane, Earthquake, Fire or Flood) Act, Cap. 148.**

**1. Short Title**

This Order may be cited as the Emergency Powers (Mandatory Evacuation) Order, 2017.

**2. Evacuation of persons to places of safety**

The Minister responsible for Public Safety is hereby authorized by Cabinet, that while the Proclamation declaring the existence of a state of emergency continues to be in force in Barbuda, to take immediate and appropriate steps to evacuate, in whole or in part, the inhabitants of the island of Barbuda to places of safety in the island of Antigua.

**3. Offence**

Any person who contravenes this Mandatory Evacuation Order, by word or by deed, commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding three thousand dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> of September, 2017.

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Secretary to the Cabinet.  
Konata Lee