

HURRICANE RELIEF TO HAITI

Americas Humanitarian Logistics Relief Team
RELIEF LOGISTICS CENTER

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SUMMARY:

ARRANGEMENTS FINALIZED FOR SHIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION OF RELIEF AID IN HAITI.

Arrangements have been made to ship humanitarian aid to Haiti. The receiving NGOs in the Les Cayes area of Haiti are Lumier Medical Ministry and Reciprocal Ministries International. Both are working in collaboration with our member Harvest International, who will manage the process, and have people on the ground to make the distribution. To ship relief commodities, you can either work directly with our Logistics' Center Contact, or you may wish to consign your cargo to Harvest International.

The relief aid will be shipped by sea or by air. If by sea it will be initially shipped by Antillean Marine, who has offered some free cargo space to Americas Relief. Antillean has their own trucks in Haiti and will bring the containers to the crisis area. If by air, there is consideration to provide a charter cargo plane from Arrow Air.

Here is a list of all the important contacts (Please, whenever possible, copy me with your correspondence):

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The Bank Depository is good for air carriers and shipping companies because AmericasRelief Team pre-qualifies the humanitarian and relief organizations to make sure that the aid will be received and distributed to those with the greatest needs.

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