HOW TO DONATE TO SVG VOLCANO Relief and help our evacuees

GOVERNMENT OF SVG DISASTER RELIEF FUND:

If you wish to donate directly to the SVG Government Disaster Relief fund, full details for bank wire transfers can be found <u>here</u>:

SVG HIGH COMMISSION - LONDON:

H.E Cenio Lewis, High Commissioner of SVG in London is working closely with the UKSVG Friendship Trust to coordinate fundraising efforts particularly by Vincentians living in the UK Diaspora. Their "UK-SVG Combined Response to La Soufriere Eruption" has a GoFundMe page which can be accessed through the link <u>here</u>:

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has confirmed that this GoFundMe page has the full sanction of the SVG Gvt.

CONSULATE GENERAL TO SVG - NORTHERN IRELAND:

Details of this Relief Effort organized through the Consulate General in N. Ireland and how to donate to SVG through this consulate be downloaded directly <u>here:</u>

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has confirmed that help is being sought through various SVG Consulates and that this request is legitimate.

ACTION BEQUIA:

Targeted, tax efficient donations can be made via Action Bequia by following the link <u>here</u>: Board Chair Lucille Cozier will allocate resources to best effect as the needs in St. Vincent become clearer. Action Bequia has already committed EC\$10,000 from its reserves to target the urgent list of requirements as defined by NEMO for immediate life-supporting necessities.

RISE UP BEQUIA:

This admirable, locally-based non-profit organisation run entirely by young Bequia volunteers and community leaders, is currently conducting a drive to provide assistance in the provisioning of shelters in St. Vincent. Full details of their drive and how to donate can be downloaded directly <u>here:</u>

<u>Bequia This Week</u> is happy to provide this information for those wishing to make a financial donation in support SVG at this time. As with all fund-raising initiatives however, the decision to donate and by which method, must rest solely with the donor