

2018/2017 EXPENDITURE COMPARISONS PRELIMINARY

	<u>STOPOVER</u>			<u>CRUISE</u>			<u>DAY</u>			<u>ALL VISITORS</u>		
	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>% CHG. 2018/2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>% CHG. 2018/2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>% CHG. 2018/2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>% CHG. 2018/2017</u>
<u>FIRST QUARTER</u>												
Nassau/Paradise	\$783,823,602	\$427,376,574	83.4%	\$68,110,454	\$74,245,461	-8.3%	\$445,440	\$246,360	80.8%	\$852,379,496	\$501,868,396	69.8%
Grand Bahama	\$40,003,563	\$25,707,258	55.6%	\$10,865,393	\$11,280,570	-3.7%	\$34,980	\$219,180	-84.0%	\$50,903,936	\$37,207,008	36.8%
Out Islands	\$195,460,021	\$174,349,545	12.1%	\$5,590,493	\$5,093,871	9.7%	\$284,940	\$205,560	38.6%	\$201,335,454	\$179,648,975	12.1%
All Bahamas	\$1,019,287,185.5	\$627,433,377.1	62.5%	\$84,566,341	\$90,619,902	-6.7%	\$765,360	\$671,100	14.0%	\$1,104,618,886	\$718,724,379	53.7%
<u>SECOND QUARTER</u>												
Nassau/Paradise	\$607,377,193	\$528,458,988	14.9%	\$66,773,837	\$59,186,935	12.8%	\$334,380	\$201,720	65.8%	\$674,485,410	\$587,847,643	14.7%
Grand Bahama	\$43,541,284	\$32,438,561	34.2%	\$8,642,741	\$9,259,537	-6.7%	\$65,460	\$58,380	12.1%	\$52,249,485	\$41,756,478	25.1%
Out Islands	\$204,356,328	\$207,372,773	-1.5%	\$6,590,947	\$5,584,625	18.0%	\$159,720	\$144,300	10.7%	\$211,106,995	\$213,101,698	-0.9%
All Bahamas	\$855,274,804	\$768,270,322	11.3%	\$82,007,526	\$74,031,097	10.8%	\$559,560	\$404,400	38.4%	\$937,841,890	\$842,705,819	11.3%
<u>THIRD QUARTER</u>												
Nassau/Paradise	\$602,282,113	\$518,198,669	16.2%	\$87,407,630	\$54,201,748	61.3%	\$553,440	\$370,980	49.2%	\$690,243,183	\$572,771,397	20.5%
Grand Bahama	\$30,335,319	\$24,472,179	24.0%	\$7,586,204	\$6,988,219	8.6%	\$70,500	\$56,400	25.0%	\$37,992,022	\$31,516,799	20.5%
Out Islands	\$178,354,611	\$137,566,584	29.6%	\$3,931,392	\$2,921,281	34.6%	\$98,880	\$209,280	-52.8%	\$182,384,883	\$140,697,145	29.6%
All Bahamas	\$810,972,043	\$680,237,432	19.2%	\$98,925,226	\$64,111,248	54.3%	\$722,820	\$636,660	13.5%	\$910,620,089	\$744,985,340	22.2%
<u>FOURTH QUARTER</u>												
Nassau/Paradise	\$530,102,811	\$384,318,243	37.9%	\$73,040,968	\$70,564,804	3.5%	\$526,500	\$479,220	9.9%	\$603,670,279	\$455,362,267	32.6%
Grand Bahama	\$28,932,209	\$20,149,784	43.6%	\$9,202,461	\$7,075,089	30.1%	\$92,220	\$21,360	331.7%	\$38,226,890	\$27,246,234	40.3%
Out Islands	\$126,023,062	\$133,860,852	-5.9%	\$6,476,821	\$7,147,659	-9.4%	\$86,160	\$174,180	-50.5%	\$132,586,044	\$141,182,691	-6.1%
All Bahamas	\$685,058,082	\$538,328,879	27.3%	\$88,720,251	\$84,787,552	4.6%	\$704,880	\$674,760	4.5%	\$774,483,213	\$623,791,192	24.2%
<u>FULL YEAR TOTAL</u>												
Nassau/Paradise	\$2,523,585,718	\$1,858,352,475	35.8%	\$295,332,890	\$258,198,948	14.4%	\$1,859,760	\$1,298,280	43.2%	\$2,820,778,368	\$2,117,849,703	33.2%
Grand Bahama	\$142,812,375	\$102,767,782	39.0%	\$36,296,799	\$34,603,416	4.9%	\$263,160	\$355,320	-25.9%	\$179,372,334	\$137,726,518	30.2%
Out Islands	\$704,194,022	\$653,149,752	7.8%	\$22,589,654	\$20,747,436	8.9%	\$629,700	\$733,320	-14.1%	\$727,413,376	\$674,630,509	7.8%
All Bahamas	\$3,370,592,115	\$2,614,270,010	28.9%	\$354,219,343	\$313,549,800	13.0%	\$2,752,620	\$2,386,920	15.3%	\$3,727,564,078	\$2,930,206,730	27.2%

All numbers are subject to revision. some of the Out Islands.

The Lynden Pindling Airport in Nassau in the Bahamas was closed on Sept. 8th and 9th 2017 in anticipation of Hurricane Irma. Hurricane Irma passed through The Bahamas between September 8 to 11, 2017, although some airports in the Bahamas closed on the 7th in anticipation of the storm. Some islands like Grand Bahama and Bimini did not sustain direct hits from the hurricane but were severely affected by tornados that spun out as a result of Hurricane Irma as that storm approached Florida. Hurricane Maria passed close to the Southern Islands of the Bahamas and near the Turks and Caicos Islands on September 22, 2017.

Hurricane Jose stayed in the Atlantic Ocean but meandered off the coast of some of the Caribbean islands September 9th to September 17, 2017. Hurricane Matthew passed through the Islands of the Bahamas between October 5 to 8, 2016.

In 2018, several new large hotels were in operation in Nassau/Paradise Island that had not been open or in full operation in 2017.