

The Turks and Caicos Islands are a British dependency consisting of some 30 islands situated at the south-eastern extremity of the Bahamas chain. The islands are inhabited by close to 9,000 people and are governed under a ministerial system with an 11 member House. Under their constitution, the United Kingdom retains control of External Affairs, Defence, Internal Security and appointments to the Public Service.

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