

CHAPTER 382**THE REWARDS FOR THE APPREHENSION OF
CRIMINALS ACT**

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**REWARDS FOR THE APPREHENSION OF
CRIMINALS**
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1. This Act may be cited as the Rewards for the Apprehension of Criminals Act. **Short title.**

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor-General to proclaim and offer a reward for the apprehension of any person charged in due form according to law with having committed the crime of high treason, murder, or any other felony. **Rewards for apprehension of persons charged with treason or felony.**

3. The amount and the conditions of such rewards shall be in the discretion of the Governor-General, but the amount shall not in any case exceed the sum of four hundred and eighty dollars for each and every person to be apprehended: **Amount of reward.**

Provided that, if there shall be any question as to the person or persons entitled under the provisions of this Act to receive any such award, and if there be more than one person, then as to the proportion of the reward to which each is entitled, the same shall be determined by the Governor-General whose decision shall be final.

**Payment of
reward.**

4. If shall be lawful for the Governor-General, on the apprehension of any person for whose apprehension any reward shall have been offered under the authority of this Act, by warrant under his hand directed to the Accountant-General or other proper officer to draw from the public money of Antigua and Barbuda the amount so proclaimed and offered; and the production of such warrant shall be a full and sufficient voucher for the payment by the Accountant-General, or other proper officer of the amount so drawn.
