

# Pitcairn

## *Basic facts*

**Population:** 39 (2016)

**Land area:** 35.5 km<sup>2</sup> (Pitcairn Island: 4.35 km<sup>2</sup>)

**Exclusive economic zone:** 800,000 km<sup>2</sup>

## *Listing as a Non-Self-Governing Territory*

**Pitcairn** has been on the United Nations list of Non-Self-Governing Territories since 1946, following the declaration of the intention by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to transmit information on the **High Commission Territories of the Western Pacific** (which had included the Pitcairn Islands) under Article 73 *e* of the Charter of the United Nations.

*See:* General Assembly resolution [66 \(I\)](#) of 14 December 1946

## *Administering Power*

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

## *United Nations-related action*

The General Assembly adopts on an annual basis a resolution devoted to Pitcairn.

*See:* General Assembly resolution [71/115](#) of 6 December 2016

Most recent United Nations Secretariat annual Working Paper on Pitcairn: [A/AC.109/2017/12](#)

## *Links*

[Government of Pitcairn](#)

[Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland](#)