ON FIRE

The Burning Case for a **GREEN NEW DEAL**

NAOMI KLEIN



CONTENTS

Introduction: "We Are the Wildfire"

1

A Hole in the World

54

Capitalism vs. the Climate

70

Geoengineering: Testing the Waters

104

When Science Says That Political Revolution Is Our Only Hope

110

Climate Time vs. the Constant Now

119

Stop Trying to Save the World All by Yourself

129

A Radical Vatican?

137

X CONTENTS

Let Them Drown: The Violence of Othering in a Warming World

149

The Leap Years: Ending the Story of Endlessness

169

Hot Take on a Hot Planet

191

Season of Smoke

207

The Stakes of Our Historical Moment

234

Capitalism Killed Our Climate Momentum, Not "Human Nature"

243

There's Nothing Natural About Puerto Rico's Disaster

253

Movements Will Make, or Break, the Green New Deal

259

The Art of the Green New Deal

272

Epilogue: The Capsule Case for a Green New Deal

280

Acknowledgments

293

Publication Credits

297

Index

299