

LOK SABHA SECRETARIAT
(ADMINISTRATION BRANCH-I)

PARLIAMENT HOUSE ANNEXE
NEW DELHI – 110 001.

No. 30779

Dated the 6th July, 2017
Ashadha 15, 1939 (Saka).

C I R C U L A R

Subject: Holidays during the year 2018.

As specified by the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) *vide* their OM F.No. 12/3/2017-JCA-2 dated 14.06.2017, Lok Sabha Secretariat will observe holidays during the year 2018 as indicated in the Annexure-I to this Circular. In addition, each employee will also be allowed to avail himself/herself of any two holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the list of Restricted Holidays as indicated in Annexure-II.

2. These Holidays (Compulsory and Restricted) will be observed subject to the exigencies of work and arrangements being made for the disposal of urgent work.



(SANJAY SETHI)
DEPUTY SECRETARY
[F.No.10/4/2017/AN-I]

To

All Officers.
All Branches.

ANNEXURE-I

LIST OF HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2018 FOR ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT DELHI / NEW DELHI

S.No.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day
<u>1939 SAKA ERA</u>				
1.	Republic Day	January 26	Magha 06	Friday
2.	Maha Shivaratri	February 14	Magha 25	Wednesday
3.	Holi	March 02	Phalguna 11	Friday
<u>1940 Saka Era</u>				
4.	Mahavir Jayanti	March 29	Chaitra 08	Thursday
5.	Good Friday	March 30	Chaitra 09	Friday
6.	Buddha Purnima	April 30	Vaisakha 10	Monday
7.	Idul Fitr	June 16	Jyaishtha 26	Saturday
8.	Independence day	August 15	Sravana 24	Wednesday
9.	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	August 22	Sarvana 31	Wednesday
10.	Janmashtami	September 03	Bhadra 12	Monday
11.	Muharram	September 21	Bhadra 30	Friday
12.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October 02	Asvina 10	Tuesday
13.	Dussehra	October 19	Asvina 27	Friday
14.	Diwali (Deepavali)	November 07	Kartika 16	Wednesday
15.	Milad-un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)	November 21	Kartika 30	Wednesday
16.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 23	Agrahayana 02	Friday
17.	Christmas Day	December 25	Pausha 04	Tuesday

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LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2018 FOR ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT DELHI / NEW DELHI

S.No	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day
SAKA ERA 1939				
1.	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Monday
3.	Makar Sankranti	January 14	Pausha 24	Sunday
4.	Pongal	January 14	Pausha 24	Sunday
5.	Basant Panchami /Sri Panchami	January 22	Magha 02	Monday
6.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	January 31	Magha 11	Wednesday
7.	Swami Dayananda Saraswati Jayanti	February 10	Magha 21	Saturday
8.	Shivaji Jayanti	February 19	Magha 30	Monday
9.	Holika Dahan/Dolyatra	March 01	Phalguna 10	Thursday
10.	Chaitra Sukladi/Gudi Padava/Ugadi/Cheti Chand	March 18	Phalguna 27	Sunday
SAKA ERA 1940				
11.	Ram Navami	March 25	Chaitra 04	Sunday
12.	Easter Sunday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Sunday
13.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Sunday
14.	Vaisakhi/Vishu/Mesadi	April 14	Chaitra 24	Saturday
15.	Vaisakhadi(Bengal)/ Bahag Bihu (Assam)	April 15	Chaitra 25	Sunday
16.	Guru Rabindranath's birthday	May 09	Vaisakha 19	Wednesday
17.	Jamat-Ul-Vida	June 15	Jyaishta 25	Friday
18.	Rath Yatra	July 14	Ashadha 23	Saturday
19.	Parsi New Year's day/Nauraj	August 17	Sravana 26	Friday
20.	Onam or Thiru Onam Day	August 25	Bhadra 03	Saturday
21.	Raksha Bandhan	August 26	Bhadra 04	Sunday
22.	Vinayaka Chaturthi/ Ganesh Chaturthi	September 13	Bhadra 22	Thursday

23.	Dussehra (Maha Saptami) (Additional)	October	16	Asvina	24	Tuesday
24.	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami) (Additional)	October	17	Asvina	25	Wednesday
25.	Dussehra (Maha Navmi)	October	18	Asvina	26	Thursday
26.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October	24	Kartika	02	Wednesday
27.	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	October	27	Kartika	05	Saturday
28.	Deepavali (South India)	November	06	Kartika	15	Tuesday
29.	Naraka Chaturdasi	November	06	Kartika	15	Tuesday
30.	Govardhan Puja	November	08	Kartika	17	Thursday
31.	Bhai Duj	November	09	Kartika	18	Friday
32.	Pratihara Sashthi or Surya Sashthi (Chhat Puja)	November	13	Kartika	22	Tuesday
33.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November	24	Agrahayana	03	Saturday
34.	Christmas Eve	December	24	Pausha	03	Monday