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Sub: List of Holidays and Restricted Holidays to be observed in Commissionerate of Customs, Custom House, Cochin - 9 during the year 2021 - Reg.

Kind attention is invited towards enclosures 'Annexure-1' and 'Annexure-2' of this administration circular. In this regard, it is informed that, holidays specified in enclosure 'annexure-1' will be observed as holidays in Commissionerate of Customs, Custom House, Cochin - 9 during the year 2021.

Restricted Holidays (R.H) for observation in Commissionerate of Customs, Custom House, Cochin - 9 during the year 2021 is specified in 'annexure-2'. Those who wish to avail R.H can do so only with the approval of the sanctioning authority. Such permission should be granted except when the presence of the member of the staff is absolutely necessary in the exigencies of office work.

Yours faithfully,

Signed by Mohd Yousaf P K
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COMMISSIONER

Encl: As referred above.

CLOSED HOLIDAYS – 2021

Sl.No	Occasion	Date in Christian Era	Date in Saka Era	Day of the Week
1	Republic Day	January 26	Magha 06	Tuesday
2	## Maha Shivarathri	March 11	Phalgun 20	Thursday
3	Good Friday	April 02	Chaitra 12	Friday
4	Mahavir Jayanti	April 25	Vaisakha 05	Sunday
5	*Idu'l Fitr (Ramzan)	May 13	Vaisakha 23	Thursday
6	Buddha Purnima	May 26	Jyaishtha 05	Wednesday
7	*Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)	July 20	Asadha 29	Tuesday
8	Independence Day	August 15	Sravana 24	Sunday
9	* Muharram	August 19	Sravana 28	Thursday
10	## Onam	August 21	Sravana 30	Saturday
11	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October 02	Asvina 10	Saturday
12	## Dussehra (Mahanavami)	October 14	Asvina 22	Thursday
13	Dussehra (Vijaya Dasami)	October 15	Asvina 23	Friday
14	*Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	October 19	Asvina 27	Tuesday
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	November 04	Karthika 13	Thursday
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 19	Karthika 28	Friday
17	Christmas Day	December 25	Pausha 04	Saturday

* Subject to change depending on the sighting of the moon.
Selected from the list, other than 14 compulsory holidays.

The dates for the four holidays of Idu'l Fitr (Ramzan) on May 13, Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid) on July 20, Muharram on August 19 and Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed) on October 19 have been adopted from the state list. If the State Government changes any of these Holidays, only the changed date will be observed as a Holiday for Central Government Offices in Kerala. If the change of dates, on any of the above occasions, is notified at very short notice, through TV/AIR/Newspaper, by State Government, the same can be taken as authority for such change, without waiting for a separate notification

Restricted Holidays to be observed in Central Government Offices in Kerala during the year 2021

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date in Christian Era	Date in Saka Era	Day of the Week
SAKA ERA 1942				
1	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Friday
2	Mannam Jayanthi	January 02	Pausha 12	Saturday
3	Lohri	January 13	Pausha 23	Wednesday
4	Makara Sankranti / Pongal	January 14	Pausha 24	Thursday
5	Guru Gobind Singh's Birth Day	January 20	Pausha 30	Wednesday
6	Basanta Panchami / Sri Panchami	February 16	Magha 27	Tuesday
7	Shivaji Jayanti	February 19	Magha 30	Friday
8	Hazarat Ali's Birth Day	February 26	Phalguna 07	Friday
9	Guru Ravi Das's Birth Day	February 27	Phalguna 08	Saturday
10	Swami Dayaynanda Saraswathi Jayanthi	March 08	Phalguna 17	Monday
SAKA ERA 1943				
11	Ayya Vaikunda Swami Jayanthi	March 12	Phalguna 21	Friday
12	Holika Dahan /dolyatra	March 28	Chaitra 07	Sunday
13	Holi	March 29	Chaitra 08	Monday
14	Maundy Thursday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Thursday
15	Easter Sunday	April 04	Chaitra 14	Sunday
16	Chaithra Sukaladi/Gudi Padava/Ugadi/Cheti Chand/Vaishakhi/Vishu	April 13	Chaitra 23	Tuesday
17	Mesadi Tamil New Years' Day/DR. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanthi/	April 14	Chaitra 24	Wednesday
18	Vaishakadi (Bengal)/Bahag Bihu(Assam)	April 15	Chaitra 25	Thursday
19	Ram Navami	April 21	Vaisakha 01	Wednesday
20	May Day	May 01	Vaisakha 11	Saturday
21	Jamat-UI-Vida	May 07	Vaisakha 17	Friday
22	Guru Rabindranath's Birth day	May 09	Vaisakha 19	Sunday
23	Rath Yathra	July 12	Ashada 21	Monday
24	Karkidaka vavu	August 08	Sravana 17	Sunday
25	Parsi New Year's Day/Nauraj	August 16	Sravana 25	Monday
26	First Onam	August 20	Sravana 29	Friday
27	Raksha Bandhan/Aavani Avittom	August 22	Sravana 31	Sunday
28	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi	August 23	Bhadra 01	Monday
29	Ayyankali Jayanthi	August 28	Bhadra 06	Saturday
30	Janmashtami	August 30	Bhadra 08	Monday
31	Vinayaka Chathurthi/Ganesh Chathurthi	September 10	Bhadra 19	Friday
32	Vishwakarma Day	September 17	Bhadra 26	Friday
33	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi	September 21	Bhadra 30	Tuesday
34	Dussehra (Maha Saptami)	October 12	Asvina 20	Wednesday
35	Dussehra (Mahashtami)	October 13	Asvina 21	Tuesday
36	Maharishi Valmiki's Birth Day	October 20	Asvina 28	Wednesday
37	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	October 24	Kartika 02	Sunday
38	Naraka Chaturdasi	November 03	Kartika 12	Wednesday
39	Govardhan Puja	November 05	Kartika 14	Friday
40	Bhai Duj	November 06	Kartika 15	Saturday
41	Pratihari Sashthi or Surya Sashthi (Chhat Puja)	November 10	Kartika 19	Wednesday
42	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November 24	Agrahayana 03	Wednesday
43	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausha 03	Friday