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Sub: Forwarding of Holiday List-2020

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Please find enclosed Letter No.CGEWCC/Holidays-2020 dated 11.11.2019 from The Secretary-cum-Treasurer, CGEWCC, Thiruvananthapuram forwarding the list of closed Holidays and Restricted Holidays to be observed in Central Government Officers in Kerala during the year 2020.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above

(SURESH BABU.P.G)
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER (P&V)

To:

1 The Administrative Officer, EKM Dvn./Kakkanad Dvn./Perumbavoor Dvn./Idukki Dvn./Aluva Dvn./Thrissur Dvn./Chalakkudy Dvn.
2. All Section Head of Central Tax and Central Excise Hqrs.,Kochi./EDP Cell

Holidays to be observed in Central Government Officers in Kerala during the year 2020

Sl. No	Holiday	Date in Christian Era	Date in Saka Era	Day
1	## Makar Sankaranti/Pongal	January -15	Pausha 25	Wednesday
2	Republic Day	January -26	Magha -06	Sunday
3	## Maha Shivaratri	February- 21	Phalguna 02	Friday
4	Mahavir Jayanti	April- 06	Chaitra -17	Monday
5	Good Friday	April-10	Chaitra -21	Friday
6	Buddha Purnima	May-07	Vaisakha-17	Thursday
7	Idu'l Fitar (Ramzan)*	May-24	Jyaishtha-03	Sunday
8	Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)*	July-31	Sravana-09	Friday
9	Independence Day	August-15	Sravana-24	Saturday
10	Muharram*	August-29	Bhadra-07	Saturday
11	## Thiru Onam	August-31	Bhadra-09	Monday
12	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October-02	Asvina-10	Friday
13	Dussehra (Vijay Dashami)	October-26	Kartika-04	Monday
14	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad* (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	October-29	Kartika-07	Thursday
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	November-14	Kartika-23	Saturday
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November-30	Agrahayana-09	Monday
17	Christmas Day	December-25	Pausha-04	Friday

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

The date for the four holidays of Idu'l Fitr (Ramzan) on May-24, Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid) on July-31, Muharam August-29) and Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad* [Birthday of Prophet Mohammed] on October-29 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 foe Central Government Offices in Kerala. If the change of the 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 by CGEWCC, Thiruvananthapuram.***

List of Restricted Holidays during the year-2020

Sl. No	Restricted Holiday	Date in Christan Era	Date in Saka Era	Day
	SAKA ERA 1941			
1	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Wednesday
2	Guru Gobind Singh's Birthday/ Mannam Jayanthi	January 02	Pausha 12	Thursday
3	Lohri	January 13	Pausha 23	Monday
4	Basanta Panchami/Sri Panchami	January 30	Magha 10	Thursday
5	Guru Ravida's Birthday	February 09	Magha 20	Sunday
6	Swami Dayananda Saraswati Jayanthi	February 18	Magha 29	Tuesday
7	Shivaji Jayanthi	February 19	Magha 30	Wednesday
8	Holi ka Dahan/Dolyatra/Hazarat Ali's Birthday	March 09	Phalguna19	Monday
9	Holi	March 10	Phalguna 20	Tuesday
10	Ayya Vaikunda Swami Jayanthi	March 12	Phalguna 22	Thursday
	SAKA ERA 1942			
11	Chaitra Sukhladi/ Gudi Padava/ Ugadi/Cheti Chand	March	Chaitra 05	Wednesday
12	Ram Navami	April 02	Chaitra 13	Thursday
13	Maundy Thursday	April 09	Chaitra 20	Thursday
14	Easter Sunday	April 12	Chaitra 23	Sunday
15	Vaisakhi	April 13	Chaitra 24	Monday
16	Vishu/Mesadi/Vaishakdi(Bengal)/Bahag Bihu (Asam)/ Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Jayanti	April 14	Chaitra 25	Tuesday
17	May Day	May 01	Vaishakha 18	Friday
18	Guru Rabindranatha's Birthday	May 08	Vaishakha 12	Friday
19	Jamt-ul-Vida	May 22	Jyaishtha 01	Friday
20	Rath Yatra	June 23	Ashadha 02	Tuesday
21	Karkkidaka Vaavu	July 20	Ashadha 29	Monday
22	Avani avittom/Raksha Bandhan	August 03	Sravana 12	Monday
23	Janmashtami(Smarta)	August 11	Sravana 20	Tuesday
24	Janmashtami	August 12	Sravana 21	Wednesday
25	Parsi New Year's day/Nauraj	August 16	Sravana 25	Sunday
26	Vinayaka chaturthi/Ganesh chaturthi	August 22	Sravana 31	Saturday
27	Ayyan Kali Jayanthi	August 28	Bhadra 06	Friday
28	First Onam	August 30	Bhadra 08	Sunday
29	Third Onam	September 01	Bhadra 10	Tuesday
30	Fourth Onam/Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi	September 03	Bhadra 11	Wednesday
31	Sreekrishna Jayanthi	September 10	Bhadra 19	Thursday
32	Vishwakarma Day	September 17	Bhadra 26	Thursday
33	Sree Narayan Guru Samadhi day	September 21	Bhadra 30	Monday
34	Dussrhra (Maha Saptami)	October 23	Kartika 01	Friday
35	Dussrhra (Maha Asthami) (Maha navami)	October 24	Kartika 02	Saturday
36	Maharshi Valmiki's Birthday	October 31	Kartika 09	Saturday
37	Karaka Chaturthi (Karwa Chouth)	November 04	Kartika 13	Wednesday
38	Naraka Chaturdasi	November 14	Kartika 23	Saturday
39	Govardhan Puja	November 15	Kartika 24	Sunday
40	Bhai Duj	November 16	Kartika 25	Monday
41	Pratihar Shashthi or Surya Shashthi (Chhat Puja)	November 20	Kartika 29	Friday
42	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November 24	Agrahayana 3	Tuesday
43	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausha 03	Thursday