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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
Abstract

Home – Public Holidays for Government Offices including Government Undertakings / Boards / Other Institutions and for all Banking Institutions including Co-operative Banks in the Union Territory of Puducherry for the year 2015 – Orders – Issued.

Home Department

G.O. Ms. No.62

Puducherry, dated: 13.10.2014

ORDER:

The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of the official Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

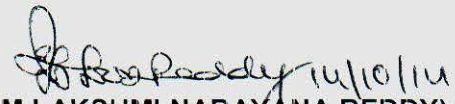
The Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry is pleased to declare that all Government Offices / Government Undertakings, Boards and other Institutions under the control of Government of Puducherry and all Banking institutions including Co-operative Banks in the Union Territory of Puducherry shall be closed on the days specified in the notification in Appendix-I and Appendix-II respectively during the calendar year, 2015. The following festivals, which fall on Sundays during the year 2015, have been excluded from the holiday list:-

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| i) | Sunday, the 16 th August, 2015 | ... | De jure Transfer Day |
| ii) | Sunday, the 1 st November, 2015 | ... | Puducherry Liberation Day |

2. In addition to the closed holidays, the Lieutenant Governor is also pleased to permit each Government Servant to avail any 2(two) holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the list of Restricted Holidays in Appendix-III.

3. No substitute holidays shall be allowed on any event for the festival holiday initially declared.

//BY ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR//


(YASAM LAKSHMI NARAYANA REDDY)
JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Stationery & Printing,
Puducherry

} with a request to send 1000 copies of
the Notification to this Department.

Copy to:

1) As per Mailing list for Holidays.

2) The Director, Directorate of Information Technology, Puducherry – with request to upload the Notification on the web site of the Government of Puducherry.

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APPENDIX-I

(G.O. Ms. No.62, dated:13.10.2014)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the explanation to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (No. XXVI of 1881) read with the Notification of the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, SRO No.F.G.P.54/99636/701, dated 31.12.1955, the Lieutenant-Governor of the Union Territory of Puducherry hereby declares the under mentioned days in the Calendar Year 2015 shall be Public Holidays for all Government Offices/Institutions under the control of the Union Territory of Puducherry for the purpose of that section.

Public Holidays -- 2015

PUDUCHERRY AND KARAIKAL REGIONS:

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1.	01.01.2015	Thursday	New Year's Day
2.	03.01.2015	Saturday	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)
3.	15.01.2015	Thursday	Pongal
4.	16.01.2015	Friday	Thiruvalluvar Day
5.	26.01.2015	Monday	Republic Day
6.	03.04.2015	Friday	Good Friday
7.	14.04.2015	Tuesday	Tamil New Year's Day / Dr.B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday
8.	01.05.2015	Friday	May Day
9.	18.07.2015	Saturday	Ramzan (Id-ul-Fitr)*
10.	15.08.2015	Saturday	Independence Day
11.	17.09.2015	Thursday	Vinayagar Chathurthi
12.	24.09.2015	Thursday	Bakrid (Id-ul-Alha)*
13.	02.10.2015	Friday	Gandhi Jayanthi
14.	21.10.2015	Wednesday	Ayudha Pooja
15.	10.11.2015	Tuesday	Deepavali
#	24.12.2015	Thursday	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)
16.	25.12.2015	Friday	Christmas

* Subject to change depending on the appearance of the Moon.

Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad) falls twice in the year 2015.

MAHE REGION

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1.	01.01.2015	Thursday	New Year's Day
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5.	04.03.2015	Wednesday	Vishnu Car Festival
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6.	01.04.2015	Wednesday	Annual Closing of Bank Accounts
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APPENDIX-III**(G.O. Ms. No.62, dated:13.10.2014)****Restricted Holidays – 2015**

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1.	14.01.2015	Wednesday	Bhogi
2.	15.01.2015	Thursday	Pongal (for Mahe region only)
3.	16.01.2015	Friday	Thiruvalluvar Day (for Mahe and Yanam regions only)
4.	17.01.2015	Saturday	Uzhavar Thirunal
5.	17.02.2015	Tuesday	Mahashivarathri
6.	04.03.2015	Wednesday	Masimagam
7.	19.03.2015	Thursday	Feast of St. Joseph
8.	21.03.2015	Saturday	Telugu New Year Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal & Mahe regions only)
9.	28.03.2015	Saturday	Ram Navami
10.	02.04.2015	Thursday	Maundy Thursday / Mahavir Jayanthi
11.	06.04.2015	Monday	Easter Monday
12.	15.04.2015	Wednesday	Vishu 2 nd day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
13.	04.05.2015	Monday	Buddha Purnima
14.	15.05.2015	Friday	Shab-e-mihraj* (for Yanam region only)
15.	16.05.2015	Saturday	Shab-e-mihraj* (for Puducherry, Karaikal & Mahe regions only)
16.	28.05.2015	Thursday	Kandoori Urs Festival* (For Karaikal Region only)
17.	01.06.2015	Monday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Yanam region only)
18.	02.06.2015	Tuesday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Mahe region only)
19.	03.06.2015	Wednesday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Puducherry and Karaikal regions only)
20.	07.06.2015	Sunday	Sandana Koodu (For Karaikal Region only)
21.	01.07.2015	Wednesday	Mangani Festival
22.	14.07.2015	Tuesday	Lailathul qadr*
23.	14.08.2015	Friday	Veerampattinam Car Festival / Karikida Amavasi
24.	27.08.2015	Thursday	Onam 1 st Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
25.	28.08.2015	Friday	Onam 2 nd Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
26.	30.08.2015	Sunday	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi
27.	05.09.2015	Saturday	Krishna Jayanthi

28.	17.09.2015	Thursday	Vinayaga chathurthi (for Mahe region only)
29.	15.10.2015	Thursday	St. Theresa Festival (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
30.	21.10.2015	Wednesday	Mahanavami (for Mahe region only) / Ayudha Pooja (for Yanam region only)
31.	22.10.2015	Thursday	Vijayadasami
32.	23.10.2015	Friday	Muharram (Ashuraday)* (for Mahe and Yanam regions only)
33.	24.10.2015	Saturday	Muharram (Ashuraday)* (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
34.	02.11.2015	Monday	All Souls Day
35.	09.11.2015	Monday	Deepavali Eve
36.	10.11.2015	Tuesday	Deepavali (For Mahe region only)
37.	25.11.2015	Wednesday	Guru Nanak's birthday.
38.	08.12.2015	Tuesday	Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary
39.	17.12.2015	Thursday	Sri Subrahmanya Sasti festival
40.	21.12.2015	Monday	Vaikunta Ekadesi
41.	24.12.2015	Thursday	Christmas Eve

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