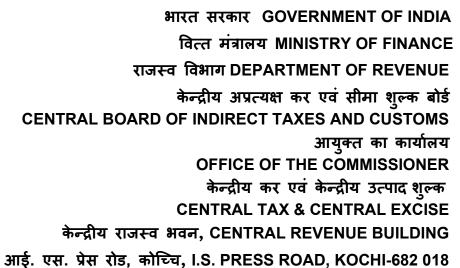
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Sub: Holidays to be observed by Central Government Officers in Kerala during the year -2023

Please find enclosed Letter No.Welfare/A&E/CGEWCC/2022 dated 10.11.2022 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 2023.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above

(BINDU.C.T) **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER (P&V)** 

To:

- The Administrative Officer. Ernakulam Division/ Kakkanad Division/ Perumbavoor Division/ Idukki Division/ Aluva Division/ Thrissur Division/ Chalakkudy Division.
- 2. All Section Head of Central Tax and Central Excise Hgrs., Kochi./EDP Cell

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## **CLOSED HOLIDAYS-2023**

SI.		Date in	Date in	
No	Holiday	Christian Era	Saka Era	Day
1	Republic Day	January -26	Magha -06	Thursday
2	Mahavir Jayanti	April-04	Chaitra -14	Tuesday
3	Good Friday	April-07	Chaitra -17	Friday
4	*Idu'l Fitar (Ramzan)	April- 21	Vaisakha-01	Friday
5	Buddha Purnima	May-05	Vaisakha-15	Friday
6	*Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)	June-28	Ashadha-07	Wednesday
7	*Muharram	July-28	Sravana-06	Friday
8	Independence Day	August-15	Sravana-24	Tuesday
9	## Thiru Onam	August-29	Bhadra-07	Tuesday
10	## Janmashtami	September-06	Bhadra-15	Wednesday
	*Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad			
11	(Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	September-27	Asvina-05	Wednesday
12	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October-02	Asvina-10	Monday
13	##Dussehra (Mahanavami)	October-23	Kartika-01	Monday
14	##Dussehra (Vijaya Dasami)	October-24	Kartika-02	Tuesday
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	November-12	Kartika-21	Sunday
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November-27	Agrahayana-	Monday
			06	
17	Christmas Day	December-25	Pausha-04	Monday

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to change depending on sighting of the moon.

The date for the four holidays of Idu'l Fitr (Ramzan) on April-21, Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid) on June-28, Muharam on July-28 and Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad\* [Birthday of Prophet Mohammed] on September-27 have been adopted from the State List. If the State Government changes any of these holidays, the changed date will be observed as a closed holiday for Central Government Offices in State. If the change of dates, of any of the above occasions, is notified, at very short notice, announcement **through TV/AIR/Newspaper can be taken as authority for such change**.

## Selected from the optional holiday's list other than 14 compulsory holidays.

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Restricted Holidays to be observed in Central Government Offices in Kerala during the Year 2023

SI.	Occasion	Date of	Date of Saka	Day of the			
No	OAKA EDA	Christian Era	Era	week			
SAKA ERA 1944							
1	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Sunday			
2	Mannam Jayanthi	January 02	Pausha 12	Monday			
3	Makara Sankranti/ Magha Bihu	January 14	Pausha 24	Saturday			
4	Pongal	January 15	Pausha 25	Sunday			
5	Basanta Panchami/ Sri Panchami	January-26	Magha 06	Saturday			
6	Hazarat Ali's Birthday/ Guru Ravida's Birthday	February-05	Magha 16	Sunday			
7	Birthday Swami Dayananda Saraswathi	February-15	Magha 26	Wednesday			
8	Maha Shivratri	February-18	Magha 29	Saturday			
9	Shivaji Jayanti	February-19	Magha 30	Sunday			
10	Holika Dahan / Dolyatra	March-07	Phalguna 16	Tuesday			
11	Holi	March-08	Phalguna 17	Wednesday			
12	Ayya Vaikunda Swami Jayanthi		Phalguna 21	Sunday			
SAKA ERA 1945							
13	Chaithra Sukaladi/Gudi Padava/Ugadi/Cheti Chand	March-22	Chaitra 01	Wednesday			
14	Ram Navami	March-30	Chaitra 09	Tuesday			
15	Maundy Thursday	April -06	Chaitra 16	Tuesday			
16	Easter Sunday	April -09	Chaitra 19	Sunday			
17	Vaisakhi/Vishu/ Meshadi	April -14	Chaitra 24	Friday			
18	Vaishakadi(Bengal/Bahag Bihu(Assam)	April -15	Chaitra 25	Saturday			
19	Jamal-ul-Vida	April -21	Vaisakha 01	Friday			
20	Mayday	May-01	Vaisakha 11	Monday			
21	Guru Rabindranath Tagore birth day	May-09	Vaisakha 19	Tuesday			
22	Rath Yatra	June-20	Jyaishtha 30	Tuesday			
23	Karkkidaka vavu	July-17	Ashadha 26	Monday			
24	Parsi New Year's Day/ Nauraj	August-16	Sravana 25	Wednesday			
25	Vinayaka Chathurthi	August-20	Sravana 29	Sunday			
26	First Onam / Ayyankali Jayanthi	August-28	Bhadra 06	Monday			
27	Rakshabandhan/ Avani Avittom/ Third Onam	August-30	Bhadra 08	Wednesday			
28	Fourth Onam/ Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi	August-31	Bhadra 09	Thursday			
29	Vishwakarma day	September-17	Bhadra 26	Sunday			
30	Ganesh Chathurthi Dussrhra (Maha						
	Saptami)	September-19	Bhadra 28	Tuesday			
31	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi day	September-22	Asvina 01	Friday			
32	Dussrhra (Saptami)	October-21	Asvina 29	Saturday			
33	Dussrhra (Mahashtami)	October-22	Asvina 30	Sunday			
34	Maharshi Valmiki's Birthday	October-28	Kartika 06	Saturday			
35	Karaka Chaturthi (Karwa Chouth)	November-01	Kartika 10	Wednesday			
36	Naraka Chaturdasi	November-12	Kartika 21	Sunday			
37	Govardhan Puja	November-13	Kartika 22	Monday			
38	Bhai Duj	November-15	Kartika 24	Wednesday			
39	Pratihar Shashthi or Surya Shashthi (Chhat Puja)	November-19	Kartika 28	Sunday			
40	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November 24	Agrahayana 03	Friday			
41	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausha 08	Sunday			