GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

HOLIDAYS- General Holidays and Optional Holidays for the year 2012 – Declared.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (POLL.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 4773

DATED: 19-10-2011.

The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh extra-ordinary Gazette:

NOTIFICATION

The Government of Andhra Pradesh directs that the days specified in Annexure-I(A) shall be observed as General Holidays by all the State Government Offices excluding the holidays falling on Sundays shown in Annexure-I(B) and Optional Holidays shown in Annexure-II(A) except the Optional Holidays falling on Sundays shown in Annexure II(B), during the year 2012.

The State Government directs that all offices under State Government shall remain closed on all Sundays and Second Saturdays in all the months during the year 2012.

In addition to the above mentioned General Holidays in Annexure.1(A), the State Government employees may avail themselves of Optional Holidays not exceeding **FIVE** during the year 2012 on the festival/occasions specified in Annexure-II(A) to this order, at their option and irrespective of the religion to which the festival pertains. Permission to avail any of these holidays shall be applied for, in writing in advance and will normally be granted by the Superior Officers competent to grant casual leave except when the presence of an individual employee is considered necessary in exigencies of Government work.

The Government also directs that General Holidays shall not ipso-facto apply to the Industrial Establishment and Public Undertakings under the control of the State Government, the workmen engaged in Public Works Departments and Educational Institutions in this State. Separate orders regarding the festivals/occasions when these Institutions to observe holidays shall be issued by the concerned Administrative Department of the Secretariat.

(P.T.O.)

If there is any change of date in respect of Idu'l Fitr, Idu'l Zuha, Muharram and Id-e-Milad as per the moon sight or any other holiday declared now, it shall be announced through electronic/print media. All the Departments of Secretariat, Heads of Departments and District Collectors shall take action according to such an announcement and without waiting for formal order about the change of date.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PANKAJ DWIVEDI, CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

То

The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase,

Chenchalguda, Hyderabad. He is requested to publish the above Notification in the next issue of A.P.Extra-Ordinary Gazette and supply 500 copies to Government.

The Home/Education/TR&B/Irr.&CAD(PW)/Agri.&Coop./Energy/ Food& Civil Supplies/AH&F/EFS&ST/Ind.&Com./B.C.Welfare/ WD&CW/LE&T/YAT&C Department.

(They are requested to take necessary action in the matter with reference to para 4 of the notification)

All other Departments of Secretariat.

All Administrative Sections in General Administration Department.

All Heads of Departments.

All the Collectors & District Magistrates in the State.

The Resident Commissioner, A.P.Bhavan, No.1, Ashoka Road, New Delhi.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel,

Public Grievances And Pensions, New Delhi.

The Chief Secretaries of all States and Union Territories.

The Registrar General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Registrar, A.P.Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad.

The Registrar, Institution of A.P.Lokayukta, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

All the the Heads of Local Financial Institutions in Hyderabad.

The P.S.to C.M/Prl.Secy to C.M/All P.Ss to Ministers/ P.S.to C.S./

P.S.to Prl.Secy.(Poll)/P.A. to Spl.Secy.(Prot). SF/SC.

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ANNEXURE -I (A)

GENERAL HOLIDAYS

S.No	OCCASION/FESTIVAL	DATE	DAY	SAKA-ERA
1	2	3	4	5
1	REPUBLIC DAY	26-01-2012	THURSDAY	MAGHA 06 - 1933
2	MAHA SIVARATRI	20-02-2012	MONDAY	PHALGUNA 01 - 1933
3	HOLI	08-03-2012	THURSDAY	PHALGUNA 18 – 1933
4	UGADI	23-03-2012	FRIDAY	CHAITRA 03 – 1934
5	BABU JAGJIVAN RAM'S BIRTHDAY	05-04-2012	THURSDAY	CHAITRA 16 – 1934
6	GOOD FRIDAY	06-04-2012	FRIDAY	CHAITRA 17 – 1934
7	SRI KRISHNASHTAMI	10-08-2012	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 19 - 1934
8	INDEPENDENCE DAY	15-08-2012	WEDNESDAY	SRAVANA 24 – 1934
9	RAMZAN (ID-UL-FITR)	20-08-2012	MONDAY	SRAVANA 29 – 1934
10	VINAYAKA CHAVITHI	19-09-2012	WEDNESDAY	BHADRA 28 – 1934
11	GANDHI JAYANTHI	02-10-2012	TUESDAY	ASVINA 10 - 1934
12	DURGASHTAMI	22-10-2012	MONDAY	ASVINA 30 - 1934
13	VIJAYA DASAMI/ DUSSEHRA	24-10-2012	WEDNESDAY	KARTIKA 02 - 1934
14	BAKRID (ID-UL-ZUHA)	27-10-2012	SATURDAY	KARTIKA 05 – 1934
15	DEEPAVALI	13-11-2012	TUESDAY	KARTIKA 22 – 1934
16	CHRISTMAS	25-12-2012	TUESDAY	PAUSHA 04 - 1934

ANNEXURE - I (B)

The following festivals occur on 2nd Saturday and Sunday during the year 2012.

1	BHOGI	14-01-2012	2 ND SATURDAY	PAUSHA 24 - 1933
2	SANKRANTI/PONGAL	15-01-2012	SUNDAY	PAUSHA 25 – 1933
3	MILAD-UN-NABI	05-02-2012	SUNDAY	MAGHA 16 - 1933
4	SRI RAMA NAVAMI	01-04-2012	SUNDAY	CHAITRA 12 - 1934
5	DR.B.R.AMBEDKAR'S BIRTHDAY	14-04-2012	2 ND SATURDAY	CHAITRA 25 – 1934
6	MUHARRAM	25-11-2012	SUNDAY	AGRAHAYANA 04 - 1934

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OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS

S.NO	OCCASION/FESTIVAL	DATE	DAY	SAKA-ERA
1	2	3	4	5
1	ARBAYEEN	13.01.2012	FRIDAY	PAUSHA 23 - 1933
2	KANUMU	16.01.2012	MONDAY	PAUSHA 26 - 1933
3	SRI PANCHAMI	28.01.2012	SATURDAY	MAGHA 08 - 1933
4	YAZ DAHUM SHAREEF	05.03.2012	MONDAY	PHALGUNA 15 - 1933
5	BASAVA JAYANTHI	24.04.2012	TUESDAY	VAISAKHA 04 - 1934
6	BIRTHDAY OF HAZRATH ALI	04.06.2012	MONDAY	JYAISHTHA 14 - 1934
7	SHAB-E-MERAJ	18.06.2012	MONDAY	JYAISHTHA 28 - 1934
8	RATHA YATHRA	21.06.2012	THURSDAY	JYAISHTHA 31 - 1934
9	SHAB-E-BARATH	05.07.2012	THURSDAY	ASHADA 14 - 1934
10	VARALAKSHMI VRATHAM	27.07.2012	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 05 - 1934
11	SRAVANA PURNIMA / RAKHI PURNIMA	02.08.2012	THURSDAY	SRAVANA 11 - 1934
12	SHAB-E-QADAR	16.08.2012	THURSDAY	SRAVANA 25 - 1934
13	JUMAT-UL-VIDA	17.08.2012	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 26 - 1934
14	PARSI NEW YEAR'S DAY	18.08.2012	SATURDAY	SRAVANA 27 – 1934
15	MAHALAYA AMAVASYA	15.10.2012	MONDAY	ASVINA 23 - 1934
16	MAHARNAVAMI	23.10.2012	TUESDAY	KARTIKA 01 – 1934
17	9 TH MUHARRAM	24.11.2012	SATURDAY	AGRAHAYANA 03 - 1934
18	KARTHIKA PURNIMA / GURUNANAK JAYANTHI	28.11.2012	WEDNESDAY	AGRAHAYANA 07 - 1934
19	CHRISTMAS EVE	24.12.2012	MONDAY	PAUSHA 03 - 1934
20	BOXING DAY	26.12.2012	WEDNESDAY	PAUSHA 05 - 1934

ANNEXURE II (B)

The following festivals occur on Sunday during the year 2012.

1	NEW YEAR'S DAY	01.01.2012	SUNDAY	PAUSHA
				11 - 1933
2	BUDDHA PURNIMA	06.05.2012	SUNDAY	VAISAKHA
				16 - 1934
3	EID-E-GADEER	04.11.2012	SUNDAY	KARTIKA
				13 - 1934

(*) Tamil New Year's Day on 15.01.2012, Mahaveer Jayanthi on 05.04.2012, Birthday of Hazrath Syed Mohd. Juvanpuri Mehdi Ma'ud (A.S) on 06.04.2012 and Naraka Chathurthi on 13.11.2012 (which would have been Optional Holidays) are declared as General Holidays in view of Sankranti/Pongal, Babu Jagjivan Ram's Birthday, Good Friday and Deepavali respectively.

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