



# കേരള ഗസറ്റ് KERALA GAZETTE

## അസാധാരണം EXTRAORDINARY

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### NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 15/2020/GAD.

*Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 22nd October, 2020.*

Under the explanation to Section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (Central Act 26 of 1881) read with the Notification of the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs No. 20/25/56/Pub-1 dated 8th June 1957, the Government of Kerala are hereby pleased to declare that in addition to Sundays, expressly defined as Public Holidays in the said explanation, the following days shall be Public Holidays Under Negotiable Instruments Act in Kerala for the Calendar year 2021.



<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of Holidays</i>	<i>Day of the Week</i>	<i>Date</i>
	(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Republic Day	Tuesday	26-1-2021
2	Sivarathri	Thursday	11-3-2021
3	Annual closing of Accounts of Commercial and Co-operative Banks	Thursday	1-4-2021
4	Good Friday	Friday	2-4-2021
5	Vishu/Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Jayanthi	Wednesday	14-4-2021
6	May Day	Saturday	1-5-2021
7	Id-ul-Fitr* (Ramzan)	Thursday	13-5-2021
8	Bakrid*	Tuesday	20-7-2021
9	First Onam	Friday	20-8-2021
10	Thiruvonam	Saturday	21-8-2021
11	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi	Monday	23-8-2021
12	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi Day	Tuesday	21-9-2021
13	Gandhi Jayanthi	Saturday	2-10-2021
14	Mahanavami	Thursday	14-10-2021
15	Vijayadasami	Friday	15-10-2021
16	Milad-i-Sherif* (Birthday of Prophet Muhammed)	Tuesday	19-10-2021
17	Deepavali	Thursday	4-11-2021
18	Christmas	Saturday	25-12-2021

The following festivals/occasions which fall on Public Holidays (Sundays) have been excluded from the above list. The branches of Banks, which work on those days will observe Holiday for the same days.



1	Easter	Sunday	4-4-2021
2	Independence Day	Sunday	15-8-2021

The holidays to the Institutions coming under Labour Law-Industrial Disputes Act, Shops and Commercial Establishment Act, Minimum Wages Act etc., will be governed by the Kerala Industrial Establishments (National and Festival Holidays) Act, 1958.

By order of the Governor,

**K. R. JYOTHILAL IAS,**  
*Principal Secretary to Government.*

