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To

The Under Secretary (SEZ),
Ministry of Commerce and Industry,
Udyog Bhavan,
New Delhi – 107.

Sir,

Subject: List of Holidays and Restricted Holidays in 2021 to be observed in Cochin Special Economic Zone (CSEZ), Cochin.

Please find enclosed the list of holidays and Restricted Holidays to be observed in Cochin Special Economic Zone during the year 2021 as finalized by the Central Government Employees Welfare Co-Ordination Committee (CGEWCC), Thiruvananthapuram for all Central Government offices in Kerala.



Yours faithfully

(Saju K Surendran)

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LIST OF CLOSED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2021 (FOR COCHIN OFFICES)

Sl. No	Occasion	Date in Christian Era	Date in Saka Era	Day
1	Republic Day	26.01.2021	Magha 06	Tuesday
2	Maha Shivarathri	11.03.2021	Phalguna 20	Thursday
3	Good Friday	02.04.2021	Chaitra 12	Friday
4	Mahavir Jayanthi	25.04.2021	Vaisakha 05	Sunday
5	*Idul' Fitr (Ramzan)	13.05.2021	Vaisakha 23	Thursday
6	Buddha Purnima	26.05.2021	Jyaishta 05	Wednesday
7	*Idul Zuha (Bakrid)	20.07.2021	Asadha 29	Tuesday
8	Independence Day	15.08.2021	Sravana 24	Sunday
9	* Muharram	19.08.2021	Sravana 28	Thursday
10	## Onam	21.08.2021	Sravana 30	Saturday
11	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02.10.2021	Asvina 10	Saturday
12	## Dussehra (Mahanavami)	14.10.2021	Asvina 22	Thursday
13	Dussehra (Vijay Dashmi)	15.10.2021	Asvina 23	Friday
14	*Milad-un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Muhammed)	19.10.2021	Asvina 27	Tuesday
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	04.11.2021	Karthika 13	Thursday
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	19.11.2021	Karthika 28	Friday
17	Christmas Day	25.12.2021	Pausha 04	Saturday

* Subject to change depending on the sighting of the moon.

Selected from the list, other than 14 compulsory holidays.

The date for the four holidays of Idul' Fitr (Ramzan) on May 13, Idul' Zuha (Bakrid) on July 20, Muharram on August 19, and Milad-un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed) on October 19 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 for Central Government Offices in Kerala. If the change of 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.

COCHIN SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE (CSEZ)
LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2021 (FOR COCHIN OFFICES)

Sl.No.	Occasion	Date in Christian Era	Date in Saka Era	Day
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1	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Friday
2	Mannam Jayanthi	January 02	Pausha 12	Saturday
3	Lohri	January 13	Pausha 23	Wednesday
4	Makara Sankranti/Pongal	January 14	Pausha 24	Thursday
5	Guru Gobind Singh's Birth Day	January 20	Pausha 30	Wednesday
6	Basanta Panchami//Sri Panchami	February 16	Magha 27	Tuesday
7	Shivaji Jayanti	February 19	Magha 30	Friday
8	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	February 26	Phalguna 07	Friday
9	Guru Ravi Das's Birthday	February 27	Phalguna 08	Saturday
10	Swami Dayaynanda Saraswathi Jayanthi	March 08	Phalguna 17	Monday

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11	Ayya Vaikunda Swami Jayanthi	March 12	Phalguna 21	Friday
12	Holika Dahan/dolyatra	March 28	Chaitra 07	Sunday
13	Holi	March 29	Chaitra 08	Monday
14	Maundy Thursday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Thursday
15	Easter Sunday	April 04	Chaitra 14	Sunday
16	Chaithra Sukaladi/Gudi Padava/ Ugadi/Cheti Chand/Vaishakhi/ Vishu	April 13	Chaitra 23	Tuesday
17	Mesadi Tamil New Year's Day/DR. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanthi	April 14	Chaitra 24	Wednesday
18	Vaishakadi (Bengal)Bahag Bihu (Assam)	April 15	Chaitra 25	Thursday
19	Ram Navami	April 21	Vaisakha 01	Wednesday
20	May Day	May 01	Vaisakha 11	Saturday
21	Jamat-UI-Vida	May 07	Vaisakha 17	Friday
22	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	May 09	Vaisakha 19	Sunday
23	Rath Yathra	July 12	Ashada 21	Monday
24	Karkidaka Vavu	August 08	Sravana 17	Sunday
25	Parsi New Year's Day/Nauraj	August 16	Sravana 25	Monday
26	First Onam	August 20	Sravana 29	Friday
27	Raksha Bandhan/Avani Avittom	August 22	Sravana 31	Sunday
28	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi	August 23	Bhadra 01	Monday
29	Ayyankali Jayanthi	August 28	Bhadra 06	Saturday
30	Janmashtami	August 30	Bhadra 08	Monday
31	Vinayaka Chathurthi/Ganesh Chathurthi	September 10	Bhadra 19	Friday
32	Vishwakarma Day	September 17	Bhadra 26	Friday
33	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi Day	September 21	Bhadra 30	Tuesday
34	Dussehra (Maha Saptami)	October 12	Asvina 20	Wednesday
35	Dussehra (Maha Asthtami)	October 13	Asvina 21	Tuesday
36	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October 20	Asvina 28	Wednesday
37	Karaka Chaturthi(Karwa Chouth)	October 24	Kartika 02	Sunday
38	Naraka Chaturdasi	November 03	Kartika 12	Wednesday
39	Govardhan Puja	November 05	Kartika 14	Friday
40	Bhai Duj	November 06	Kartika 15	Saturday
41	Pratihari Sashthi or Surya Sashthi (Chhat Puja)	November 10	kartika 19	Wednesday
42	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November 24	Agrahayana 03	Wednesday
43	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausha 03	Friday