

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

HOLIDAYS- General Holidays and Optional Holidays for the year 2013 – Declared.

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**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (POLL.A) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.5363**

**DATED:22-11-2012.**

**ORDER:**

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

**NOTIFICATION**

The Government of Andhra Pradesh direct 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 2013.

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 2013.

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 2013 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.

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)**

**MINNIE MATHEW**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

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 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.(Proto).

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**SECTION OFFICER (SC)**

**ANNEXURE -I (A)**

**GENERAL HOLIDAYS**

<b>S.No</b>	<b>OCCASION/FESTIVAL</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>DAY</b>	<b>SAKA-ERA</b>
1	2	3	4	5
1	SANKRANTI/PONGAL	14-01-2013	MONDAY	PAUSHA 24 - 1934
2	MILAD-UN-NABI ID-E-MILAD	25-01-2013	FRIDAY	MAGHA 05 - 1934
3	REPUBLIC DAY	26-01-2013	SATURDAY	MAGHA 06 - 1934
4	HOLI	27-03-2013	WEDNESDAY	CHAITRA 06 - 1935
5	GOOD FRIDAY	29-03-2013	FRIDAY	CHAITRA 08 - 1935
6	BABU JAGJIVAN RAM'S BIRTHDAY	05-04-2013	FRIDAY	CHAITRA 15 - 1935
7	UGADI	11-04-2013	THURSDAY	CHAITRA 21 - 1935
8	SRI RAMA NAVAMI	19-04-2013	FRIDAY	CHAITRA 29 - 1935
9	RAMZAN (ID-UL-FITR)	09-08-2013	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 18 - 1935
10	INDEPENDENCE DAY	15-08-2013	THURSDAY	SRAVANA 24 - 1935
11	SRI KRISHNASHTAMI	29-08-2013	THURSDAY	BHADRA 07 - 1935
12	VINAYAKA CHAVITHI	09-09-2013	MONDAY	BHADRA 18 - 1935
13	GANDHI JAYANTHI	02-10-2013	WEDNESDAY	ASVINA 10 - 1935
14	VIJAYA DASAMI/ DUSSEHRA	14-10-2013	MONDAY	ASVINA 22 - 1935
15	BAKRID (ID-UL-ZUHA)	16-10-2013	WEDNESDAY	ASVINA 24 - 1935
16	DEEPAVALI	02-11-2013	SATURDAY	KARTIKA 11 - 1935
17	MUHARRAM	14-11-2013	THURSDAY	KARTIKA 23 - 1935
18	CHRISTMAS	25-12-2013	WEDNESDAY	PAUSHA 04 - 1935

**ANNEXURE - I (B)**

**The following festivals occur on 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday and Sunday  
during the year 2013.**

1	BHOGI	13-01-2013	SUNDAY	PAUSHA 23 - 1934
2	MAHA SHIVARATRI	10-03-2013	SUNDAY	PHALGUNA 19- 1934
3	DR.B.R.AMBEDKAR'S BIRTHDAY	14-04-2013	SUNDAY	CHAITRA 24 - 1935
4	DURGASHTAMI	12-10-2013	2 <sup>nd</sup> SATURDAY	ASVINA 20 - 1935

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**ANNEXURE - II (A)****OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS**

S.NO	OCCASION/FESTIVAL	DATE	DAY	SAKA-ERA
1	2	3	4	5
1	NEW YEAR'S DAY	01.01.2013	TUESDAY	PAUSHA 11 - 1934
2	ARBAYEEN	03.01.2013	THURSDAY	PAUSHA 13 - 1934
3	KANUMU	15.01.2013	TUESDAY	PAUSHA 25 - 1934
4	SRI PANCHAMI	14.02.2013	THURSDAY	MAGHA 25 - 1934
5	YAZ DAHUM SHAREEF	21.02.2013	THURSDAY	PHALGUNA 02 - 1934
6	MAHAVEER JAYANTHI	24.04.2013	WEDNESDAY	VAISAKHA 04 - 1935
7	BASAVA JAYANTHI	13.05.2013	MONDAY	VAISAKHA 23 - 1935
8	BIRTHDAY OF HAZRATH ALI	24.05.2013	FRIDAY	JYAISHTHA 03 - 1935
9	BUDDHA PURNIMA	25.05.2013	SATURDAY	JYAISTA 04 - 1935
10	SHAB-E-MERAJ	07.06.2013	FRIDAY	JYAISTA 17 - 1935
11	SHAB-E-BARATH	25.06.2013	TUESDAY	ASHADA 04 - 1935
12	RATHA YATHRA	10.07.2013	WEDNESDAY	ASHADA 19 - 1935
13	JUMAT-UL-VIDA	02.08.2013	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 11 - 1935
14	SHAB-E-QADAR	05.08.2013	MONDAY	SRAVANA 14 - 1935
15	VARALAKSHMI VRATHAM	16.08.2013	FRIDAY	SRAVANA 25 - 1935
16	SRAVANA PURNIMA / RAKHI PURNIMA	20.08.2013	TUESDAY	SRAVANA 29 - 1935
17	MAHALAYA AMAVASYA	04.10.2013	FRIDAY	ASVINA 12 - 1935
18	EID-E-GADEER	24.10.2013	THURSDAY	KARTIKA 02 - 1935
19	9 <sup>TH</sup> MUHARRAM	13.11.2013	WEDNESDAY	KARTIKA 22 - 1935
20	KARTHIKA PURNIMA	16.11.2013	SATURDAY	KARTIKA 25 - 1935
21	ARBAYEEN	23.12.2013	MONDAY	PAUSHA 02 - 1935
22	CHRISTMAS EVE	24.12.2013	TUESDAY	PAUSHA 03 - 1935
23	BOXING DAY	26.12.2013	THURSDAY	PAUSHA 05 - 1935

**ANNEXURE II (B)**

**The following festivals occur on Sunday during the year 2013.**

1	PARSI NEW YEAR'S DAY	18.08.2013	SUNDAY	SRAVANA 27 - 1935
2	MAHARNAVAMI	13.10.2013	SUNDAY	ASVINA 21 - 1935
3	GURUNANAK JAYANTHI	17.11.2013	SUNDAY	KARTIKA 26 - 1935

(\*) Tamil New Year's Day on 14.01.2013, Birthday of Hazrath Syed Mohd. Juvanpuri Mehdi Ma'ud (a.s) on 27.3.2013, and Naraka Chaturthi on 02.11.2013 (which would have been Optional Holidays) are declared as General Holidays in view of Sankranti/Pongal, Holi, and Deepavali respectively.

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