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OFFICE OF THE DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER
COCHIN SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE (CSEZ)
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
KAKKANAD, COCHIN – 37

Dated: 08.12.2015

To

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

Sir,

Sub: List of Holidays and Restricted Holidays in 2015 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 2015, as finalized by the Central Government
Employees Welfare Co-Ordination Committee (CGEWCC), Thiruvananthapuram for all
Central Government offices in Kerala.

Yours faithfully,

Vijayalakshmi Nair
(Vijayalakshmi Nair)
Assistant Development Commissioner (Admn)

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1. All SEZs
2. All Officers and Staff
3. CSEZIA
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8. Office of the Commissioner of Customs, Custom House, Cochin
9. Office of the Commissioner of Central Excise, Bangalore I Commissionerate
10. Office of the Principal Director of Audit Scientific Department, Sub office, Vth Block 02,
Shastri Bhavan, Nungambakkam, Chennai – 6
11. The Chairman, Cochin Port Trust, Cochin
12. Computer Cell, CSEZ – for upload in CSEZ website



COCHIN SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE

LIST OF CLOSED HOLIDAY FOR THE YEAR 2015 (FOR COCHIN OFFICES)

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date Christian Era	Date Saka Era	Day of the Week
01	Republic Day	26.01.2015	Magha 06	Monday
02	Maha Shivarathri	17.02.2015	Magha 28	Tuesday
03	Mahavir Jayanti	02.04.2015	Chaitra 12	Thursday
04	Good Friday	03.04.2015	Chaitra 13	Friday
05	Vishu/Vaisakhadi/Bahag Bihu	15.04.2015	Chaitra 25	Wednesday
06	Buddha Purnima	04.05.2015	Vaisakha 14	Monday
07	*Idul Fitr (Ramzan)	18.07.2015	Ashadha 27	Saturday
08	Independence Day	15.08.2015	Sravana 24	Saturday
09	Onam	28.08.2015	Bhadra 06	Friday
10	*Idul Zuha (Bakrid)	25.09.2015	Asvina 03	Friday
11	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02.10.2015	Asvina 10	Friday
12	Dussehra (Vijaya Dashmi)	23.10.2015	Karthika 01	Friday
13	*Muharram	24.10.2015	Karthika 02	Saturday
14	Diwali (Deepavali)	10.11.2015	Karthika 19	Tuesday
15	Guru Nanak's Birthday	25.11.2015	Agrahayana 04	Wednesday
16	*Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	24.12.2015	Pausa 03	Thursday
17	Christmas Day	25.12.2015	Pausa 04	Friday

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

The dates for the four holidays of Idul' Fitr (Ramzan) (July 18), Idul' Zuha (Bakrid) (September 25), Muharram (October, 24) and Birthday of Prophet Mohammed (December, 24) have been adopted from the Central List. If the State Government changes any of these holidays the changed date only will be observed as a Closed Holiday for Central Government Offices also. But, if the State Government sanctions any additional holiday(s) in connection with the above occasions, the date(s) of such additional holiday(s) will be observed as Restricted Holiday(s) only for Central Government offices. If the change of date 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.**



COCHIN SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE (CSEZ)

LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAY FOR THE YEAR 2015 (FOR COCHIN OFFICES)

Sl. No	Occasion	Date (Christian Era)	Date (Saka Era)	Day of the week
SAKA ERA 1936				
1	New Year's Day	01.01.2015	Pausa 11	Thursday
2	Makara Samkranti	14.01.2015	Pausa 24	Wednesday
3	Pongal	15.01.2015	Pausa 25	Thursday
4	Basanta Panchami/Sri Panchami	24.01.2015	Magha 04	Saturday
5	Guru Ravidas Birthday	03.02.2015	Magha 14	Tuesday
6	Swamy Dayanand Saraswati Jayanti	14.02.2015	Magha 25	Saturday
7	Shivaji Jayanti	19.02.2015	Magha 30	Thursday
8	Attukal Pongala/Holika Dahan	05.03.2015	Phalguna 14	Thursday
9	Holi	06.03.2015	Phalguna 15	Friday
10	Chaitra Sukhladi/Gudi Padava/Ugadi/Cheti Chand	21.03.2015	Phalguna 30	Saturday
SAKA ERA 1937				
11	Ram Navami	28.03.2015	Chaitra 07	Saturday
12	Maundy Thursday	02.04.2015	Chaitra 12	Thursday
13	Easter Sunday	05.04.2015	Chaitra 15	Sunday
14	Vaisakhi/Masadi	14.04.2015	Chaitra 24	Tuesday
15	Thrissur Pooram	29.04.2015	Vaisakha 09	Wednesday
16	May Day	01.05.2015	Vaisakha 11	Friday
17	Hazarath Ali's Birth Day	03.05.2015	Vaisakha 13	Sunday
18	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	09.05.2015	Vaisakha 19	Saturday
19	St. Thomas Day	03.07.2015	Asadha 12	Thursday
20	Jamat-ul-Vida	17.07.2015	Asadha 26	Friday
21	Ratha Yathra	18.07.2015	Asadha 27	Saturday
22	Karkidaka vavu	14.08.2015	Sravana 23	Friday
23	Parsi New Year's Day/Nauroz	18.08.2015	Sravana 27	Tuesday
24	First Onam	27.08.2015	Bhadra 05	Thursday
25	Third Onam	29.08.2015	Bhadra 07	Saturday
26	Fourth Onam/Sreenarayana Guru Jayanti	30.08.2015	Bhadra 08	Sunday
27	Janmashtami	05.09.2015	Bhadra 14	Saturday
28	Ganesh Chaturthi/Vinayak Chaturthi	17.09.2015	Bhadra 26	Thursday
29	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi	21.09.2015	Bhadra 30	Monday
30	Dussehra (Maha Saptami) Additional	20.10.2015	Asvina 28	Tuesday
31	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami) Additional	21.10.2015	Asvina 29	Wednesday
32	Dussehra (Mahanavami)	22.10.2015	Asvina 30	Thursday
33	Maharshi Valmiki's Birthday	27.10.2015	Karthika 05	Tuesday
34	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	30.10.2015	Karthika 08	Friday
35	Deepavali (North India)	11.11.2015	Karthika 20	Wednesday
36	Govardhan Puja	12.11.2015	Karthika 21	Thursday
37	Bhai Duj	13.11.2015	Karthika 22	Friday
38	Pratihari Sashthi or Surya Shashti (Chhat Puja)	17.11.2015	Karthika 26	Tuesday
39	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	24.11.2015	Agrahayana 03	Tuesday
40	Christmas Eve	24.12.2015	Pausa 03	Thursday
41	New Year Eve	31.12.2015	Pausa 10	Wednesday