



OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub : Vacation and Holidays for the Subordinate Courts in the Union Territory of Puducherry, for the year 2022 – Observance of – Reg.

The Subordinate Civil Courts in the Union Territory of Puducherry are required to observe the following periods of adjournments in respect of Vacation and Holidays for the year 2022:-

VACATION & HOLIDAYS

SUMMER VACATION	DUSSEHRA HOLIDAYS	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
Sunday, the 1 st day of May, 2022 to Tuesday, the 31 st day of May, 2022.	Saturday, the 1 st day of October, 2022 to Sunday, the 9 th day of October, 2022.	Friday, the 23 rd day of December, 2022 to Saturday, the 31 st day of December, 2022.

2. The Holidays for all the Subordinate Courts in the Union Territory of Puducherry for the year 2022 are as follows:-

(A) HOLIDAYS FOR PUDUCHERRY & KARAIKAL REGIONS

- a) All Sundays are holidays for all the Subordinate Courts including Family Courts functioning in Puducherry and Karaikal Regions.
- b) The following four Saturdays are working days for all the Subordinate

Courts including Family Courts functioning in Puducherry and Karaikal Regions:-

22.01.2022, 05.02.2022, 05.03.2022 and 06.08.2022.

- c) Except the above Saturdays, all other Saturdays are holidays for all the Subordinate Courts functioning in Puducherry and Karaikal Regions, except Family Courts.
- d) The Family Courts functioning in Puducherry and Karaikal Regions shall also work on 1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month except those Saturdays which are declared as Public Holidays. All other Saturdays are declared as holidays, except 22.01.2022 which is declared as working day.
- e) List of Public Holidays and Court Holidays is as follows:-

MONTH	DATE	DAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAYS / COURT HOLIDAYS
JANUARY	13.01.2022	THURSDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	14.01.2022	FRIDAY	PONGAL
	26.01.2022	WEDNESDAY	REPUBLIC DAY
APRIL	14.04.2022	THURSDAY	DR. AMBEDKHAR'S BIRTHDAY/ TAMIL NEW YEAR'S DAY
	15.04.2022	FRIDAY	GOOD FRIDAY
MAY	03.05.2022	TUESDAY	RAMZAN (ID-UL-FITR)
AUGUST	15.08.2022	MONDAY	INDEPENDENCE DAY
	16.08.2022	TUESDAY	DE JURE TRANSFER DAY
	31.08.2022	WEDNESDAY	VINAYAGAR CHATHURTHI
OCTOBER	04.10.2022	TUESDAY	SARASWATHI POOJA/ AYUDHA POOJA
	24.10.2022	MONDAY	DEEPAVALI
	25.10.2022	TUESDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
NOVEMBER	01.11.2022	TUESDAY	LIBERATION DAY

Note: As New Year's Day (01.01.2022), Thiruvalluvar Day/Mattu Pongal (15.01.2022), May Day (01.05.2022), Bakrid (Id-ul-Alha) (10.07.2022), Gandhi Jayanthi (02.10.2022), Milad-un-Nabi (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed) (08.10.2022) and Christmas (25.12.2022) fall on Saturdays/Sundays, these days are not shown in the above list.

(B) HOLIDAYS FOR MAHE REGION

- a) All Sundays are holidays.
- b) The following four Saturdays are working days:-
22.01.2022, 05.02.2022, 05.03.2022 and 06.08.2022.
- c) Except the above Saturdays, all other Saturdays are holidays.
- d) List of Public Holidays and Court Holidays is as follows :-

MONTH	DATE	DAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAYS / COURT HOLIDAYS
JANUARY	14.01.2022	FRIDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	26.01.2022	WEDNESDAY	REPUBLIC DAY
APRIL	13.04.2022	WEDNESDAY	VISHU 1 st DAY
	14.04.2022	THURSDAY	VISHU 2 nd DAY/ DR.AMBEDKHAR'S BIRTHDAY
	15.04.2022	FRIDAY	GOOD FRIDAY
MAY	02.05.2022	MONDAY	RAMZAN (ID-UL-FITR)
AUGUST	15.08.2022	MONDAY	INDEPENDENCE DAY
	16.08.2022	TUESDAY	DE JURE TRANSFER DAY
SEPTEMBER	07.09.2022	WEDNESDAY	ONAM 1 st DAY
	08.09.2022	THURSDAY	ONAM 2 nd DAY
OCTOBER	04.10.2022	TUESDAY	MAHANAVAMI
	24.10.2022	MONDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
NOVEMBER	01.11.2022	TUESDAY	LIBERATION DAY

Note: As New Year's Day (01.01.2022), May Day (01.05.2022), Bakrid (Id-ul-Alha) (09.07.2022), Gandhi Jayanthi (02.10.2022), Meelad-Un-Nabi (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad) (08.10.2022), St. Theresa Festival (15.10.2022) and Christmas (25.12.2022) fall on Saturdays/Sundays, these days are not shown in the above list.

(C) HOLIDAYS FOR YANAM REGION

- a) All Sundays are holidays.
- b) The following four Saturdays are working days:-
22.01.2022, 05.02.2022, 05.03.2022 and 06.08.2022.
- c) Except the above Saturdays, all other Saturdays are holidays.
- d) List of Public Holidays and Court Holidays is as follows:-

MONTH	DATE	DAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAYS / COURT HOLIDAYS
JANUARY	13.01.2022	THURSDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	14.01.2022	FRIDAY	PONGAL (MAKARA SANKARANTHI)
	26.01.2022	WEDNESDAY	REPUBLIC DAY
APRIL	14.04.2022	THURSDAY	DR. AMBEDKHAR'S BIRTHDAY
	15.04.2022	FRIDAY	GOOD FRIDAY
MAY	03.05.2022	TUESDAY	RAMZAN (ID-UL-FITR)
AUGUST	15.08.2022	MONDAY	INDEPENDENCE DAY
	16.08.2022	TUESDAY	DE JURE TRANSFER DAY
	31.08.2022	WEDNESDAY	GANESHA CHATHURTHI
OCTOBER	04.10.2022	TUESDAY	AYUDHA POOJA
	24.10.2022	MONDAY	DEEPAVALI
	25.10.2022	TUESDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
NOVEMBER	01.11.2022	TUESDAY	PUDUCHERRY LIBERATION DAY

Note: As New Year's Day (01.01.2022), Telugu New Year Day (Ugadi Festival) (02.04.2022), May Day (01.05.2022), Bakrid (Id-ul-Alha) (10.07.2022), Gandhi Jayanthi (02.10.2022), Milad-un-Nabi (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed) (08.10.2022) and Christmas (25.12.2022) fall on Saturdays/Sundays, these days are not shown in the above list.

The receipt of this Official Memorandum is required to be acknowledged immediately.

HIGH COURT, MADRAS
DATED: 07.12.2021

Sd/- P.DHANABAL
REGISTRAR GENERAL