



OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub : Vacation and Holidays for all the Subordinate Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu, for the year, 2020 - Observance of - Reg.

Ref : Civil Rules of Practice and Circular Orders (Volume-II).

1. The Subordinate Civil Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu are required to observe the following periods of adjournments in respect of the Vacation and Holidays for the year, 2020.

VACATION & HOLIDAYS

SUMMER VACATION	DUSSEHRA HOLIDAYS	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
Friday, the 1 st day of May, 2020 to Sunday, the 31 st day of May, 2020.	Saturday, the 17 th day of October, 2020 to Monday, the 26 th day of October, 2020.	Friday, the 25 th day of December, 2020 to Thursday, the 31 st day of December, 2020.

2. The Holidays for all the Subordinate Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu, for the year, 2020 are as follows :-

- (a) All Sundays are Holidays for all the Subordinate Courts including Family Courts functioning in the State of Tamil Nadu.
- (b) The following 10 Saturdays are working days for all the Subordinate Courts including Family Courts functioning in the State of Tamil Nadu.

04.01.2020, 01.02.2020, 07.03.2020, 25.04.2020,
06.06.2020, 04.07.2020, 05.09.2020, 07.11.2020,
21.11.2020 and 05.12.2020.

- (c) Except the above Saturdays, all other Saturdays are holidays for all the Subordinate Courts, except Family Courts.

(d) All the Family Courts functioning in the State of Tamil Nadu shall 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 25.04.2020 which is declared as working day.

(e) List of Public Holidays and Court Holidays are as follows:-

MONTH	DATE	DAY	NAME OF THE HOLIDAYS
JANUARY	01.01.2020	WEDNESDAY	NEW YEAR'S DAY
	14.01.2020	TUESDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	15.01.2020	WEDNESDAY	PONGAL
	16.01.2020	THURSDAY	THIRUVALLUVAR DAY
	17.01.2020	FRIDAY	UZHAVAR THIRUNAL
MARCH	25.03.2020	WEDNESDAY	TELUGU NEW YEAR'S DAY
APRIL	06.04.2020	MONDAY	MAHAVEER JAYANTHI
	10.04.2020	FRIDAY	GOOD FRIDAY
	13.04.2020	MONDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	14.04.2020	TUESDAY	TAMIL NEW YEAR'S DAY & DR.B.R.AMBEDKAR'S BIRTHDAY
MAY	01.05.2020	FRIDAY	MAY DAY
	25.05.2020	MONDAY	RAMZAN (IDU'L FITR)
AUGUST	10.08.2020	MONDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	11.08.2020	TUESDAY	KRISHNA JAYANTHI
OCTOBER	02.10.2020	FRIDAY	GANDHI JAYANTHI
	26.10.2020	MONDAY	VIJAYA DASAMI
	27.10.2020	TUESDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	30.10.2020	FRIDAY	MILAD-UN-NABI

MONTH	DATE	DAY	NAME OF THE HOLIDAYS
NOVEMBER	12.11.2020	THURSDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	13.11.2020	FRIDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	16.11.2020	MONDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	17.11.2020	TUESDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
DECEMBER	24.12.2020	THURSDAY	COURT HOLIDAY
	25.12.2020	FRIDAY	CHRISTMAS

Note : As Republic Day (26.01.2020), Bakrid (01.08.2020), Independence Day (15.08.2020), Vinayakar Chathurthi (22.08.2020), Muharram (30.08.2020), Ayutha Pooja (25.10.2020) and Deepavali (14.11.2020) fall on Saturdays/Sundays, these days are not shown in the above list.

All the Principal District Judges/District Judges/Unit Heads in Chennai City, are directed to issue notification in the Official Gazette declaring the periods of adjournments specified in Para - 1 above, as 'Vacation and Holidays' and other Holidays specified in Para - 2 above as 'Holidays' for all the Civil Courts in their Jurisdiction, in consonance with the above instructions.


All the Chief Judicial Magistrates/ the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai, are directed to issue Notifications in the Official Gazette declaring the Holidays specified in para - 2 above only, as 'Holidays' for all the Criminal Courts in their Jurisdiction, except the Summer Vacation, Dussehra and Christmas Holidays specified in para 1 above.

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

HIGH COURT, MADRAS
DATED: 12.12.2019.

Sd/- C.KUMARAPPAN
REGISTRAR GENERAL

//True copy/Forwarded/By order//


Asst. Registrar (Admn.III) 12/12/19