

**THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT AT GUWAHATI**  
(The High Court of Assam: Nagaland, Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh)

**NOTIFICATION**

No.HC.XI-05/2019/37 /RC Dated, Guwahati, the 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2020

**LIST OF HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2021 IN RESPECT OF THE  
SUB-ORDINATE CIVIL & CRIMINAL COURTS OF NAGALAND**

In exercise of the power vested under section 15 of the Act XII of 1887 (The Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Court, Act) the Gauhati High Court is pleased to declare the following days to be observed as closed holiday during the year 2020 in all the Civil and Criminal Courts in Nagaland, Sub-ordinate to the Gauhati High Court.

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|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|---------------------------|---|---------------|
| <i>New Year's day</i>               | - | <i>01<sup>st</sup> January</i>                              | - | <i>Friday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Republic Day</i>                 | - | <i>26<sup>th</sup> January</i>                              | - | <i>Tuesday</i>            | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Maha Siva Ratri</i>              | - | <i>11<sup>th</sup> March</i>                                | - | <i>Thursday</i>           | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Holi</i>                         | - | <i>29<sup>th</sup> March</i>                                | - | <i>Monday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Good Friday/ Easter Saturday</i> | - | <i>02<sup>nd</sup> April to 03<sup>rd</sup> April</i>       | - | <i>Friday to Saturday</i> | - | <i>2 days</i> |
| <i>May Day</i>                      | - | <i>01<sup>st</sup> May</i>                                  | - | <i>Saturday</i>           | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Id-Ul-Fitre</i>                  | - | <i>14<sup>th</sup> May</i>                                  | - | <i>Friday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Id-uz-Zuha (Bakrid)</i>          | - | <i>21<sup>st</sup> July</i>                                 | - | <i>Wednesday</i>          | - | <i>1day</i>   |
| <i>Independence Day</i>             | - | <i>15<sup>th</sup> August</i>                               | - | <i>Sunday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Muharram</i>                     | - | <i>19<sup>th</sup> August</i>                               | - | <i>Thursday</i>           | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Janmashtami</i>                  | - | <i>30<sup>th</sup> August</i>                               | - | <i>Monday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Ganesh Chaturthi</i>             | - | <i>10<sup>th</sup> September</i>                            | - | <i>Friday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Gandhi Jayanti</i>               | - | <i>02<sup>nd</sup> October</i>                              | - | <i>Saturday</i>           | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Durga Puja</i>                   | - | <i>15<sup>th</sup> October</i>                              | - | <i>Friday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Diwali/Deepavali</i>             | - | <i>04<sup>th</sup> November</i>                             | - | <i>Thursday</i>           | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Guru Nanak's Birthday</i>        | - | <i>19<sup>th</sup> November</i>                             | - | <i>Friday</i>             | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>State Inauguration Day</i>       | - | <i>01<sup>st</sup> December</i>                             | - | <i>Wednesday</i>          | - | <i>1 day</i>  |
| <i>Christmas holidays</i>           | - | <i>23<sup>rd</sup> December to 31<sup>st</sup> December</i> | - | <i>Thursday to Friday</i> | - | <i>9 days</i> |

**N.B. :-**

- (1) In addition to aforesaid holidays all Courts shall remain closed on such days as are observed as local holiday in Executive Offices and also on days which are observed as Public holidays U/S 25 of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 (XXV of 1881) and also the Courts shall remain closed on such days declared as holiday by the State Govt. of Nagaland.
- (2) If any of the holidays for festivals notified above does not fall on the day notified, necessary modification changing the date will be issued in due time.

- (3) All Civil Courts will remain closed on 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month. The Courts will function on other Saturdays of the month from 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.
- (4) The Sub-ordinate Civil Courts will enjoy either the holidays declared by the High Court or the holidays declared by the State Govt. of Nagaland on the same occasion falling on two different dates.

**LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2021 IN RESPECT OF THE  
SUB-ORDINATE CIVIL & CRIMINAL COURTS OF NAGALAND**

| OCCASION                                |   | DATE                                     |   | DAYS              |   | NO OF DAYS |
|---|---|--|---|-------------------|---|------------|
| Thuni (Chakhesang)                      | - | 5 <sup>th</sup> January                  | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day      |
| Chithuni                                | - | 7 <sup>th</sup> January                  | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Poang Lum (Chang)                       | - | 13 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Sukruni (Chakhasang)                    | - | 15 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Friday            | - | 1 day      |
| Tsungkamneo (Yimchunger)                | - | 16 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day      |
| Mimkut (Kuki)                           | - | 17 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day      |
| Khaozasoie-Hok-Ah (Khamniungan)         | - | 20 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Bishu (Kachari)                         | - | 27 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Basant Panchami / Sri Panchami          | - | 29 <sup>th</sup> January                 | - | Friday            | - | 1 day      |
| Totino                                  | - | 18 <sup>th</sup> February                | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Sekrenyi (Angami)                       | - | 25 <sup>th</sup> February                | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Mileinyi (Zeliang)                      | - | 11 <sup>th</sup> March                   | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Tsohsu (Sangtam)                        | - | 12 <sup>th</sup> March                   | - | Friday            | - | 1 day      |
| Kundaglan (Chang)                       | - | 1 <sup>st</sup> April                    | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Aoleang (Konyak)                        | - | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> April  | - | Thursday & Friday | - | 2 days     |
| Phom Monyu                              | - | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> April  | - | Thursday & Friday | - | 2 days     |
| Holong Monglashi                        | - | 3 <sup>rd</sup> April                    | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day      |
| Manipur New Year Day                    | - | 13 <sup>th</sup> April                   | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day      |
| Vaisakhadi (Bengal)/ Bohag Bihu (Assam) | - | 14 <sup>th</sup> April                   | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Wangtsunuo (Yimchunger)                 | - | 16 <sup>th</sup> April                   | - | Friday            | - | 1 day      |
| Pochury (Commemoration Day)             | - | 21 <sup>st</sup> April                   | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Tsukhenyi (Chakhasang)                  | - | 24 <sup>th</sup> April                   | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day      |
| Moatsu (Ao)                             | - | 2 <sup>nd</sup> May                      | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day      |
| Woplong                                 | - | 3 <sup>rd</sup> May                      | - | Monday            | - | 1 day      |
| Buddha Purnima                          | - | 26 <sup>th</sup> May                     | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day      |
| Phom Day                                | - | 6 <sup>th</sup> June                     | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day      |
| Tuluni (Sumi)                           | - | 8 <sup>th</sup> July                     | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day      |
| Naknyulum (Chang)                       | - | 31 <sup>st</sup> July                    | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day      |
| Tsungremong (Ao)                        | - | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> August | - | Sunday & Monday   | - | 2 days     |
| Biam (Khamniungan)                      | - | 7 <sup>th</sup> August                   | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day      |
| Metemneo (Yimchunger)                   | - | 8 <sup>th</sup> August                   | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day      |

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|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------|---|--------|
| Martyr's Day (Manipur)         | - | 13 <sup>th</sup> August                      | - | Friday            | - | 1 day  |
| Hunapongpi (Sangtam)           | - | 18 <sup>th</sup> August                      | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day  |
| Muharram                       | - | 19 <sup>th</sup> August                      | - | Thursday          | - | 1 day  |
| Onam (Kerela)                  | - | 21 <sup>st</sup> August                      | - | Saturday          | - | 1 day  |
| Mongmong (Sangtam)             | - | 3 <sup>rd</sup> September                    | - | Friday            | - | 1 day  |
| Black Day (Pochury)            | - | 6 <sup>th</sup> September                    | - | Monday            | - | 1 day  |
| Lao-ong Mo (Konyak)            | - | 28 <sup>th</sup> September                   | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day  |
| Tsokum (Khamniungam)           | - | 5 <sup>th</sup> October                      | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day  |
| Yemshe (Pochury)               | - | 5 <sup>th</sup> October                      | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day  |
| Chaga Gadi (Laingmai)          | - | 30 <sup>th</sup> & 31 <sup>st</sup> October  | - | Saturday & Sunday | - | 2 days |
| Langsimnyi (Zeliang)           | - | 31 <sup>st</sup> October                     | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day  |
| Chavang Kut (Kuki)             | - | 1 <sup>st</sup> November                     | - | Monday            | - | 1 day  |
| Aphikimthi (Sumi)              | - | 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> November   | - | Thursday & Friday | - | 2 days |
| Ningol Chakouba (Manipuri)     | - | 5 <sup>th</sup> November                     | - | Friday            | - | 1 day  |
| Tokhu Emong (Lotha)            | - | 6 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup> November   | - | Saturday & Sunday | - | 2 days |
| Ahuna (Sumi)                   | - | 14 <sup>th</sup> & 15 <sup>th</sup> November | - | Sunday & Monday   | - | 2 days |
| Bhai Duj                       | - | 16 <sup>th</sup> November                    | - | Tuesday           | - | 1 day  |
| Wangla (Garo)                  | - | 21 <sup>st</sup> November                    | - | Sunday            | - | 1 day  |
| Guru Teg Bahadur Martyrdom Day | - | 24 <sup>th</sup> November                    | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day  |
| Ngada (Rengma)                 | - | 27 <sup>th</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup> November | - | Saturday & Sunday | - | 2 days |
| Terhuni (Angami)               | - | 9 <sup>th</sup> December                     | - | Wednesday         | - | 1 day  |

By Order etc.

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