

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**  
**REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT**

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**NOTIFICATION**

**No. Regn - 126/2012- 48795 / R& D.M., Dated 7/11/12**

The Government of Odisha have been pleased to declare that the State Government Offices as well as the Revenue and Magisterial Courts (Executive) will remain closed on the festive/ Commemorative occasions, listed in **Annexure-I** during the Calendar year-2013 and Saka Era- 1934/1935.

In addition to the holidays as listed in **Annexure-I**, the State Government Employees will be allowed to avail of one holiday at their option on any one of the festive occasion / Commemorative days listed in **Annexure-II** irrespective of their religious affiliation/ denomination with written permission of the authority, competent to sanction casual leave.

Since the festive / Commemorative days as listed in **Annexure-III** fall on Sundays and Second Saturday those days have not been specifically declared as holidays.

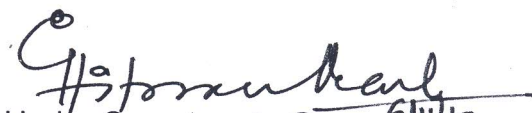
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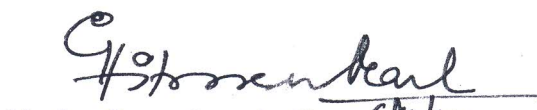
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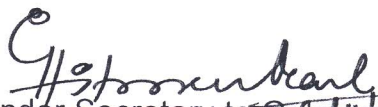
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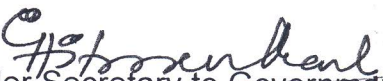
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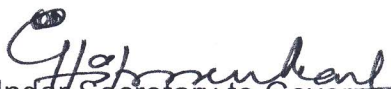
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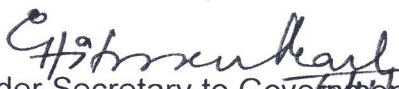
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**ANNEXURE-I****PROPOSED LIST OF HOLIDAYS FOR THE STATE GOVT.  
OFFICES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2013, SAKA ERA  
1934/1935**

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| Sl. No. | NAME OF THE FESTIVALS                        | DATE        | Date as per Saka Era. | DAY of the week | No. of days |
|---------|----------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 1       | 2                                            | 3           | 4                     | 5               | 6           |
| 1.      | Subash Bose Jayanti/ Vir Surendrasai Jayanti | 23.01.2013  | Magha-03              | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 2.      | Birth Day of Prophet Mohammad                | 25.01.2013  | Magha-05              | Friday          | 1           |
| 3.      | Republic Day                                 | 26.01.2013  | Magha-06              | Saturday        | 1           |
| 4.      | Basanta Panchami/ Saraswati Puja             | 15.02.2013  | Magha-26              | Friday          | 1           |
| 5.      | Panchayati Raj Divas                         | 05.03. 2013 | Phalguna-14           | Tuesday         | 1           |
| 6.      | Dola Purnima                                 | 27.03.2013  | Chaitra-06            | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 7.      | Holi                                         | 28.3.2013   | Chaitra-07            | Thursday        | 1           |
| 8.      | Good Friday                                  | 29.03.2013  | Chaitra-08            | Friday          | 1           |
| 9.      | Utkal Dibas                                  | 01.04.2013  | Chaitra-11            | Monday          | 1           |
| 10.     | Sriram Navami                                | 19.04.2013  | Chaitra-29            | Friday          | 1           |
| 11.     | Pahili Raja                                  | 14.06. 2013 | Jyestha-24            | Friday          | 1           |
| 12.     | Raja Sankranti                               | 15.06.2013  | Jyestha-25            | Saturday        | 1           |
| 13.     | Ratha Yatra                                  | 10.07.2013  | Ashadha-19            | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 14.     | Id-ul-Fitre                                  | 09.08.2013  | Sravana-19            | Friday          | 1           |
| 15.     | Independence Day                             | 15.08.2013  | Sravana-24            | Thursday        | 1           |
| 16.     | Janmasthami                                  | 28.08.2013  | Bhadra-06             | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 17.     | Ganesh Puja                                  | 09.09.2013  | Bhadra-18             | Monday          | 1           |
| 18.     | Nuakhai                                      | 10.09.2013  | Bhadra-19             | Tuesday         | 1           |
| 19.     | Gandhi Jayanti                               | 02.10.2013  | Ashwina-10            | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 20.     | Mahalaya                                     | 04.10.2013  | Ashwina-12            | Friday          | 1           |
| 21.     | Maha Saptami                                 | 11.10.2013  | Ashwina-19            | Friday          | 1           |
| 22.     | Vijaya Dasami                                | 14.10.2013  | Ashwina-22            | Monday          | 1           |
| 23.     | Id-ul-Zuha                                   | 16.10.2013  | Ashwina-24            | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 24.     | Kumar Purnima /Maha Laxmi Puja               | 18.10.2013  | Ashwina-26            | Friday          | 1           |
| 25.     | Kali Puja                                    | 02.11.2013  | Kartika-11            | Saturday        | 1           |
| 26.     | Moharram                                     | 14.11.2013  | Kartika-23            | Thursday        | 1           |
| 27.     | X-Mas Day                                    | 25.12.2013  | Pausha-04             | Wednesday       | 1           |
|         | <b>Total</b>                                 |             |                       |                 | <b>27</b>   |

**ANNEXURE-II****PROPOSED LIST OF OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS FOR THE STATE GOVT.  
EMPLOYEES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2013, SAKA ERA – 1934/1935**

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| Sl. No.        | Name of the festivals      | Date        | Date as per Saka Era | Day of the week | No. of days |
|----------------|----------------------------|-------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 1              | 2                          | 3           | 4                    | 5               | 6           |
| 1.             | Guru Govind Singh Birthday | 18.01.2013  | Pausha-28            | Friday          | 1           |
| 2.             | Foundation of Bramha Samaj | 25.01. 2013 | Magha-05             | Friday          | 1           |
| 3.             | Day following Sivaratri    | 11.03.2013  | Phalguna-20          | Monday          | 1           |
| 4.             | Easter Saturday            | 30.03.2013  | Chaitra-09           | Saturday        | 1           |
| 5.             | Mahavir Jayanti            | 24.04.2013  | Baisakha-04          | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 6.             | Raja Rammohan Ray Jayanti  | 22.05.2013  | Jyestha -01          | Wednesday       | 1           |
| 7.             | Budha Purnima              | 25.05.2013  | Jyestha-04           | Saturday        | 1           |
| 8.             | Bahuda Yatra               | 18.07.2013  | Ashadha-27           | Thursday        | 1           |
| 9.             | Sab-e-Qadr                 | 05.08.2012  | Shravana-14          | Monday          | 1           |
| 10.            | Nanda Utsav                | 29.08.2013  | Bhadra-07            | Thursday        | 1           |
| 11.            | Anla Navami                | 11.11.2013  | Kartika-20           | Monday          | 1           |
| 12.            | Prathamastami              | 26.11.2013  | Margashira-05        | Tuesday         | 1           |
| 13.            | Christmas Eve              | 24.12.2013  | Pausha-03            | Tuesday         | 1           |
| <b>Total :</b> |                            |             |                      |                 | <b>13</b>   |

***The State Government employees may avail one optional holiday on any other festive occasion / commemorative days as listed above.***

**PROPOSED LIST OF FESTIVALS/ COMMEMORATIVE DAYS (WHICH ARE GENERALLY DECLARED AS HOLIDAYS FOR THE STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES), FALL ON SUNDAYS/ 2<sup>nd</sup> SATURDAYS DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2013, SAKA ERA 1934/1935**

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| <b>Sl. No.</b> | <b>Name of the festivals</b>                       | <b>Date</b> | <b>Date as per Saka Era</b> | <b>Day of the week</b> | <b>No. of days</b> |
|----------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>1</b>       | <b>2</b>                                           | <b>3</b>    | <b>4</b>                    | <b>5</b>               | <b>6</b>           |
| 1.             | Maha Shivaratri                                    | 10.03.2013  | Phalguna-19                 | Sunday                 | 1                  |
| 2.             | Maha Visubha Sankranti / Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti | 14.4.2013   | Chaitra-24                  | Sunday                 | 1                  |
| 3              | Maha Asthami                                       | 12.10.2013  | Ashwina-20                  | Second Saturday        | 1                  |
| 4.             | Maha Navami                                        | 13.10.2013  | Ashwina-21                  | Sunday                 | 1                  |
| 5.             | Diwali (Dipabali)                                  | 03.11.2013  | Kartika-12                  | Sunday                 | 1                  |
| 6              | Rahasa Purnima                                     | 17.11.2013  | Kartika-26                  | Sunday                 | 1                  |
|                | <b>Total</b>                                       |             |                             |                        | <b>6</b>           |