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NOTIFICATION

I. The State Government is pleased to declare the days specified in the following Schedule to be observed as Public Holidays in all Government Offices, Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions under the Government of Sikkim during the Calendar year, 2025.

SL. NO.	OCCASION	DATE(S)	DAY(S)	NO. OF DAYS
1.	New Year's Day/ Losoong/Namsoong	1 st January	Wednesday	1
2.	Losoong/Namsoong	2 nd January to 4 th January	Thursday to Saturday	3
3.	Nyenpa Guzom	5 th January to 6 th January	Sunday to Monday	2
4.	Maghe Sankranti	14 th January	Tuesday	1
5.	Republic Day	26 th January	Sunday	1
6.	Sonam Lochhar	30 th January	Thursday	1
7.	Losar	28 th February	Friday	1
8.	Bhumchu	14 th March	Friday	1
9.	Holi			
10.	Id-UI-Fitr	31 st March	Monday	1
11.	Ramnavami (Chaite Dasain)	6 th April	Sunday	1
12.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti	14 th April	Monday	1
13.	Good Friday	18 th April	Friday	1
14.	Shyadar Pidar	12 th May	Monday	1

SL. NO.	OCCASION	DATE(S)	DAY(S)	NO. OF DAYS
15.	State Day	16 th May	Friday	1
16.	Saga Dawa	11 th June	Wednesday	1
17.	Bhanu Jayanti	13 th July	Sunday	1
18.	Drukpa Tshe-zi	28 th July	Monday	1
19.	Guru Rimpoche's Thungkar Tshechu	4 th August	Monday	1
20.	Tendong Lho Rum Faat	8 th August	Friday	1
21.	Independence Day	15 th August	Friday	1
22.	Janmashtami	16 th August	Saturday	1
23.	Nepali Bhasa Manyata Diwas	20 th August	Wednesday	1
24.	Teej (Haritalika)	26 th August	Tuesday	1
25.	Indrajatra	6 th September	Saturday	1
26.	Pang Lhabsol	7 th September	Sunday	1
27.	Durga Puja (Dasain)	30 th September to 04 th October	Tuesday to Saturday	5
28.	Gandhi Jayanti	2 nd October	Thursday	1
29.	Birthday of Late Nar Bahadur Bhandari, Former Chief Minister of Sikkim	05 th October	Sunday	1
30.	Laxmi Puja (Deepawali)	21 st October to 23 rd October	Tuesday to Thursday	3
31.	Lhabab Duechen	11 th November	Tuesday	1
32.	Sakewa	23 rd November	Sunday	1
33.	Puhgal Parim	04 th December	Thursday	1
34.	Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam			
35.	Barahimijong	09 th December	Tuesday	1
36.	Chasok Tongnam	15 th December	Monday	1
37.	Kagyed Dance	18 th December	Thursday	1
38.	Lossong/Namsoong	20 th December to 25 th December	Saturday to Thursday	6 days
39.	Christmas	25 th December	Thursday	1
40.	Nyenpa Guzom	26 th December	Friday	1
41.	Tamu Lochar	30 th December	Tuesday	1
	Total No. of days			53

II. In addition, **All Second and Fourth Saturdays** will be observed as holidays in all Government Offices and Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions.

III. It is further declared that the following days shall be **Restricted Holiday**, a government employee shall be entitled to avail of only one per year.

SL. NO.	OCCASION	DATE(S)	DAY(S)	NO. OF DAYS
1.	Labour Day	1 st May, 2025	Thursday	1
2.	Birthday of Late Tenzing Norgay Sherpa	29 th May, 2025	Thursday	1
3.	Birthday of H.H.The Dalai Lama	6 th July, 2025	Sunday	1
4.	Sarathi (Chalak) Diwas	27 th July, 2025	Sunday	1
5.	Chhat Puja	28 th October, 2025	Tuesday	1
6.	Birth-anniversary of Shri Satya Sai Baba of Puttaparthi	23 rd November, 2025	Sunday	1

By order and in the name of the Governor.

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