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NOTIFICATION

No. F. 230121/3/96-GAD, the 10th October, 1997. In exercise of the powers conferred by explanation under Section 25 of Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 read with the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs Notification No. 20/25/56-Pub-I dt. 6. 8. 1957, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to declare the following dates as public holidays for all the offices under the Govt. of Mizoram including Govt. of Mizoram undertakings during Calendar year, 1998.

SL. NO.	Holidays	Date	Mizo Month	Days
1.	New Year's Day	1-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Thursday
2.	New Year's Festival	2-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Friday
3.	Republic day	26-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Monday
4.	Idul'1 Fitr	30-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Friday
5.	State Inauguration Day	20-2-98	Ramtuk Thla	Friday
6.	Mahashivratri	25-2-98	Ramtuk Thla	Wednesday
7.	Holi	13-3-98	Vauthla	Friday
8.	Chapchar Kut	13-3-98	Vauthla	Friday
9.	Annual Closing of Bank Accounts (For Banks only)	1-4-98	Tau Thla	Wednesday
10.	Idul'1 Zuha	8-4-98	Tau Thla	Wednesday

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11.	Mahavir Jayanti	9-4-98	Tau Thla	Thursday
12.	Good Friday	10-4-98	Tau Thla	Friday
13.	Muharram	7-5-98	Tomir Thla	Thursday
14.	Buddha Purnima	11-5-98	Tomir Thla	Monday
15.	Y.M.A. Day	15-6-98	Nikir Thla	Monday
16.	Remna Ni	30-6-98	Nikir Thla	Tuesday
17.	M.H.I.P. Day	6-7-98	Vawkhniakzawn Thla	Monday
18.	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	7-7-98	Vawkhniakzawn Thla	Tuesday
19.	Independence Day	15-8-98	Thitin Thla	Saturday
20.	Maha Navami (Additional Day for Dussehra)	30-9-98	Mimkut Thla	Wednesday
21.	Half Yearly Closing of Bank Accounts (For Banks only)	30-9-98	Mimkut Thla	Wednesday
22.	Dussehra (Vijaya Dasami)	1-10-98	Khuangchawi Thla	Thursday
23.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	2-10-98	Khuangchawi Thla	Friday
24.	Diwali (Deepavali)	19-10-98	Khuangchawi Thla	Monday
25.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	4-11-98	Sahmulphah Thla	Wednesday
26.	Christmas Preparatory Day	21-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Monday
27.	Christmas Preparatory Day	22-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Tuesday
28.	Christmas Preparatory Day	23-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Wednesday
29.	Christmas Eve	24-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Thursday
30.	Christmas Day	25-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Friday
31.	Christmas Festival	26-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Saturday
32.	New Year's Eve	31-12-98	Pawtlak Thla	Thursday

RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR 1998

In addition to the above notified holidays, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to allow each employee to avail himself/herself of any two holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the list of Restricted Holidays mentioned below :—

SL. NO.	Holidays	Date	Mizo Month	Days
1.	Guru Gobind Singh's Birthday	5-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Monday
2.	Missionary Day	11-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Sunday
3.	Makaraskrantanti	14-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Wednesday
4.	Pongal	14-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Wednesday
5.	Jamat-Ul-Vida	23-1-98	Pawlkut Thla	Friday
6.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	11-2-98	Ramtuk Thla	Wednesday
7.	Holi (Holikadahana)	12-3-98	Vauthla	Thursday
8.	Chaitra Sukladi/Ugadi Gudi Padava/Cheti Chand	28-3-98	Vauthla	Saturday
9.	Vaisakhi	13-4-98	Tauthla	Monday
10.	Easter Monday	13-4-98	Tauthla	Monday
11.	Mesadi	14-4-98	Tauthla	Tuesday
12.	Vishu	14-4-98	Tauthla	Tuesday
13.	Vaisakhadi/Bahag Bihu	15-4-98	Tauthla	Wednesday
14.	Rath Yatra	26-6-98	Nikir Thla	Friday
15.	Bhanu Jayanti	13-7-98	Vawkhniakzawn Thla	Monday
16.	Raksha Bandhan	8-8-98	Thitin Thla	Saturday
17.	Janmashtami (Smarta)	14-8-98	Thitin Thla	Friday
18.	Janmashtami (Vaisanava)	15-8-98	Thitin Thla	Saturday
19.	Parsi New Year	22-8-98	Thitin Thla	Saturday
20.	Ganesh Chaturthi/Vinayaka Chaturthi	26-8-98	Thitin Thla	Wednesday
21.	Onam	4-9-98	Mimkut Thla	Friday
22.	Dussehra (Maha Saptami)	28-9-98	Mimkut Thla	Monday
23.	Dussehra (Maha Asthami)	29-9-98	Mimkut Thla	Tuesday
24.	Maharishi Valakimi's Birthday	5-10-98	Khuangchawi Thla	Monday