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N O T I F I C A T I O N

No. F. 23012/3/2000-GAD, the 21st September, 2004. The Governor of Mizoram is pleased to declare that the offices under the Govt. of Mizoram including Govt. of Mizoram undertakings will remain closed on the following days during the calendar year 2005.

Sl. No.	HOLIDAYS	DATE	MIZO MONTH	DAY OF THE WEEK
1.	New Year's Day	1.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Saturday
2.	Idul Zuha (Bakrid)	21.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Friday
3.	Republic Day	26.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Wednesday
4.	State Inauguration Day/Muharram	20.2.2005	Ramtuk Thla	Sunday
5.	Chapchar Kut	11.3.2005	Vau Thla	Friday
6.	Good Friday	25.3.2005	Vau Thla	Friday
7.	Mahavir Jayanti/Milad - Un-Nabi (Birthday of Prophet Muhamad)	22.4.2005	Tau Thla	Friday
8.	Buddha Purnima	23.5.2005	Tomir Thla	Monday
9.	Y.M.A. Day	15.6.2005	Nikir Thla	Wednesday
10.	Remna Ni	30.6.2005	Nikir Thla	Thursday
11.	Independence Day	15.8.2005	Thitin Thla	Monday
12.	Janmashtami	26.8.2005	Thitin Thla	Friday
13.	Onam	15.9.2005	Mimkut Thla	Thursday
14.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	2.10.2005	Khuangchawi Thla	Sunday
15.	Dussehra (Vijaya Dashami)	12.10.2005	Khuangchawi Thla	Wednesday
16.	Diwali	1.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Thursday
17.	Id-Ul-Fitr	4.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Friday
18.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	15.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Tuesday

19. Christmas preparatory Day	23.12.2005	Pawtlak Thla	Friday
20. Christmas Eve	24.12.2005	Pawtlak Thla	Saturday
21. Christmas Day	25.12.2005	Pawtlak Thla	Sunday
22. Christmas Festival	26.12.2005	Pawtlak Thla	Monday
23. New Year's Eve	31.12.2005	Pawtlak Thla	Friday

List of Public Holidays declared under Section 25 of the N.I. Act, 1881 (XXIV of 1881) read with Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs' Notification No. 20/25/56/Pub-I dt. 8.6.1957 shall issue separately.

The Governor of Mizoram is further pleased to allow each employee to avail any 2 (two) holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the list of Restricted Holidays mentioned below. Permission to avail these holidays should be applied for in writing in advance and will normally be granted by the Superior Officer competent to grant casual leave except when the presence of the individual employee is considered necessary in exigencies of Government work.

RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS

Sl. No.	OCCASION	DATE	MIZO MONTH	DAY OF THE WEEK
1.	New Year's Celebration	3.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Monday
2.	Guru Govind Singh's Birthday	5.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Wednesday
3.	Pongal	15.1.2005	Pawlkut Thla	Saturday
4.	Guru Ravida's Birthday	24.2.2005	Ramtuk Thla	Thursday
5.	Holi (Holikadahana/ Dolyatra)	25.3.2005	Vau Thla	Friday
6.	Vaisakhi	13.4.2005	Tau Thla	Wednesday
7.	Ram Navami	17.4.2005	Tau Thla	Sunday
8.	M.H.I.P. Day	6.7.2005	Vawkhniakzawn Thla	Wednesday
9.	Rath Yatra	8.7.2005	Vawkhniakzawn Thla	Friday
10.	Hazarat Alis Birthday/ Raksha Bandhan	19.8.2005	Thitin Thla	Friday
11.	Janmastami (Vaishava)	27.8.2005	Thitin Thla	Saturday
12.	Dussehra (Maha Saptami)	10.10.2005	Khuangchawi Thla	Monday
13.	Dussehra (Maha Navami)	12.10.2005	Khuangchawi Thla	Wednesday
14.	Deepavali (South India)	1.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Tuesday
15.	Govardhan Puja	2.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Wednesday
16.	Bhai Duj	3.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Thursday
17.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	24.11.2005	Sahmulphah Thla	Thursday

Lalmalsawma,
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