



Indian Banks' Association

HR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

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All Members of the Association (Designated Officers)

Dear Sirs,

Public Holidays for the Year 2012 in the State of Nagaland

We enclose a copy of the Government Notification containing the list of public holidays declared under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 in the State of Nagaland for the Year 2012.

In the said list, the Government of Nagaland has declared Sunday, 1st April 2012 and Sunday, 30th September 2012 as public holidays for annual / half yearly closing of bank accounts respectively. Accordingly, we have taken up the matter with the Government of Nagaland with a request to issue an amended notification declaring Monday, 2nd April 2012 and Saturday, 29th September 2012 as public holidays to enable banks to close their annual and half yearly accounts, respectively. On receipt of such notification, we shall advise member banks.

We have to clarify that 'public holiday' declared by Central/State Governments/ Union Territory, includes 'Sundays' as indicated under the explanation to Section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Branches of banks working on Sundays observe their weekly-off on any other day of the week as decided by the Bank and notified to members of staff and public. Therefore, all Sundays will be working days for Sunday working branches, except those Sundays declared as holidays by the Central/ State Government/ Union Territory for a specified festival/occasion in a particular year, under the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Yours faithfully,

**(K Ganesan)
Vice President**

Encl.

c.c.to: Associate Members

Government declares list of Holidays for the calendar year 2012

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The Government of Nagaland has declared the days specified below as General Holidays and Restricted Holidays under the Government of Nagaland during the Calendar year 2012 and further declares in pursuance of the explanation to section-3 of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 (Act, XXVI), as public Holidays in Nagaland during 2012.

List of public holidays under the negotiable instrument act, 1881 under Nagaland during the Calendar year 2012

Sl. No.	Name of festival	No. of Days	Date in Gregorian Calendar	Days of the week
1	New Year Day	1	1 st January 2012	Sunday
2	Republic Day	1	26 th January 2012	Thursday
3	Bank Holiday (Annual Account Closing)	1	1 st April 2012	Sunday
4	Good Friday	1	6 th April 2012	Friday
5	Independence Day	1	15 th August 2012	Wednesday
6	Idu'l Fitr	1	20 th August 2012	Monday
7	Bank Holiday (Half Yearly Account)	1	30 th September 2012	Sunday
8	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	1	2 nd October 2012	Tuesday
9	Durga Puja	2	23 rd to 24 th October 2012	Tuesday to Wednesday
10	Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)	1	27 th October 2012	Saturday
11	Diwali (Deepavali)	1	13 th November	Tuesday
12	Guru Nanak Birthday	1	28 th November 2012	Wednesday
13	State Inauguration Day	1	1 st December 2012	Saturday
14	Christmas	3	24 th to 26 th December 2012	Monday to Wednesday
	Total	17		

* There will be no public transaction in the National Bank on these days.

This was informed in a notification issued by the Home Department General Administration Branch on 22nd November 2011.

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<http://iprnagaland.gov.in/component/content/article/60-alerts/207-government-declares-list-of-holidays-for-the-calendar-year-2012>