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Sub: Holidays for the year 2018, O/o the Principal Commissioner of Customs, Custom House, Visakhapatnam-Reg.

A list of Closed Holidays (Annexure-1) and Restricted Holidays (Annexure-II) to be observed during the year 2018 by the O/o the Principal Commissioner of Customs, Custom House, Visakhapatnam is furnished below:

Annexure-1

LIST OF CLOSED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR -2018

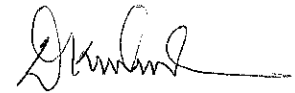
S.N O	HOLIDAY	DATE	SAKA DATE	DAY
1.	Republic day	January 26	Magha 06	Friday
2.	Holi	March 02	Phalguna 11	Friday
3.	Mahavir Jayanti	March 29	Chaitra 08	Thursday
4.	Good Friday	March 30	Chaitra 09	Friday
5.	Buddha Purnima	April 30	Vaisakha 10	Monday
6.	Idul Fitr	June 16	Jyaishtha 26	Saturday
7.	Independence day	August 15	Sravana 24	Wednesday
8.	Id-ul-Zuha(Bakrid)	August 22	Sravana 31	Wednesday
9.	Janmashthami	September 03	Bhadra 12	Monday
10.	Ganesh Chaturthi	September 13	Bhadra 22	Thursday
11.	Muharram	September 21	Bhadra 30	Friday
12.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October 02	Asvina 10	Tuesday
13.	Dussehra	October 19	Asvina 27	Friday
14.	Diwali (Deepavali)	November 07	Kartika 16	Wednesday
15.	Milad-un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammed)	November 21	Kartika 30	Wednesday
16.	Guru Nanank's Birthday	November 23	Agrahayana 02	Friday
17.	Christmas day	December 25	Pausha 04	Tuesday

Note: Barring the three closed holidays i.e., Republic Day, Independence Day and Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday, the Custom House will function on all holidays excluding all Sundays to attend the urgent work between 11.00 AM and 01.00 PM with minimum staff as usual. As regards Saturdays, the Custom House will function from 11.00 AM to 02.00 PM to attend urgent work. There will be no cash transactions in the Custom House Treasury on SBI Holidays.

In addition to the holidays notified, each member of the staff is permitted to avail any two holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the Restricted Holidays declared. They should take this leave with prior permission of their superior officer.

Annexure -II
LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR-2018

SL No.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day
1	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Monday
2	Makar Sankranti	January 14	Pausha 24	Sunday
3	Pongal	January 14	Pausha 24	Sunday
4	Kanuma(Additional day sankranti)	January 15	Pausha 25	Monday
5	Basant Panchami/ Sri Panchami	January 22	Magha 02	Monday
6	Guru Ravidas' Birthday	January 31	Magha 11	Wednesday
7	Swami Dayananda Saraswati Jayanti	February 10	Magha 21	Saturday
8	Mahashivaratri	February 14	Magha 25	Wednesday
9	Shivaji Jayanti	February 19	Megha 30	Monday
10	Holika Dahan/ Dolyatra	March 01	Phalguna 10	Thursday
11	Chaitra Shukladi/ Gudi Padva/ Ugadi/ Cheti Chand	March 18	Phalguna 27	Sunday
12	Ram Navami	March 25	Chaitra 04	Sunday
13	Easter Sunday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Sunday
14	Hazart Ali's Birthday	April 01	Chaitra 11	Sunday
15	Vaisakhi/Vishu/Mesadi	April 14	Chaitra 24	Saturday
16	Vaisakhadi/ Bahag Bihu	April 15	Chaitra 25	Sunday
17	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	May 09	Vaisakha 19	Wednesday
18	Jamat-Ul-Vida	June 15	Jyaishtha 25	Friday
19	Rath Yatra	July 14	Ashadha 23	Saturday
20	Paris New Year's day/Nauraj	August 17	Sravana 26	Friday
21	Varalakshmi Vratham	August 24	Bhadra 02	Friday
22	Onam or Thiru Onam day	August 25	Bhadra 03	Saturday
23	Raksha Bandhan	August 26	Bhadra 04	Sunday
24	Dussehra(Maha Saptami)(additional)	October 16	Asvina 24	Tuesday
25	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami/ Bathukamma	October 17	Asvina 25	Wednesday
26	Dussehra (Maha Navmi)	October 18	Asvina 26	Thursday
27	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October 24	Kartika 02	Wednesday
28	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	October 27	Kartika 03	Saturday
29	Deepawali (South India)	November 06	Kartika 15	Tuesday
30	Naraka Chaturdasi	November 06	Kartika 15	Tuesday
31	Govardhan Puja	November 08	Kartika 17	Thursday
32	Bhai Duj	November 09	Kartika 18	Friday
33	Pratihar Sashti or Surya Sashti (Chhat Puja)	November 13	Kartika 22	Tuesday
34	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom day	November 24	Agrahayana 03	Tuesday
35	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausha 03	Monday



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6. The Chairman, VPT
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