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### PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

##### THE HOLIDAYS ACT, No. 29 OF 1971

###### Order under Section 4

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 4 of the Holidays Act, No. 29 of 1971, I, Wajira Abewardena, Minister of Home Affairs, do by this order determine that for the purpose of this Act, the days specified in the Schedule hereto shall be the Public and Bank Holidays for the year 2019.

WAJIRA ABEWARDENA,  
Minister of Home Affairs.

Ministry of Home Affairs,  
Independence Square,  
Colombo 07,  
26th June 2018.

#### SCHEDULE

January	15	Tuesday	2019	Tamil Thai Pongal Day	*=
January	20	Sunday	2019	Duruthu Full Moon Poya Day	*=
February	04	Monday	2019	National Day	*=
February	19	Tuesday	2019	Nawam Full Moon Poya Day	*=
March	04	Monday	2019	Mahasivarathri Day	*=
March	20	Wednesday	2019	Madin Full Moon Poya Day	*=
April	13	Saturday	2019	Day prior to Sinhala and Tamil New Year Day	*=
April	14	Sunday	2019	Sinhala and Tamil New Year Day	*=
April	19	Friday	2019	Bak Full Moon Poya Day	*=



SCHEDULE (Contd.)

April	19	Friday	2019	Good Friday	*=
May	01	Wednesday	2019	May Day	*=
May	18	Saturday	2019	Vesak Full Moon Poya Day	*=
May	19	Sunday	2019	Day following Vesak Full Moon Poya Day	*=
June	05	Wednesday	2019	Id-Ul-Fitr (Ramazan Festival Day)	*=
June	16	Sunday	2019	Poson Full Moon Poya Day	*=
July	16	Tuesday	2019	Esala Full Moon Poya Day	*=
August	12	Monday	2019	Id-Ul-Alha (Hadji Festival Day)	*=
August	14	Wednesday	2019	Nikini Full Moon Poya Day	*=
September	13	Friday	2019	Binara Full Moon Poya Day	*=
October	13	Sunday	2019	Vap Full Moon Poya Day	*=
October	27	Sunday	2019	Deepavali Festival Day	*=
November	10	Sunday	2019	Milad-Un-Nabi (Holy Prophet's Birthday)	*=
November	12	Tuesday	2019	Ill Full Moon Poya Day	*=
December	11	Wednesday	2019	Unduvap Full Moon Poya Day	*=
December	25	Wednesday	2019	Christmas Day	*=

\* Public Holidays  
 = Bank Holidays