

**PART – III**  
**PUBLIC HOLIDAYS, 2015 FOR BANKS**

**No. GS/2014-35-PHD/102014/1339/GH:-** In pursuance of the explanation to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, (XXVI of 1881) read with the Notification of the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs No. 39/1/68-Judl.III dated the 8<sup>th</sup> May, 1968, the Government of Gujarat, in consultation with Reserve Bank of India, Ahmedabad is pleased to declare the following days to be Public Holidays for banks during the year 2015.

No	Name of General Holidays	Date / Saka Era	Days of Week
1.	Makar Sankranti	14 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015 / 24, Paush,1936	Wednesday
2.	Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015 / 6, Magh,1936	Monday
3.	Holi 2 <sup>nd</sup> Day- Dhuleti	6 <sup>th</sup> March, 2015 / 15, Phalgun,1936	Friday
4.	Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar's Birthday	14 <sup>th</sup> April, 2015 / 24, Chaitra,1937	Tuesday
5.	Ramjan-Id (Id-UI-Fitra) (1 <sup>st</sup> Shawaal) (Muslim, Shiya & Sunni)	18 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015 / 27, Ashadh, 1937	Saturday
6.	Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August, 2015 / 24, Shravan, 1937	Saturday
7.	Raksha Bandhan	29 <sup>th</sup> August, 2015 / 7, Bhadrapad, 1937	Saturday
8.	Samvatsari (Chaturthi Paksha)	17 <sup>th</sup> September, 2015 / 26, Bhadrapad, 1937	Thursday
9.	Bakri-Id (Id-UI-Aza)	25 <sup>th</sup> September, 2015 / 3, Ashwin,1937	Friday
10.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	2 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2015 / 10, Ashwin,1937	Friday
11.	Dusshera (Vijaya Dashmi)	22 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2015 / 30, Ashwin,1937	Thursday
12.	Diwali	11 <sup>th</sup> November, 2015 / 20, Kartik,1937	Wednesday
13.	Vikram Samvat New Year Day	12 <sup>th</sup> November, 2015 / 21, Kartik,1937	Thursday
14.	Id-e-Milad-Un-Nabi (Prophet Mohammad's Birthday)	24 <sup>th</sup> December, 2015 / 3, Paush, 1937	Thursday
15.	Christmas	25 <sup>th</sup> December, 2015 / 4, Paush,1937	Friday

**Note :** (1) *The following day has not been notified as General Holiday as it falls on Sunday*

1	Id-e-Milad-Un-Nabi (Prophet Mohammad's Birthday)	4 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015 / 14, Paush,1936	Sunday
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**Note :** (2) **The Government of Gujarat is also pleased to declare Wednesday, the 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2015 /11, Chaitra, 1937 to be Public Holiday for Banks, Pay & Accounts Office, Treasury / Sub-Treasury Offices only in the State of Gujarat to enable them to close yearly accounts.**

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

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Dated the 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2014

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The Personal Secretary to the Hon. Speaker, Gujarat Legislative Assembly, Gandhinagar.  
The Personal Secretary to All Ministers, Swarnim Sankul-1, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar  
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❖ **By letter**

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

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