LAHORE HIGH COURT, LAHORE
NOTIFICATION

No. 91 -R&M/XVII-3 Dated Lahore the 05 December, 2024

Under provisions of Section 25 of the West Pakistan Civil Courts Ordinance, 1962, the Hon'ble Chief Justice and Judges have been pleased to approve the following annual list of General Holidays to be observed by the Lahore High Court (Principal Seat & its Benches at Bahawalpur, Multan and Rawalpindi) and Civil & Sessions Courts in the Punjab during the Calendar year 2025:-

SR. No:	NAME OF FESTIVAL:	DATE:	DAY(s) OF THE WEEK:	NO.OF DAYS:
1.	Kashmir Day	5th February	Wednesday	1
2.	*Urs of Channan Peer (28th Shaban 1446) (for Bahawalpur Bench and Civil & Sessions Courts in Bahawalpur)	27th February	Thursday	1
3.	Pakistan Day	23rd March	Sunday	1
4.	*Eid-ul-Fitr	31st March, 1st & 2nd April	Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday	3
5.	Good Friday (for Christians)	18th April	Friday	1
6.	Easter Sunday (for Christians)	20th April	Sunday	1
7.	Labour Day	1st May	Thursday	1
8.	Death Anniversary of Late Nawab Sir Sadiq Muhammad Khan Abbasi-V, Ameer of Bahawalpur (for Bahawalpur Bench and Civil & Sessions Courts in Bahawalpur Division)	24th May	Saturday	1
9.	*Eid-ul-Azha	7th & 8th June	Saturday & Sunday	2
10.	*Muharram (Ashura) (9th & 10th 1447)	5th & 6th July	Saturday & Sunday	2
11.	*Urs of Hazrat Ghous Baha-ud-Din Zakariya Multani (R.A.) (7th Safar 1447) (for Multan Bench and Civil & Sessions Courts in Multan)	2nd August	Saturday	1
12.	Independence Day	14th August	Thursday	1
13.	*Urs of Hazrat Data Gunj Bakhsh (R.A.) (20th Safar 1447) (for Lahore High Court Principal Seat and Civil & Sessions Courts in Lahore)	15th August	Friday	1
14.	*Eid Milad-un-Nabi ﷺ	5th September	Friday	1
15.	Allama Iqbal Day	9th November	Sunday	1
16.	Birthday of Quaid-e-Azam & Christmas	25th December	Thursday	1
17.	**Winter Holidays** (i) For Hon'ble Judges of Lahore High Court, only	25th December, 2025 To 8th January, 2026	Thursday to Thursday	15
18.	(ii) For High Court, Civil & Sessions Courts in the Punjab	25th December, 2025 To 1st January, 2026	Thursday to Thursday	8

1. The Holidays marked with an asterisk (*) are subject to appearance of the moon. In case the event falls on a day other than that notified, specific instructions will be issued by the Lahore High Court and timely notice shall, when possible, be given to litigants if the event does not fall on the day already notified.

2. *The Civil and Sessions Courts in the Punjab shall observe Winter Holidays from 25th December (Thursday), 2025 to 1st January (Thursday), 2026.*

3. *The Lahore High Court shall observe Winter Holidays from 25th December (Thursday), 2025 to 8th January (Thursday), 2026 for the Hon'ble Judges of Lahore High Court and from 25th December (Thursday), 2025 to 1st January (Thursday), 2026 for staff of Lahore High Court.*

4. *Every Sunday in a week is a holiday.*

5. *The long vacation for the Lahore High Court shall be from 7th July (Monday) to 6th September (Saturday), 2025.*

6. *The Summer Vacation for the Civil Courts in the Punjab shall be from 1st August to 31st August, 2025 except Murree and Kotli Sattian Sub-Divisions, District Rawalpindi where the said vacation shall be observed during the month of January. However, Special Casual Leave will be observed by the Sessions Courts in the Punjab as per Notification issued by this Court.*

BY ORDER OF THE HON'BLE CHIEF JUSTICE & JUDGES

(KHADIM HUSSAIN)
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