

BANGLADESH BANK HEAD OFFICE

Motijheel, Dhaka-1000 Bangladesh www.bb.org.bd Department of Off-site Supervision

DOS Circular Letter no-25/2018

Chief Executives
All Scheduled Banks in Bangladesh.

Dear Sir,

Holidays of the year 2019

In terms of the Notification No. 05.00.0000.173.08.003.18-228 dated 14/11/2018 issued by the Ministry of Public Administration (Section: Regulation-4), Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, the public holidays to be observed by the scheduled banks in Bangladesh including Bangladesh bank during the year 2019 are specified below for information and necessary action:

Sl.	Name of the Occasion	Date	Day	No. of Holidays
1	2	3	4	5
01.	Shahid Day and International Mother Language Day	21 February, 2019	Thursday	1 Day
02.	Birthday of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman	17 March, 2019	Sunday	1 Day
03.	Independence and National Day	26 March, 2019	Tuesday	1 Day
04.	Bengali New Year's Day	14 April, 2019	Sunday	1 Day
05.	*Shab-e-Barat	21 April, 2019	Sunday	1 Day
06.	May Day	01 May, 2019	Wednesday	1 Day
07.	*Buddha Purnima (Boishakhi Purnima)	18 May, 2019	Saturday	1 Day
08.	Jumat-ul-Wida	31 May, 2019	Friday	1 Day
09.	*Shab-e-Qadr	02 June, 2019	Sunday	1 Day
10.	*Eid-ul-Fitr	04, 05 & 06 June, 2019	Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday	3 Days
11.	Bank Holiday	01 July, 2019	Monday	1 Day
12.	*Eid-ul-Azha	11, 12 & 13 August, 2019	Sunday, Monday & Tuesday	3 Days
13.	National Mourning Day	15 August, 2019	Thursday	1 Day
14.	Shuvo Janmashtami	23 August, 2019	Friday	1 Day
15.	* Ashura	10 September, 2019	Tuesday	1 Day
16.	Durgapuja (Bijoya Dashami)	08 October, 2019	Tuesday	1 Day
17.	*Eid-e-Milad-un-Nabi (S)	10 November, 2019	Sunday	1 Day
18.	Victory Day	16 December, 2019	Monday	1 Day
19.	Christmas Day	25 December, 2019	Wednesday	1 Day
20.	Bank Holiday	31 December, 2019	Tuesday	1 Day
Total = 24 Days				

^{*}Subject to the appearance of the moon.

Yours faithfully,

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