

**HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM
GANGTOK**

N-O-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-I-O-N

No. 34 / Confdl/HCS

Dated: 1.11.25

It is hereby notified for general information that the days enumerated hereunder shall be observed as holidays and vacations by the District Judiciary of Sikkim during the year, 2026.

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date (s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	New Year's Day	1 st January	Thursday	01
2.	Maghe Sankranti	15 th January	Thursday	01
3.	Sonam Lochhar	19 th January	Monday	01
4.	Republic Day	26 th January	Monday	01
5.	Losar	18 th February	Wednesday	01
6.	Akhil Sikkim Khas Chettri Bahun Kalyan Sangh's Foundation Day	26 th February	Thursday	01
7.	Holi	3 rd March	Tuesday	01
8.	Bhumchu			
9.	Id-Ul-Fitr	21 st March	Saturday	01
10.	Ramnawami (Chaite Dasain)	27 th March	Friday	01
11.	Good Friday	3 rd April	Friday	01
12.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti	14 th April	Tuesday	01
13.	Poila Baisakh	15 th April	Wednesday	01
14.	Shyadar Pidar	1 st May	Friday	01
15.	State Day	16 th May	Saturday	01
16.	Saga Dawa	31 st May	Sunday	01
17.	Bhanu Jayanti	13 th July	Monday	01
18.	Drukpa Tshe-zi	18 th July	Saturday	01
19.	Guru Rimpoche's Thungkar Tshechu	24 th July	Friday	01
20.	Tendong Lho Rum Faat	8 th August	Saturday	01
21.	Independence Day	15 th August	Saturday	01
22.	Nepali Bhasa Manyata Diwas	20 th August	Thursday	01
23.	Pang Lhabsol	28 th August	Friday	01
24.	Janmasthami	4 th September	Friday	01
25.	Teej (Haritalika)	14 th September	Monday	01
26.	Indrajatra	25 th September	Friday	01
27.	Gandhi Jayanti	2 nd October	Friday	01
28.	Birthday of Late Nar Bahadur Bhandari, Former Chief Minister of Sikkim	5 th October	Monday	01

29.	Maha Saptami	17 th October	Saturday	01
30.	Durga Puja (Dasain)	19 th October to 23 rd October	Monday to Friday	05
31.	Lhabab Duechen	1 st November	Sunday	01
32.	Kali Puja	8 th November	Sunday	01
33.	Laxmi Puja (Deepawali)	9 th November to 11 th November	Monday to Wednesday	03
34.	Sakewa	30 th November	Monday	01
35.	Kagyed Dance	7 th December	Monday	01
36.	Losoong/Namsoong	9 th December to 14 th December	Wednesday to Monday	06
37.	Nyengpa Guzom	15 th December	Tuesday	01
38.	Chasok Tongnam	16 th December	Wednesday	01
39.	Nyengpa Guzom			
40.	Puhgal Parim	23 rd December	Wednesday	01
41.	Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam	25 th December	Friday	01
42.	Christmas			
43.	Barahimijong	28 th December	Monday	01
44.	Tamu Lochar	30 th December	Wednesday	01
	Total No. of days			52

It is further declared that the following days shall be restricted holidays and the District Judiciary employees are entitled to avail only one per year.

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date (s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	Labour Day	1 st May, 2026	Friday	1
2.	Ubhauli Sakewa	7 th May, 2026	Thursday	1
3.	Birthday of Late Tenzing Norgay Sherpa	29 th May, 2026	Friday	1
4.	Birthday of H.H. The Dalai Lama	6 th July, 2026	Monday	1
5.	Sarathi (Chalak) Diwas	27 th July, 2026	Monday	1
6.	Chhat Puja	15 th November, 2026	Sunday	1
7.	Birth-anniversary of Shri Satya Sai Baba of Puttaparthi	23 rd November, 2026	Monday	1

VACATION		
1.	Winter Vacation	01.01.2026 to 31.01.2026
2.	Special (Monsoon) Vacation	14.07.2026 to 17.07.2026
3.	Durga Puja Vacation	16.10.2026 to 24.10.2026
4.	Diwali Vacation	06.11.2026 to 11.11.2026

By Order

N.B.: Government holidays falling on Sunday have been noted in the list of holidays.
District Judiciary of Sikkim will remain closed on second and fourth Saturdays.

By Order,

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Registrar
High Court of Sikkim

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Dated: 1-11-25

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4. President, Bar Association of India, New Delhi-110 001;
5. Secretary to Hon'ble the Governor of Sikkim, Raj Bhawan, Gangtok;
6. Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Sikkim, Gangtok;
7. Additional Registrar-cum-PPS to the Hon'ble, the Chief Justice, High Court of Sikkim;
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16. Principal District & Sessions Judge, Gangtok;
17. All District & Sessions Judges, Sikkim;
18. Director, Sikkim Judicial Academy, Sokeythang, Gangtok;
19. Legal Remembrancer-cum-Secretary, Legal & Parliamentary Affairs Department, Government of Sikkim;
20. Member Secretary, Sikkim State Legal Services Authority;
21. All Chief Judicial Magistrate-cum-Civil Judges (SD), Sikkim;
22. All Civil Judge-cum-Judicial Magistrates, Sikkim;
23. All District Magistrates, Gangtok, Mangan, Namchi, Gyalshing, Pakyong and Soreng Districts;
24. President, Bar Association of Sikkim (High Court & Subordinate Courts), Gangtok;
25. President, Sikkim High Court Bar Association, Gangtok;
26. President, Namchi Bar Association;
27. President, Bar Association of Gyalshing & Soreng Districts;
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