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Public Holidays Act (Chapter 321)

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Grand Chief Sir Paulias Matane, G.C.L., G.C.M.G., K.St.J., Governor-General, by virtue of the powers conferred by Sections 1, 2 and 3 of the *Public Holidays Act (Chapter 321)* and all other powers me enabling, acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Executive Council, hereby for general information notify that the following days shall be observed as Public Holidays throughout Papua New Guinea:—

- New Year's Day, Friday, 1st January, 2010
- Good Friday, Friday, 2nd April, 2010
- Easter Saturday, Saturday, 3rd April, 2010
- Easter Monday, Monday, 5th April, 2010
- Queens Birthday, Monday, 14th June, 2010
- National Remembrance Day, Friday, 23rd July, 2010
- Independence Day, Thursday, 16th September, 2010
- Christmas Day, Saturday, 25th December, 2010
- Boxing Day, Sunday, 26th December, 2010
- Public Holiday, Monday, 27th December, 2010.

Dated this 14th day of September, 2009.

PAULIAS MATANE,
Governor-General.

Public Holidays Act (Chapter 321)

PUBLIC NOTICE

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following days shall be for observance throughout Papua New Guinea but not as Public Holidays:—

Public Notice—continued

International Mothers Language Day — Sunday, 21st February, 2010
International Day for Women's Rights and International Peace — Monday, 8th March, 2010
International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination — Sunday, 21st March, 2010
Week of Solidarity with the Peoples Struggling against Racism and Racial — Sunday, 21st March, 2010
Discrimination
World Day for Water — Monday, 22nd March, 2010
World Tuberculosis Day— Wednesday, 24th March, 2010
World Health Day — Wednesday, 7th April, 2010
Book & Copyright Day — Friday, 23rd April, 2010
World Press Freedom Day — Monday, 3rd May, 2010
International Day of Families — Saturday, 15th May, 2010
World No Tobacco Day — Monday, 31st May, 2010
World Environment Day — Friday, 5th June, 2010
World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought — Thursday, 17th June, 2010
International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking — Saturday, 26th June, 2010
International Day of Co-operation — Sunday, 4th July, 2010
World Population Day — Sunday, 11th July, 2010
Provincial Government Day — Monday, 19th July, 2010
International Day of the World's Indigenous People — Monday, 9th August, 2010
National Prayer Days—Monday to Tuesday, 6th & 7th September, 2010
International Literacy Day—Wednesday, 8th September, 2010
Jewish New Year—Thursday, 9th September, 2010
International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer—Thursday, 16th September, 2010
World Maritime Day—Wednesday 29th September, 2010
International Day of Older Persons — Friday, 1st October, 2010
World Habitat Day—Tuesday, 5th October, 2010
International/National Teacher's Day—Tuesday, 5th October, 2010
World Post Day—Saturday, 9th October, 2010
International Day for Natural Disaster Reduction—Thursday, 14th October, 2010
World Food Day—Saturday, 16th October, 2010
International Day for the Eradication of Poverty—Sunday, 17th October, 2010
World Development Information Day—Sunday, 24th October, 2010
United Nations Day—Sunday, 24th October, 2010
Disarmament Week—Sunday to Saturday, 24th-30th October, 2010
International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in — Saturday, 6th November, 2010
War and Armed Conflict
Universal Children's Day—Saturday, 20th November, 2010
World AIDS Day—Wednesday, 1st December, 2010
International Day of Disabled Persons—Friday, 3rd December, 2010
International Volunteer Day for Economic and Social Development — Friday, 5th December, 2010
International Civil Aviation Day—Tuesday, 7th December, 2010
Human Rights Day Anniversary of UNICEF—Thursday, 11th December, 2010.

Dated this 17th day of September, 2009.

M. SOMARE,
Chairman,
National Executive Council.