

O/o the Distt. & Session Judge
Kullu & Lahaul Distt. At Kullu
Receipt No. 3751
Date 13/05/26

HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA - 171 001

No. HHC/Admn.6(20)/77-XXII- ¹⁴¹⁹⁰
Dated Shimla, the 13th May, 2026.

From

The Registrar General,
High Court of Himachal Pradesh,
Shimla - 171 001.

To

✓ All the District and Sessions Judges,
in the State of Himachal Pradesh.

Subject: Adoption of H.P. Government Notification No. GAD-A(B)8-1/2026 dated 08.05.2026.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of Notification bearing No. GAD-A(B)8-1/2026 dated 08.05.2026, received from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, regarding the declaration of **17.05.2026 (Sunday)** as a "Public Holiday" (in case poll is held) within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporations as per **Annexure-I**, for information and necessary action, as the same has been adopted for the Officers/Officials of the High Court of Himachal Pradesh as well as the District Judiciary in the State of Himachal Pradesh.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

[Signature] 13.05.2026
Assistant Registrar (O&A)

Dated: 13.05.2026

Endst.No. HHC/Admn.6(20)/77-XXII- ¹⁴¹⁹¹⁻⁹⁶

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Principal Private Secretary to Hon'ble the Chief Justice High Court of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla - 171001.
2. The Secretaries to the Hon'ble Judges, High Court of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
3. The Secretary / Private Secretary / Personal Assistants to the Registrar General / Registrar (Vigilance and Protocol) / Registrar (Rules and Judges Branch) / Registrar (Judicial) / Secretary (HPHCLSC) / Registrar (Administration, GAD and IT) / Central Project Coordinator / Registrar (Establishment) / Registrar (Accounts), High Court of H.P., Shimla
4. All the Additional Registrars / Deputy Registrars / Assistant Registrars / Court Masters / Secretaries / Private Secretaries / Section Officers / Chief Librarian / Protocol Officer, High Court of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
5. The President, H.P. High Court Staff Welfare Organization.
6. Guard file.

Encl: As above.

[Signature] 13.05.2026
Assistant Registrar (O&A)

D/ *[Signature]*
For *[Signature]*
Distt. & Sessions Judge
Kullu (H.P.)
Date 13.05.2026

GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
SECTION-A

NO. GAD-A(B)8-1/2026 DATED SHIMLA-2 THE

8th May, 2026

NOTIFICATION

The Governor, Himachal Pradesh is pleased to declare 17.05.2026 (Sunday) as a "Public Holiday" (in case poll is held) within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporation as per annexure-I. All Government Offices, Boards, Corporations, Educational Institutions and Industrial Establishments situated in the Himachal Pradesh including those covered under Industrial Disputes Act, as well as Shops and Commercial Establishments situated in the concerned area of the Municipal Corporation shall remain closed on the above said date. This will also be a paid holiday to daily wages employees and also within the meaning of Section 25 of Negotiable Instrument Act 1881.

It is clarified that special casual leave may be granted to those employees who are working at different places in the State but have a right to vote in above Municipal Corporations subject to production of certificate from the concerned Presiding Officer confirming that the employee has actually cast his/ her vote.

-By Order-

Chief Secretary,
Government of Himachal Pradesh.
May, 2026

NO. GAD-A (B) 8-1/2026 DATED SHIMLA-2 THE

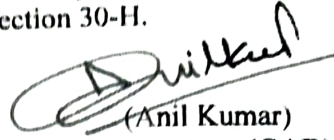
Copy for information and necessary action is forwarded to the Addl. Chief Secretary/ Secretary (Industries/ LEP/ PR/ RD) to the Govt. of HP, Labour Commissioner, H.P. and Director of Industries, H.P. Shimla for information and necessary action as indicated below:

1. To issue similar necessary instructions to the employees working in the Commercial and Industrial Establishments to which the provisions of the Negotiable Instrument act do not apply to declare above date as a paid holiday to their employees.
2. To issue similar necessary instructions under Shops and Commercial Establishment Act to declare above date as close day for all shops and commercial establishment instead of usual day observed by them as closed day during the week.

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3. To ask the factories situated in the Himachal Pradesh to grant an additional paid holiday to the Industrial Workers on poll day as provided in Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation Act, 1994, Section 30-H.



(Anil Kumar)
Deputy Secretary (GAD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

No. GAD-A (B) 8-1/2026 Dated Shimla 171002

8th May, 2026

Copy for information & necessary action is forwarded to the:-

1. All the Administrative Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Secretary to Governor, H.P., Shimla-2.
3. The D.G. of Police/ADGP (CID) H.P., Shimla.
4. The Pr. PS-cum-Spl. Secy to Hon'ble Chief Minister, H.P, Shimla for information.
5. All the Divisional Commissioner(s) H.P.
6. All the Deputy Commissioner(s) H.P.
7. All the HODs Himachal Pradesh.
8. The Director (LAC/ Education) Shimla, H.P.
9. The Director (IPR) Shimla, HP for appropriate publicity.
10. The Registrar(s), HPU-Summer Hill Shimla/CSK Himachal Pradesh Agriculture University Palampur and Dr.Y.S Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry Solan, H.P. Technical University Hamirpur, H.P and Sardar Patel University Mandi, H.P.
11. The MDs /Commissioners of all Boards/ Corporations Himachal Pradesh.
12. The Station Director, Doordarshan /All India Radio, Shimla.
13. The PSs/ Spl.PSs/ Sr.Spl PSs to Hon'ble Speaker/ Deputy Speaker, H.P, Vidhan Sabha, Shimla-4.
14. The PSs/ Spl.PSs/ Sr.Spl PSs to all Hon'ble Ministers, H.P.Sectt.,Shimla-2
15. The Sr.Spl PS to Chief Secretary, HP Secretariat Shimla -2
16. The PS to Chairman 7th State Finance Commission,
17. The PS to Vice Chairman H.P. Tourism Dev. Board, H.P.
18. The PS to Deputy Chairman State Planning Board, H.P.
19. The P.S. to Deputy Chief Whip, Shimla.
20. The Chief Secretaries all States/ UTs.
21. The Secretary, Election Commission, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi.
22. The Pr. R.C., H.P. Govt., New Delhi-110001.
23. The Secretary, HP Public Service Commission, H.P.
24. The Administrative Officer, Rajya Chayan Aayog - HPRCA, Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh.
25. The Secretary, HP Vidhan Sabha, Shimla.
26. The Registrar, H.P. High Court, Shimla.
27. The Secretary, H.P. Board of School Education, Dharamshala, Distt. Kangra H.P.
28. The Controller, Himachal Pradesh Printing and Stationary Department, Shimla for publication in the Rajpatra (Ordinary).
29. The Pr. A.G. Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-3.

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30. The Secretary, Rajya Sainik Board, Hamirpur H.P.
31. The Director, Census Operation, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
32. The Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Shimla-9.
33. The Manager, Central Bank of India, Combermere Hotel, Near lift Shimla, HP.
34. The Manager, Indian Bank, Kasumpti, Shimla-9.
35. The Divisional Manager, Indian Oil Corporation, Shimla.
36. The Divisional Manager, LIC, Shimla.
37. The Zonal Manager, Punjab National Bank, Zonal Office, MC Parking Complex, Cart Road Shimla-1.
38. The SLBC, UCO Bank Zonal Office Himland, email (slbchp@ucobank.co.in)
39. The Zonal Manager, United Commercial Bank, Himland Hotel Building Circular Road Shimla-1.
40. The Manager, State Bank of India/ PNB/ HP Cooperative Bank, HP Secretariat Shimla-2
41. The Manager, NABARD/ICICI Bank/ Punjab & Sindh Bank of India/ Oriental Bank of Commerce/ J&K Bank/ Syndicate Bank of India/ Union Bank of India/ Indian Overseas Bank/ Maharashtra Bank, H.P. Shimla.
42. The Manager, Canara Bank, Shimla/ Solan, Himachal Pradesh.
43. The Manager, National Agriculture & Rural Dev. Bank, Shimla.
44. The Deputy General Manager, Small Industrial Developmental Bank of India, Shimla-1.
45. The Manager, Oriental Insurance Corpn. Civil Estate, Kaithu, Shimla.
46. The Manager, Central Insurance Corp. Mai- The Estate, Shimla.
47. The Manager, United India Insurance Corpn. Bhagra Niwas, Shimla.
48. The Manager, New India Insurance Corpn., The Mall, Shimla.
49. The Manager, National Insurance Corpn., Timber House, Shimla.
50. The Manager, Indian Industrial Dev. Bank Shimla.
51. The MD, HP Co-operative Bank, Shimla/ Kangra Central Co-operative Bank, Dharamshala/ Jogindra Central Co-operative Bank, Solan/ Bhagat Urban Bank, Solan/ Shimla Urban Bank, Shimla/ Mandi/ Urban Bank, Mandi/ Rural Dev. Bank Mandi, HP.
52. The Chief Post Master General, H.P., Shimla-9.
53. The Chief General Manager, BSNL, Shimla.
54. Guard File.



(Anil Kumar)

Deputy Secretary (GAD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

List of ULBs in which Elections are due in the State:-

S. No.	Name of District	Name of Municipality	Number of Wards	Total
1.	Bilaspur	1. M.Council Bilaspur	11	
		2. M.Council Ghumarwin	9	
		3. M.Council Shri NainaDevi Ji	7	
		4. N. Panchayat Talai	7	34
2.	Chamba	1. M.Council Chamba	11	
		2. M.Council Dalhousie	9	
		3. N. Panchayat Chowari	7	27
3.	Hamirpur	1. M.Council Sujanpur-Tihra	9	
		2. N. Panchayat Bhota	7	16
4.	Kangra	1. M.Corp. Dharamshala	17	
		2. M.Corp. Palampur	15	
		3. M.Council Kangra	9	
		4. M.Council Nurpur	9	
		5. M.Council Nagrota-Bangwan	7	
		6. M.Council Dehra	7	
		7. M.Council Jawalamukhi	9	
		8. N. Panchayat Shahpur	7	80
5.	Kullu	1. M.Council Kullu	11	
		2. M.Council Manali	7	
		3. N. Panchayat Bhuntar	7	
		4. N. Panchayat Nirmand	7	
		5. N. Panchayat Banjar	7	39
6.	Mandi	1. M.Corp. Mandi	15	
		2. M.Council Sarkaghat	7	
		3. M.Council Sunder Nagar	13	
		4. M.Council Ner Chowk	9	
		5. M.Council Jogindernagar	7	
		6. N. Panchayat Rewalsar	7	
		7. N. Panchayat Karsog	7	65

7.	Shimla	1. M.Council Rampur	9	
		2. M.Council Theog	7	
		3. N. Panchayat Sunni	7	
		4. N. Panchayat Chopal	7	
		5. N. Panchayat Kotkhai	7	
		6. N. Panchayat Jubbal	7	
		7. N. Panchayat Chirgaon	7	
		8. N. Panchayat Nerwa	7	58
8.	Solan	1. M.Corp. Solan	17	
		2. M.Council Parwanoo	9	
		3. M.Council Nalagarh	9	
		4. N. Panchayat Arki	7	
		5. N. Panchayat Kandaghat	7	49
9.	Sirmour	1. M.Council Nahan	13	
		2. M.Council Paonta-Sahib	13	
		3. N. Panchayat Rajgarh	7	33
10.	Una	1. M.Council Santokhgarh	9	
		2. M.Council Mehatpur-Basdehra	9	
		3. N. Panchayat Gagret	7	
		4. N. Panchayat Daulatpur Chowk	7	
		5. N. Panchayat Tahliwal	7	
		6. N. Panchayat Amb	9	48
	Grand Total	Municipal Corp. = 04	M. Corp. = 64	449
		Municipal Council = 25	M. Council = 229	
		Nagar Panchayats = 22 (51)	N.Panchayat = 156	

By email only

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE, KULLU, H.P. - 175 101

Endst. No.D&SJ/KLU/E/Notification/(106)XVI/2023-4301-09

Dated Kullu, the 13th May, 2026

Copy forwarded for favour of kind information & necessary action to :-

1. The learned Additional District and Sessions Judge, Kullu.
2. The learned Senior Civil Judge-cum-CJM, Kullu/ Lahaul-Spiti at Kullu
3. The learned Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Kullu.
4. The learned Civil Judge-cum-JMFC, Kullu/ Manali/ Banjar.
5. The Assistant Programmer, of this office, with direction to upload the same on website of this office, for information of concerned.
6. Notice Board, of this office.

CHIEF ADMIN. OFFICER