

## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# List of Public Holidays and Observances

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By a recent resolution of the Parliament, the Department of Work and Pensions therefore drafted the new List of Public Holidays. Thereupon the former one is now declared repealed. However, the *Observances* part still remains effective, and all former public holidays are transformed to observances.

### *Public Holidays*

1 Jan	New Year's Day
[Lunar] 30/12 & 1/1	Chinese New Year
1 Mar	Commonwealth Day
11 Apr	Queen's Birthday
1 May	Labour Day
24 & 25 December	Christmas Eve & Christmas
[Lunar] 5/4	Tomb Sweeping Festival
2 April	Easter Monday
27 July	St Wellington's Day
11 November	Remembrance Day

### *Observances*

[Lunar] 8 April	Birthday of the Buddha
[Lunar] 5 May	Dragon Boat Festival
[Lunar] 15 August	Mid-autumn Festival
[Lunar] 9 September	Double Ninth Festival
30 March	Good Friday
31 March	Holy Saturday
28 May	St Andrew's Day
31 October	Halloween
15 January	Demise Commemoration of the Late Queen Mother
[Lunar] 15 January	Lantern Festival
20 March	Armed Forces Day
6 April	Helandius Day
8 May	Victory Day
30 May	Late Queen Mother's Birthday
Second Sunday in May	Mother's Day
Third Sunday in June	Father's Day
30 June	Mid-summer Night
[Lunar] 15 July	Zhongyuan Festival
27 July	Late King's Birthday
15 August	Constitution Day
29 September	St George's Day
30 December	Demise Commemoration of the Late King