



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
NATIONAL ACADEMY OF CUSTOMS, EXCISE AND NARCOTICS
[NACEN]

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To

The Assistant Director (Systems)
NACEN
Faridabad

Sir,

Sub: NACEN Website – Publishing of information under Sec 4(2) of
RTI Act, 2005 - Updating information – Reg.

Please refer to the publishing of information of under Sec 4(2) of RTI Act, 2005 in the website. The particulars of NACEN Chennai required for publication in the website of NACEN, is furnished in the Annexure. It is requested that the said particulars may be uploaded in the NACEN website.

2. This issue with the approval of Additional Director General.

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Yours faithfully,

 7/4/17

(P.VENKATASUBRAMANIAN)
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Despatched on.....
07/04/2017.

A BRIEF ABOUT NACEN, CHENNAI

i) HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

The Regional Training Institute, Chennai (RTI) headed by a Deputy Director, was functioning from a rented building at No.29, Barnaby Road, Kilpauk, Chennai 600 010. From 1980, Regional Centre of Customs Staff College was started in Chennai for the Probationers of Indian Customs and Central Excise Service (Group 'A') and it was located at Custom House, Chennai.

From April, 1990 onwards, both the Regional Centre of Customs Staff College and RTI were brought under Southern Regional Centre of National Academy of Customs, Excise and Narcotics (NACEN) headed by the Additional Director General. It was situated in a rented premises occupying two floors (4th & 5th) of Sire mansion, No. 621, Anna Salai, Chennai – 600 006, till April 2012.

From May 2012, the RTI is located at Plot No.3/86-E, Ambattur Industrial Estate, Chennai – 600 058 (in 3 floors). The Academy spanning an area of about 18,270 sq.ft has two Lecture halls (One with seating capacity of 80 and other 60), one Computer Lab (24 seats), one Conference hall, one canteen, etc with rest rooms in each floor. It has enough parking space, Diesel Generator Sets for power back up, apart from open lawns in the first and second floors, thereby complementing an ambience for a training academy.

HOSTEL FACILITIES

NACEN, Chennai is having a Trainee hostel with mess facilities which is located at 30/2, Central Revenue Quarters, 15th Main Road, Anna Nagar, Chennai 600 040 which is about 3 km away from the Academy. There are 48 rooms (in 4 blocks), out of which 38 rooms are Air conditioned. A 4-suite (air-conditioned) Guest House to accommodate Senior Officers is housed along with an officers' mess in the same premises. The contact number for hostel is 26160412 and contact persons are Rengumani, Caretaker (9941528541) & Paneerselvam, (9941710686).

Achievements of NACEN Chennai (during 2016-17)

NACEN Chennai is in the forefront in conducting numerous courses for various levels of officers of CBEC posted in Tamil Nadu State & Puducherry Union Territory.

I. Induction Courses :

a) **Inspectors** : NACEN-Chennai Regional Campus has taken up induction training programmes for the newly recruited Inspectors of Central Excise and Customs through SSC-

Sl.No.	Place of Training	No.of Batches conducted	No.of officers trained		Total no. of officers trained
			CBEC	State VAT	
1.	NACEN-Chennai	34	1669	882	2551
<u>ONSITE TRAINING</u>					
2.	Coimbatore	6	279	210	489
3.	Trichy	9	418	197	615
4.	Salem	4	107	182	289
5.	Madurai	5	136	189	325
6.	Tuticorin	2	91	0	91
7.	Tirunelveli	4	103	170	273
				Total	2082

IV. TRAINING ON SOFT SKILLS

This Academy also conducted seven training-programmes on Soft Skills for Customs & Central Excise officers, wherein around 325 officers actively participated during the year 2016-17. .

V Specialised Training programmes : One day workshop on Special Audit in Central Excise & Service Tax under Section 14A & 14AA of Central Excise Act 1944 was conducted on 03.05.2016 in which around 62 officers were trained. Other specialised training programmes viz., CBT Module on Drug Law, OSPCA, Training on Intellectual Property Rights, Course on Anti-Evasion Measure including Intelligence, Course for Retiring officers, Course on Cyber Fraud and Digital forensic Auditing, Training on Export and Import of Courier & Cargo regulation, Training for authorized Customs officers under FSSAI, Training on e-Procurement, Training on Service Tax on select topics-Works contract & Pure agents Construction service, Course for Marine Staffs, SEVOTTAM, etc., were also conducted in NACEN.

**LIST OF COMPULSORY HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2017
TO BE OBSERVED BY ALL CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN TAMIL NADU
AS PER D&PT LETTER DATED 24TH JUNE 2016.**

Sl. NO.	HOLIDAY	DATE	DAY	REMARKS/ REFERENCE
1.	REPUBLIC DAY	26.01.2017	THURSDAY	
2.	MAHA SHIVRATRI	24.02.2017	FRIDAY	Para 3.1 of D&PT letter dt.24.6.2016
3.	MAHAYUK JAYANTHI	09.04.2017	SUNDAY	
4.	GOOD FRIDAY	14.04.2017	FRIDAY	
5.	BUDDHA PURNIMA	10.05.2017	WEDNESDAY	
6.	IDUL FITR (RAMZAN)	26.06.2017	MONDAY	
7.	INDEPENDENCE DAY	15.08.2017	TUESDAY	
8.	VINAYAKAR CHATURTHI /GANESH CHATURTHI	25.08.2017	FRIDAY	Para 3.1 of D&PT letter dt.24.6.2016
9.	ID-UL ZUHRA (BAKRID)	02.09.2017	SATURDAY	
10.	AN ADDITIONAL DAY FOR DUSSEHRA	28.09.2017	THURSDAY	Para 3.1 of D&PT letter dt.24.6.2016
11.	DUSSEHRA (VIDAY DASHMI)	30.09.2017	SATURDAY	
12.	MUHARRAM	01.10.2017	SUNDAY	
13.	MAHATMA GANDHI'S BIRTHDAY	02.10.2017	MONDAY	
14.	DIWALI (DEEPAVALI)	18.10.2017	WEDNESDAY	Para 6 of D&PT letter dt.24.6.16
15.	GURU NANAK'S BIRTHDAY	04.11.2017	SATURDAY	
16.	PROPHET MOHAMMAD'S BIRTHDAY (ID-F-MILAD)	01.12.2017	FRIDAY	
17.	CHRISTMAS DAY	25.12.2017	MONDAY	

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LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2017 FOR THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN TAMIL NADU

Sl. NO.	HOLIDAY	DATE	DAY
1	NEW YEAR'S DAY		
2	GURU GOVIND SINGH'S BIRTH DAY	01.01.2017	SUNDAY
3	MAKAR SANKRANTHI	05.01.2017	THURSDAY
4	PONGAL	14.01.2017	SAURDAY
5	BASANTHI PANCHAMI/SRE PANCHAMI	14.01.2017	SATURDAY
6	GURU RAVIDAS'S BIRTH DAY	01.02.2017	WEDNESDAY
7	SHIVAJI JAYANTHI	10.02.2017	FRIDAY
8	SWAMI DAYANANTHA SARASWATHI JAYANTHI	19.02.2017	SUNDAY
9	HOLIKA DAHAN/DOLYATRA	21.02.2017	TUESDAY
10	HOLI	12.03.2017	SUNDAY
11	CHAITRASUKALDI/GUDIPADAVAMUGADI/CHETICHAND	13.03.2017	MONDAY
12	RAMNAVAMI	28.03.2017	TUESDAY
13	HAZARAT ALI'S BIRTH DAY	04.04.2017	TUESDAY
14	VAISAKI/VISHU	11.04.2017	TUESDAY
15	MESADI	13.04.2017	THURSDAY
16	VAISAKHADI (BENGAL/BAHAGBIHU (ASAM)	14.04.2017	FRIDAY
17	EASTER SUNDAY	15.04.2017	SATURDAY
18	GURU RABINDRANATH'S BIRTH DAY	16.04.2017	SUNDAY
19	JAMAT UL-VIDA	09.05.2017	TUESDAY
20	RATH YATRA	23.06.2017	FRIDAY
21	RAKSHA BANDHAN	25.06.2017	SUNDAY
22	JANMASHTAMI (VAISHNAV)	07.08.2017	MONDAY
23	PARSIN NEW YEAR'S DAY/NAURAZ	15.08.2017	TUESDAY
24	ONAM	17.08.2017	THURSDAY
25	DUSSERA (MAHA SAPTAMI) (ADDITIONAL)	04.09.2017	MONDAY
26	DUSSERA (MATA NAVAMI) (ADDITIONAL)	27.09.2017	WEDNESDAY
27	MAHARISHI VALMIKI'S BIRTH DAY	29.09.2017	FRIDAY
28	KARAKA CHATURTHI (KARVA CHOLNE)	05.10.2017	THURSDAY
29	DEEPAVALI	08.10.2017	SUNDAY
30	GOVARDHAN PUJA	19.10.2017	THURSDAY
31	BHAIDUT	20.10.2017	FRIDAY
32	PRATHEEP SASHTHI OR SURYA SASHTHI (CHHAI PUJA)	21.10.2017	SATURDAY
33	GURU TEG BAHADUR'S MARTYRDOM DAY	26.10.2017	THURSDAY
34	CHRISTMAS EVE	24.12.2017	FRIDAY
		24.12.2017	SUNDAY

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