

Cabinet Resolution No. (27) of 2019
Concerning the Public Holidays in the State

The Cabinet,

- Having reviewed the Constitution; and
- Federal Law No. (8) of 1980 regulating labor relations and its amendments; and
- Federal Decree by Law No. (11) of 2008 concerning the human resources of the federal government and its amendments; and
- Federal Decree by Law No. (11) of 2017 delegating some competences to the Cabinet, among which is determining and regulating days of public holidays for the public and private sector in the State; and
- Cabinet Resolution No. (17) of 2009 concerning the public holidays for the federal government; and
- Based upon the proposal by the Minister of Cabinet and Future Affairs, and the Cabinet's approval,

Decided:

Article (1)

Public Holidays for the Public and Private Sector in the State, shall be as follows:

Holiday	Date	Number of Days
Gregorian New Year	1 January	1 day
Eid Al-Fitr	From 29 Ramadan to 03 Shawwal	-
Arafa Day	09 Thu Al-Hijjah	1 day
Eid Al-Adha	10-11-12 Thu Al-Hijjah	3 days
Hijri New Year	1 Muharram	1 day
Commemoration Day	30 November	1 day
National Day	2-3 December	2 days

Article (2)

With the exception of Eid Holidays, the Cabinet may by a resolution postpone any of the aforementioned public holidays in Article (1) of this Resolution to the beginning or end of the week.

Article (3)

It is not permissible to postpone a public holiday if it falls on another public holiday or on the weekend.

Article (4)

Local governments may determine any other public holidays, not mentioned in this resolution, for its own government departments and institutions for any special occasions related to it or for any other reason.

Article (5)

Cabinet Resolution No. (17) of 2009, aforementioned, shall be repealed as well as any provision conflicting or contradicting with the provisions of this Resolution.

Article (6)

This Resolution shall come into force as of its date of issuance and shall be published in the official gazette.

Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum

Prime Minister

On: 25 Rajab 1440 AH

Corresponding to: 01 April 2019 AD

Issued by us,