

STATE

Departments of State

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

**APPOINTING MONDAY 2ND JANUARY 2017 AND MONDAY 1ST
MAY 2017 AS BANK HOLIDAYS IN ENGLAND, WALES AND
NORTHERN IRELAND AND APPOINTING WEDNESDAY 12TH
JULY 2017 AS A BANK HOLIDAY IN NORTHERN IRELAND**

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas, We consider it desirable that Monday the second day of January and Monday the first day of May in the year 2017 should be bank holidays in England, Wales and Northern Ireland:

And whereas, We consider it desirable that Wednesday the twelfth day of July in the year 2017 should be a bank holiday in Northern Ireland:

Now, therefore, We in pursuance of section 1(3) of the Banking and Financial Dealings Act 1971, do hereby appoint Monday the second day of January and Monday the first day of May in the year 2017 to be bank holidays in England, Wales and Northern Ireland and appoint Wednesday the twelfth day of July in the year 2017 to be a bank holiday in Northern Ireland.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this thirteenth day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand and sixteen in the sixty fifth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

(2576173)

Honours & awards

State Awards

THE ROYAL VICTORIAN ORDER

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.

15 July 2016

THE QUEEN has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:

(To be dated 5 July 2016)

M.V.O.

To be Members:

Captain (Queen's Gurkha Officer) BUDDHIBAHADUR BHANDARI,
Queen's Gurkha Engineers.

Captain (Queen's Gurkha Officer) MUKTIPRASAD GURUNG, The
Royal Gurkha Rifles. (2576175)