

Law No. 20 of 1971 to Deem Independence Day an Official Holiday (Repealed) 20 / 1971

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We, Khalifa bin Hamad Al-Thani, Deputy Emir of Qatar,
Having perused the amended provisional constitution, in particular articles 21, 23, 26 and 37 thereof,
The Labour Law No. 3 of 1962, as amended,
Decree-Law No. 6 of 1968 concerning non-Qatari workers employed in the national corporations,
The draft decree submitted by the Council of Ministers,
Hereby promulgate the following Law:

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Article 1

On the occasion of the Declaration of Independence of the State of Qatar, Independence Day, 3 September, of each year shall be deemed an official holiday and all ministries and other government agencies shall be closed.

Article 2

Independence Day shall be deemed an official holiday with full pay in accordance with paragraph (b) of Article 46 of the Labour Law referred to.
This day shall be deemed an official holiday with respect to non-Qatari labourers and shall be added to the holidays contained in Article 10 of the Decree-Law No. 6 of 1968 referred to.

Article 3

All relevant authorities, each within its own jurisdiction, shall implement this law which shall be effective from its date of issuance and published in the *Official Gazette*.

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