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Subject to change which may be notified later, the Embassy shall observe the following holidays during the Year 2020:

Sl.	Name of the Occasions		Date of Observed
01	New Year's Day	Wednesday	01 January 2020
02	National Foundation Day of Japan	Tuesday	11 February 2020
03	Shaheed Dibash & International Mother Language Day	Friday	21 February 2020
04	Emperor's Birthday of Japan (23 February 2020)	Monday	24 February 2020
05	Birthday of Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman & National Children's Day	Tuesday	17 March 2020
06	Independence & National Day of Bangladesh	Thursday	26 March 2020
07	*Holy Shab-e-Barat	Wednesday	08 April 2020
08	Bangla New Year's Day (Shuvo Noboborsho)	Tuesday	14 April 2020
09	Showa Day (In honor of the birthday of Showa Emperor (Hirohito))	Wednesday	29 April 2020
10	May day	Friday	01 May 2020
11	*Buddha Purnima (Baishakhi Purnima)	Tuesday	05 May 2020
12	Constitution Memorial Day of Japan (03 May 2020)	Wednesday	06 May 2020
13	*Holy Shab-e-Qadr	Wednesday	20 May 2020
14	* Holy Jumatul Bida	Friday	22 May 2020
15	* Holy Eid-ul-Fitr	Sunday -Tuesday	24-26 May 2020
16	*Holy Eid-ul-Azha	Thursday-Saturday	30 July – 01 August -2020
17	Shuvo Janmastami	Tuesday	11 August 2020
18	National Mourning Day of Bangladesh	Saturday	15 August 2020
19	*Holy Ashura	Saturday	29 August 2020
20	Respect-for-the-Aged Day of Japan	Monday	21 September 2020
21	Holy Durga Puja (Bijaya Doshomi)	Monday	26 October 2020
22	*Holy Eid-e-Milad-un-Nabi	Thursday	29 October 2020
23	Labor Thanksgiving Day	Monday	23 November 2020
24	Victory Day of Bangladesh	Wednesday	16 December 2020
25	Holy Christmas Day	Friday	25 December 2020

*Subject to appearance of the Moon.

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