National Days Act 2013

National Holidays

1. National Holidays are hereby created with the purpose of relieving individuals of duties that they may otherwise hold for one day so that they may celebrate on the important day.
2. National Holidays can only be created by Acts of Parliament, or by declaration of the Monarch with parliamentary approval.
3. National Holidays fall on a certain day or days each year. They are intended to mark and/or commemorate a particular day in history or a particular event.
4. National Holidays may be declared for one specific day for only one year to honor a certain event. These will never be celebrated again unless declared again.
5. Each year, depending on the Monarch, the Monarch’s birthday shall be celebrated on which ever day the Monarch was born.
6. A list of National Holidays of the Kingdom of Florenia is as follows. It is in Name – Date format.

 HRM The King’s Birthday – March 1

 Holocaust Remembrance Day – March 25

 Independence Day – April 22

 Mother’s Day – 2nd Sunday of May

 Father’s Day – 3rd Sunday of June

 Remembrance Day – July 12

 Marriage Day – August 20

 Constitution Day – September 5

 Thanksgiving – 4th Tuesday in November

1. Remembrance Day and Holocaust Remembrance Day should be treated like days of National mourning and all procedure for Days of National mourning should be followed.

Days of National Mourning

1. Days of National Mourning are hereby by created as with the purpose of serving as specific days to be declared by either the Monarch with the agreement of the Prime Minister, or the Prime Minister with Royal Consent.
2. Days of National Mourning are to be declared upon the death of an important individual, a recent tragedy, or the anniversary of either of these.
3. Days of National Mourning may be declared for between one and seven days in succession to mark one event. Days of National Mourning are not annual, they only occur for the year in which they were declared.
4. For different individuals, different lengths of mourning should occur. The protocol for lengths of mourning is as follows:

 Monarch’s death – 7 days

 Heir/Consort’s death – 5 days

 Royal Highness’s death – 4 days

 Prime Minister’s death – 3 days

 Cabinet member’s death – 2 days

 Member of Parliament’s death – 1 day

 Other important person’s death – 1-2 days

 For foreign individuals, length of mourning should relate to importance to Florenia. Irrelevant foreign individuals should not be mourned.

 Foreign head of state’s death – 1-2 days

 Foreign dignitary’s death – 1-2 days

 Foreign politicians death – 1 day