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NATIONAL DAY

It has now been decided that August 9 shall be known as National Day and not Independence Day as previously announced. The Flag of the Republic of Singapore may be flown from sunrise to sunset, i.e. 6.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. Those who have Flags of the Republic of Singapore are requested to have them flown on National Day.

It is also announced for general information that members of the public, who wish to watch the National Day parade from Connaught Drive, may obtain passes at community centres in their areas.

Members of the public can also watch the march past along the route, i.e. from Bras Basah Road, North Bridge Road, Elgin Bridge, South Bridge Road, Tanjong Pagar Road and to the East Wharf Area of the Port of Singapore Authority. Passes are not required along this route.

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