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All PHODs / DRMs / CWMs / CEWE / CAO / CPM / Dy.CPOs / Sr.DPOs /
DPOs / SPOs / WPOs / APOs of HQ / Divisions / Wokshops / other Units, etc.,
(As per mailing list -'A')

विषय/Sub:Acceptance of certificates / qualifications awarded by
various Boards of School Education in India for the
purpose of employment on the railways.

A copy of Railway Board's letter No.E(NG)-II/2007/RR-1/38 dt.15-07-
2014 (RBE No. 75/2014) on the above subject is enclosed for information,
guidance and necessary action.

Railway Board's letters referred therein have been circulated as
indicated below.

Sl. No.	Railway Board Letter No.	Rly. Bd. Letter Date	PBC No.	PBC Date
1	E(NG)II/89/RR-1/17	25-02-1991	29/1991	13-03-1991
2	E(NG)II/2001/RR-1/52	21-06-2002	117/2002	07-08-2002
3	E(NG)II/2003/RR-1/36	09-09-2010	155/2010	27-10-2010
4	E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/35	30-04-2009	87/2009	22-05-2009
5	E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/35	10-06-2009	128/2009	13-07-2009
6	E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/35	04-11-2013	145/2013	18-11-2013
7	E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/40	14-05-2009	93/2009	28-05-2009
8	E(NG)II/2004/RR-1/14	04-04-2013	50/2013	07-05-2013
9	E(NG)II/2005/RR-1/6	30-04-2013	68/2013	28-06-2013
10	E(NG)II/2005/RR-1/14	08-10-2013	Copy enclosed	--


(V.SRINIVASAN)

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Senior Personnel Officer/Rules
कृते मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी
For Chief Personnel Officer

संलग्न/Encl: as above

प्रतिलिपि/Copy to : The Genl Secy / SRMU
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BHARAT SARKAR)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAIL MANTRALAYA)
(RAILWAY BOARD)

RBE No. 75/2014.

No. E (NG)-II/2007/RR-1/38.

New Delhi, dated: 15/07/2014

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/Production Units
(As per standard mailing list)

Sub: Acceptance of certificates/qualifications awarded by various Boards of School Education in India for the purpose of employment on the railways.

Ref: Letter No. E(NG)II/89/RR-1/17 dated 25/2/1991 (RBE No. 38/1991), E(NG)II/2001/RR-1/48 dated 23/5/2002 (RBE No. 71/2002), E(NG)II/2001/RR-1/52 dated 21/6/2002 (RBE No. 89/2002), E(NG)II/2003/RR-1/36 dated 03/12/2003 (RBE No. 205/2003) & 09/9/2010 (RBE No. 128/2010), E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/35 dated 30/4/2009 (RBE No.76/2009), 10/6/2009 (RBE No.102/2009) & 04/11/2013 (RBE No.118/2013), E(NG)II/2008/RR-1/40 dated 14/5/2009 (RBE No. 81/2009), E(NG)II/2004/RR-1/14 dated 04/4/2013 (RBE No. 31/2013), E(NG)II/2005/RR-1/6 dated 30/4/2013 (RBE No. 40/2013) and No. E(NG)II/2005/RR-1/14 dated 08/10/2013 (RBE No.104/2013).

References from various field units as well as federations seeking clarification regarding acceptance or otherwise of certificates/qualifications obtained from various Boards of School Education in India for the purpose of employment in railways have been under consideration of this Ministry.

Clarification has been received from nodal Ministry/Department of Government of India, viz, Department of Personnel & Training (DOP&T) and M/o Human Resource Development (MHRD) stating that COBSE (Council of Board of School Education in India), an Association of National & State School Boards, is responsible for verifying genuineness/recognition of School Education Boards in India. It grants membership to Boards/Institutes that are set up by an Act of Parliament or State Legislature or an executive order of the Central/State Governments and follow National Curriculum Framework. The certificates issued by its member Boards are equivalent to any other board across the country. Accordingly, the matter has been examined and it has been decided by the Board that zonal railways need not approach this Ministry seeking such clarification regarding acceptance or otherwise of certificates/qualification obtained from various Boards of School Education in India and instead, refer to official website of COBSE i.e. www.cobse.org which contain list of Boards of School Education which are Member Boards of COBSE. Thus certificates/qualification obtained from all such institutions borne on the aforesaid list will be acceptable for the purpose of employment on the railways, from the date on which the said institution has been accorded membership by COBSE, if they were not recognized earlier by any competent authority. This date of acceptability of certificate may be obtained by approaching COBSE directly and a copy of clarification thus obtained may also be endorsed to this Ministry for information & record.

Instructions contained in letters under reference will continue to be valid.

Please acknowledge receipt.
(Hindi version will follow)

4/15/14
(Harsha Dass)
Director Estt. (N)-II
Railway Board

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (BIHAR SARKAR)
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAIL MANTRALAYA)
(RAILWAY BOARD)

RBE No. 104/2013.

No. E (NG)-II/2005/RR-1/14.

New Delhi, dated: 8/10/2013

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/Production Units
(As per standard mailing list)

Sub: Acceptance of certificates/qualifications awarded by Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board, Patna for the purpose of employment on the railways.

Ref: This office letter of even number dated 16/11/2005 (RBE No.195/2005).

Vide letter under reference, directions were issued to railway establishment that certificates awarded by **Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board, Patna** are not recognized for the purpose of appointment/promotion in the Central Government offices.

The issue has been examined in consultation with M/o Human Resource Development, Department of Personnel & Training, M/o Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Council of Boards of School Education in India (COBSE), Delhi and it is clarified that the certificates issued by **Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board, Patna, 414 F, Govindayan, East Boaring Canal Road, Patna - 800 001** shall be treated as valid for employment on the railways and for pursuing higher studies. As regards validity of certificates issued by Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board for employment purposes, it may be got verified from the said Board, wherever necessary.

The above instruction will be valid from 05/10/2012 when **Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board, Patna** has been granted membership by Council of Boards of School Education in India (COBSE), Delhi. Cases pertaining to recruitments/engagements finalized prior to the date of issue of these instructions need not be re-opened.

Please acknowledge receipt.

{This disposes off Northern Railway's letter No. 220E/OpenMarket/RRC/2010 dated 03/6/2013}

8/10/13
(Harsha Dass)
Director Estt. (N)-II
Railway Board.