

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

RBE No. 138/2015

No. E (NG)-II/2013/RR-1/11.

New Delhi, Dated: 2.11.2015.

The General Manager (P),  
All Zonal Railways/Production Units  
Chairmen/Railway Recruitment Boards.

**Sub:** Acceptance of Diploma/Degree in Engineering prescribed for open market recruitment to posts on the railways – Duration of course regarding.

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Instances have come to notice of this Ministry, wherein, candidates qualifying the written examination conducted by Railway Recruitment Boards are producing Diploma/Degree in Engineering of varied duration conducted by various institutions.

The matter has been looked into and it has been decided that henceforth a minimum of **three year Diploma course** in Engineering and a **minimum of four year course** in Engineering done after +2 shall only be accepted in addition to Diploma in Engineering obtained from Polytechnics. Instructions contained in Board's letter No. E(NG)II/2010/RR-1/17 dated 08/12/2011 still hold good.

Please acknowledge receipt.

  
(Neeraj Kumar)  
Director Estt. (N)-II  
Railway Board.

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- (xii) The General Secretary, All India SC & ST Railway Employees Association, Room No-7, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- (xiii) Chief Commissioner for Railway Safety, Lucknow.
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For Secretary, Railway Board

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