

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

RBE No. 153 /2015

No. E (NG)-II/2001/RR-1/20.

New Delhi, Dt.: 7/12/2015.

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/Production Units, CORE/Allahabad,
MTP/Kolkata, Chennai, Mumbai, CAO (R), DMW/Patiala, COFMOW/New Delhi,
Director General, RDSO/Lucknow, RSC/Vadodra,
Director, IRISE/Secundrabad, IRICEN/Pune, IRIEEN/Nasik &
IRIM&EE/Jamalpur and Chairmen/Railway Recruitment Boards.

Sub: Clarification regarding qualification prescribed for open market recruitment to the post of Lab. Assistant, Gr.II in Pay Band of ₹5200-20200 (Grade Pay: ₹2000).

Attention is invited to Board's letter of even number dated 12.11.2011 (RBE No. 225/2001) wherein qualification for direct recruitment to post of Lab. Assistant, Gr.II in Pay Band of ₹5200-20200 (Grade Pay: ₹2000) has been prescribed as under:-

"Matriculation with Science, plus Diploma in Medical Lab. Technology (DMLT)"

2. Further instructions were issued vide letter No. E(NG)II/2002/RR-1/57 dated 04/8/2006 which provided for equivalence of Certificate Course in DMLT with Diploma in DMLT subject to fulfillment of following conditions: (i) The course has been done from the institution which is recognized by a University or Technical Board of State Government/Central Government authority; (ii) The duration of the course is at least 01 year; (iii) During the course the candidate should have done the training on full time basis; and (iv) At the end of the course, there should be a system of examination which has been successfully passed by the candidate.

3. Matriculation has, however, been replaced by 12th (10+2 stage) in Science vide RBE No. 49/2015.

4. In connection with selections for the category of Lab. Assistant, Gr.II (CEN 06/2010 and 05/2012) undertaken in terms of instructions contained in para 1 & 2 above, following clarification has been sought by one of the Railway Recruitment Boards:-

- (i) Whether Certificates/Diploma issuing Institutions (a) Janardan Rai Nagar Rajasthan Vidyapeeth (Deemed), Udiapur (Rajasthan); (b) Rajdhani Institution of Paramedical Technology, Alwar; and (c) S.D.M. Hospital, Jaipur are recognized;
- (ii) Whether Certificate/Diploma obtained viz. B.Sc. in MLT (3-1/2 year), Diploma Course in MLT (2 year), One Year Certificate Course in MLT

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and Diploma Course (2 year) of Training in the Theory and Practical of Medical Lab. Technology (18 month as student Trainee & 6 month as Apprentice Lab. Staff) are acceptable; and

- (iii) Whether Diploma/Certificate obtained through distance education/extension education are to be accepted or otherwise.

5. The matter has been examined in consultation with Health Directorate of this Ministry and accordingly instructions contained in letter No. E(NG)II/2002/RR-1/57 dated 04/8/2006 and E(NG)II/2005/RR-1/8 dated 28/8/2014 are reiterated. The same may be strictly adhered to. It has also been decided that qualification/courses which have been obtained on **full time basis** shall only be accepted towards the prescribed qualification and qualifications obtained through distance learning mode will not be accepted.

Please acknowledge receipt.

{This disposes of RRB/Ajmer's letters No. RRB/All/Rectt./Edu Policy/05/10/2013 dated 22/7/2013 & 16/3/2015, RRB/All/Rectt./Edu.Policy/2012 dated 07/10/2013 & 16/3/2015 and North Western Railway's letter No. 742E/R&T/Medical/Group 'C'/Part-IV dated 26/6/2015}


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Railway Board.

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- (ix) The Secretary, Railways Board Ministerial Staff Association.
- (x) The President, Railway Board Class IV Officers' Association.
- (xi) The General Secretary, AIRPF Association.
- (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.
- (xiv) Chief Administrative Officer, RCF/Raebareli Project, Kishanganj, Delhi-7


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