

Government of India (Bharat Sarkar)
Ministry of Railways (Rail Mantralaya)
(Railway Board)

RBE No.165/2011

No. E (NG)-II/2010/RR-1/17.

New Delhi, dated: 8 .12.2011

The General Manager (P),
All Zonal Railways/Production Units, CORE/Allahabad,
MTP/Kolkata, Chennai, Mumbai,
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Director General, RDSO/Lucknow & RSC/Vadodra,
Director, IRISSET/Secundrabad, IRICEN/Pune, IRIEEN/Nasik &
IRIM&EE/Jamalpur and Chairmen/Railway Recruitment Boards.
Managing Director/Konkan Railway Corporation Limited.

Sub: Recognition of Engineering Diploma/Degrees obtained through
Distance Education Mode – Acceptance for purpose of
employment on the railways.

References have been received from various railway establishments seeking clarification regarding status of diploma/degree in Engineering obtained from various institutions in India through Open & Distance Learning mode. The issue has been examined in consultation with Distance Education Council, New Delhi.

Accordingly, Railway Board have decided not to accept diploma/degree in Engineering obtained through distance mode except AMIETE (recognition for which has been permitted vide RBE No. 230/1990) for the purpose of employment in railways with immediate effect and till further orders.

Please acknowledge receipt.
(Hindi version will follow)

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(Harsha Dass)
Joint Director Estt. (N)-II
Railway Board.

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- (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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