

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

No.2000-E(SCT)/25/11

New Delhi, dated 6.7.2000

The General Manager,

All Indian Railways and Production Units/including CORE/Allahabad, Metro Rly./
Calcutta, N.F.Rly. (Cons)/Maligaon

The Officer on Special Duty: East Coast Railway, Bhubaneswar/ North Central Rly.,
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The Principal, Railway Staff College, Vadodra

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Sub: Clarifications when reserved category candidates apply against general posts.

One of the RRBs desired the clarification on the undernoted points when SC/ST candidates apply for the non-reserve posts. Board have considered the points raised and clarify as under:

Points Raised		Clarifications	
1.	Whether the applications of candidates belonging to SC/ST community with only Rs. 10/- as postal charges instead of normal examination fee may be allowed to be considered ?	1.	Yes, the applications of candidates of SC/ST community with only Rs 10/- as postal charges instead of normal examination fee may be allowed to be considered because reduced fee is a economic relief and not a relaxation.
2.	If such applications are entertained, are they eligible for age relaxation applicable to SC/ST ?	2.	No age relaxation is allowed to SC/ST candidates if they apply for non-reserved posts.
3.	Whether free pass facility will be admissible to SC/ST candidates who apply for the posts not reserved for them ?	3.	The provision of free pass facility may be allowed to continue to SC/ST candidates even if they apply for the non-reserved posts.

In case the Railways/RRBs are following different practices they may now follow the procedure as per the above clarifications.

Please acknowledge receipt.


(Ram Prakash)
Exe. Director Estt.(Res.)

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JDE(GP), JDE(RRB), JDE(Rep), JDE(P&A), DDE(Rep) I, II,
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