



RAILWAY RECRUITMENT CELL NORTH EASTERN RAILWAY, GORAKHPUR

Employment Notice No.- NER/RRC/CQ/2017-18 Dated 16.10.2017

RECRUITMENT AGAINST CULTURAL QUOTA FOR THE YEAR 2017-18

Last date of application: 17.12.2017

Online applications are invited from eligible Indian citizens for recruitment against Cultural Quota on N.E. Railway for the year 2017-18 for Two Group 'C' posts in Pay Band-1 (Rs. 5200-20200) with Grade Pay Rs.1900 (6th CPC). Candidates may apply by clicking on the link provided at North Eastern Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in.

(1) Details of posts: (a) Classical Music-01 post (b) Classical Dance-01 post. No post is reserved for any particular community.

(2) Essential Qualification:

A. Essential Educational Qualification: For Technician-III, Matriculation or its equivalent with ITI in relevant trade (Recognised by SCVT/NCVT) and for other posts, 12th or its equivalent with 50% marks in aggregate. The compulsion of 50% marks in aggregate will not be insisted upon in case of SC/ST/Ex-Servicemen candidates and candidates possessing qualification higher than 12th or its equivalent.

B. Essential Cultural Qualification: Candidate should possess Degree/Diploma/ Certificate in the relevant field of Music/Dance as the case may be from a Government recognised Institute.

(3) Desirable Qualification: (i) Experience in the field and performance given on All India Radio/Doordarshan etc. (ii) Prizes won at National level.

(4) Age: 18 to 31 years. Age will be reckoned as on 01.01.2018. The upper age limit is relaxable as under, subject to submission of requisite certificates: **(A)** By 05 years for SC/ST Candidates **(B)** By 03 years for OBC Candidates **(C)** Up to the extent of service rendered in Defence plus 03 years for Ex Servicemen provided they have put more than 06 months' service after attestation **(D)** By 05 years for candidates who have ordinarily been domiciled in the State of Jammu & Kashmir during the period from 01.01.1980 to 31.12.1989 **(E)** By 10 years for persons with disabilities (PWDs) (10 years for UR, 13 years for OBC and 15 years for SC/ST). **(F)** Upper age limit for widows, divorced women and women judicially separated from husband but not remarried shall be 34 years for UR, 37 years for OBC and 39 years for SC/ST. **(G)** For serving Railway Staff, casual labour and substitutes, the upper age limits will be 39, 42 and 44 years for UR, OBC and SC/ST respectively, provided they have put in a minimum of 03 years service. **(H)** For those working in Quasi-Administrative offices of the Railway, the upper age relaxation will be up to the length of service, subject to a maximum of 05 years.

(5) How to apply: The link for online application is available at North Eastern Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in. Candidate should carefully read all the instructions given in the Employment Notice before filling the online application form. The online application form should be filled following the step-by-step procedure given on the webpage. All the required fields must be filled up carefully. Candidates must upload the scanned copy of the following in the format provided in the application form:

- Recent photograph
- Signature
- Certificate of fulfilling Minimum Educational Qualification criterion
- Certificate of fulfilling Minimum Cultural Qualification criterion

The requisite Examination Fee should be deposited as provided on the web page of the online application form. After depositing the Examination fee, the candidate should login again and take a printout of the application form for his/her reference.

(6) Examination Fee: (i) For all candidates except those mentioned in sub-para (ii) below: Rs.500/-(Rupees Five Hundred only). (ii) For candidates belonging to SC, ST, Ex-servicemen, Persons With Disabilities (PwDs), Women, Minorities and Economically Backward Classes: Rs-250/-(Rs. Two Hundred Fifty only), which will be refunded to those candidates who actually appear in the written examination. Fee will be deposited online as provided on the online application page.

(7) Recruitment Process : The candidates found prima facie eligible for recruitment will be assessed on the following basis: (A) Written Test (Note : The written test will consist of 50 objective type questions)-50 marks.

(B) Assessment of talent in the relevant field :

(i) On the basis of Practical Demonstration-35 marks (ii) On the basis of Testimonial/Prizes etc. 15 marks (Total 100 marks)

(9) General Conditions: (i) Before applying, the candidates should ensure that they fulfil all the eligibility norms. The educational or Cultural qualifications acquired after the date of application shall not be considered. (ii) A candidate shall be called for Written Examination only if he/she fulfils all the laid down eligibility criteria. (iii) Candidates attempting to give false information/suppressing the facts will be disqualified and are liable for debarment and legal action. Candidates who attempt fraud/impersonation are liable to be debarred to appear in the future examinations conducted for recruitment in Railways. (iv) Candidates found eligible for appointment have to pass the prescribed medical examination conducted by the Railway administration before appointment. (v) Mere selection of candidates and recommendation for their appointment shall not confer any right on the candidates for their appointment in Railway. (vi) Second class Free journey pass from the nearest Railway station mentioned in the application form will be issued to the candidates belonging to SC & ST communities whenever they are called at any stage of recruitment. (vii) The person appointed against Cultural Quota to the category of clerks will be required to possess proficiency in typing within a period of two years from the date of appointment, and their appointment will be provisional subject to acquisition of the prescribed typing qualification within the stipulated period. In case of non acquisition of typing skill within the prescribed period, no additional time will be given and services of such candidate(s) will be summarily terminated.

Note: (1) In Case of difference between English and Hindi versions of the Employment Notice the English version shall be applicable. (2) The decision of RRC/NER in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the application, issue of free journey pass, penalty for false information, mode of selection, conduct of examination(s), allotment of Examination centre, and all other matters related with recruitment process will be final and binding on the candidates. No enquiry or correspondence will be entertained in this connection. (3) Any legal issues arising out of or in connection with this employment notice shall fall within the legal jurisdiction of Central Administrative Tribunal, Allahabad. (4) Candidates are advised to visit N E Railway's website periodically for information and updates. (5) This Employment Notice is available at N.E. Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in.

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