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RAILWAY RECRUITMENT CELL
SOUTHERN RAILWAY**

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Employment Notice No. 02/2007

RECRUITMENT TO GROUP 'D' POSTS

Date of Issue: 24.11.2007	Closing Date & Time: 24.12.2007 at 18.00 hrs.
For candidates residing at Andaman & Nicobar, Lakshadweep Islands and Abroad.	Closing Date & Time: 08.01.2008 at 18.00 hrs.

Railway Recruitment Cell, Chennai invites applications in the prescribed format from the Citizens of India and from such other persons declared eligible by Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India to fill up **3,698 Group 'D' posts in Southern Railway and Integral Coach Factory, Chennai.**

SI. No	Name of the post & Scale of pay (Rs.)	Department	Railway/ Production Unit	UR	OBC	SC	ST	TOTAL	Ex.SM	Medical Standard
1	Sweeper-cum-Porter 2550-3200	Operating	SR	317	50	15	59	441	88	A-2
2	Sweeper-cum-Porter 2550-3200	Commercial	SR	17	09	05	02	33	07	A-2
3	Helper Grade - II 2550-3200	Electrical	SR	221	119	66	33	439	88	B-1
4	Helper Grade - II 2550-3200	Mechanical	SR	353	189	105	53	700	140	B-1
5	Helper Grade - II 2550-3200	S & T	SR	77	26	23	08	134	27	B-1
6	Helper Grade - II 2550-3200	Stores	SR	15	21	09	25	70	14	C-2
7	Helper Grade - II 2550-3200	-	ICF	27	15	08	131	181	36	B-1 C-1
8	Track Man 2610-3540	Civil Engineering	SR	894	206	226	219	1545	309	B-1
9	Safaiwala Grade - III 2550-3200	Medical	SR	42	16	26	71	155	31	C-1
Total				1963	651	483	601	3,698	740	

NOTE: - Vacancies of Ex-Servicemen given in the table are not separate but included in the total number of vacancies.

Abbreviations used in this notification:

RRC : Railway Recruitment Cell	UR : Unreserved	OBC : Other Backward Class	PET : Physical Efficiency Test
SR : Southern Railway	SC : Scheduled Caste	Ex.SM : Ex-Servicemen	S&T : Signal & Telecommunication
ICF : Integral Coach Factory	ST : Scheduled Tribe	Rly. : Railway	

I ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1.0 AGE LIMIT:

Age (in completed years) as on 01.01.2008 **UR** - 18 to 33 years; **OBC** - 18 to 36 years; **SC/ST** - 18 to 38 years

1.1 Special Relaxations of Age Limit:

1.1.1	Serving Railway Employees	Serving Railway Employees including Casual Labourers and Substitutes who have put in a minimum of 3 years service	UR Up to 40 years OBC Up to 43 years SC/ST Up to 45 years
1.1.2	Staff of Quasi Administrative Offices of Rly. Organisations	Such as Railway Canteens, Railway Institutes and Railway Co-op. Societies	Relaxation of age will be to the extent of 5 years or service rendered by them in such organisations, whichever is less.
1.1.3	Ex-Servicemen		Relaxation of age will be to the extent of service rendered by them in Defence Services plus 3 years provided they have put in a minimum of 6 months service after attestation and up to the age of 40 years for reservists not employed in Government Service.
1.1.4	Widows & Divorced or Judicially Separated Women		UR Up to 35 years OBC Up to 38 years SC/ST Up to 40 years
1.1.5	Persons with disability		UR Up to 43 years OBC Up to 46 years SC/ST Up to 48 years
1.1.6	Residents of Jammu & Kashmir	Who have ordinarily domiciled in the Kashmir Division of State of Jammu & Kashmir during the period from 1st Jan.1980 to 31st Dec.1989	UR Up to 38 years OBC Up to 41 years SC/ST Up to 43 years

1.2 Proof of Age: The candidate should attach a copy of any of the following (i) Birth Certificate issued by Municipal authorities (ii) Transfer Certificate issued by School/ College authority for 8th standard pass and above (iii) Matric/SSLC/ Senior Secondary/ HSC Mark sheet

2.0 EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION:

- 2.1 Minimum 8th class pass at the time of applying.
- 2.2 Candidates having higher Educational Qualification can also apply.
- 2.3 Candidates appearing at and/or awaiting results of final examination of Class 8th at the time of applying are not eligible to apply

3.0 EXAMINATION FEE: The Examination fee is **Rs.40/- (Rupees forty only)**

- 3.1 **Mode of Payment:** The fee shall be paid in the form of Crossed **Demand Draft** from any nationalised bank or Crossed **Indian Postal Order** from any Post Office drawn in favour of "The Assistant Personnel Officer/Recruitment, RRC, Chennai-600 008" payable at Chennai.
- 3.2 The DD/IPO should have validity period for a minimum of six months.
- 3.3 In the space provided for Sender's name in the Postal Order and on the back side of the Demand Draft, the following details should be written:-
(i) Employment Notice No. (ii) Name and Postal address of the candidate
- 3.4 Applications without Examination Fee will be summarily rejected.
- 3.5 The amount remitted as Examination Fee will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- 3.6 Money Orders, Cheques, Cash and Central Recruitment Fee Stamps issued by Post Office or any other mode of payment **will not** be accepted and the applications will be rejected.
- 3.7 **Fee Concessions:** Candidates belonging to **SC/ST, Ex-Servicemen and Persons with Disabilities** are fully exempted from payment of Examination Fee.

4.0 COMMUNITY CERTIFICATE: Candidates belonging to **OBC and SC / ST** communities are required to obtain Community Certificates from the competent authority in the prescribed format {**OBC (Annexure I) & SC/ST (Annexure II)**} and enclose a copy of the same with the application, failing which, his / her application shall be rejected.

- 4.1 Candidates belonging to OBC should specifically obtain a certificate to the effect that the candidate **does not belong to persons / sections (Creamy layer), as per Annexure I.**
- 5.0 PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES:** The post of **Safaiwala in Medical Department** is an identified category for the persons with the Disability of Hearing Impairment.
- 5.1 Only such persons who suffer from not less than 40 percent of relevant disability, i.e. Hearing Impairment, would be eligible for recruitment against the category of Persons with Disabilities.
- 5.2 **Hearing Impairment:** "Hearing Impairment" means loss of 60 decibels or more in the better ear in the conversational range of frequencies.
- 5.3 Persons with Disabilities are exempted from PET for recruitment to the posts identified suitable for them and be allowed to appear directly in the Written Examination. After qualifying in the Written Examination, such candidates will have to pass the Medical

- 5.4 **Physical Disability Certificate:** Candidates should submit a Disability Certificate issued by a competent authority in the format given in **Annexure III.**
- 5.5 The competent authority to issue Disability Certificate shall be a Medical Board duly constituted by the Central or State Government. The Medical Board shall consist of at least three members out of which at least one shall be a Specialist in the particular field for assessing the Disability.

6.0 EX-SERVICEMEN CANDIDATES:

- 6.1 This Employment Notification contains vacancies reserved for Ex-Servicemen irrespective of their community.
- 6.2 The term '**Ex-Serviceman**' means, "a person who has served in any rank (Whether as a combatant or non-combatant) in the regular Army, Navy or Air force of the Indian Union but does not include a person who has served in the Defence Security Corps, the General Reserved Engineering Force, The Lok Sahayak Sena and the Para Military Forces; and (i) who retired from such service after earning his/her pension; or (ii) who has been released from such service on medical grounds attributable to Military Service or circumstances beyond his control and awarded medical or other disability pension; or (iii) who has been released, otherwise than on his own request, from such service as a result of reduction in establishment; or (iv) who has been released from such service after completing the specific period of engagement, otherwise than at his own request or by way of dismissal or discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency, and has been given a gratuity; and includes personnel of the Territorial Army of the following categories, namely:-
a. Pension holders for continuous embodied service
b. Persons with disability attributable to military service and
c. Gallantry award winners
Explanation: The Persons serving in the armed forces of the Union, who on retirement from service, would come under the category of 'Ex-Servicemen', may be permitted to apply for re-employment **one year** before the completion of the specific terms of engagement and avail themselves of all concessions available to Ex-Servicemen, but shall not be permitted to leave the uniform until they complete the specified terms of engagement in the Armed Forces of the Union.
- 6.3 **Service Personnel who are likely to be discharged from military service on or before 24.12.2008 are eligible to apply against this notification.**
- 6.4 Ex-Servicemen are required to clearly indicate all required particulars including Community in the Application Form. However, regardless of Community, Ex-Servicemen will be considered only against the Ex-Servicemen quota, if available. If UR vacancies are not available, then only Ex-servicemen belonging to those particular communities where vacancies are available will be considered against the Ex-servicemen Quota.
- 6.5 Ex-servicemen candidates who have already secured employment under Ex-Servicemen Quota in Central/State Government in Group 'C' or 'D' categories will be given only age relaxation but will not be considered against Ex-Servicemen Quota.