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SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY

Office of the Principal Chief Personnel Officer, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043

NOTIFICATION FOR

RECRUITMENT OF SPORTS PERSONS AGAINST SPORTS QUOTA (OPEN ADVERTISEMENT)

ON SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY FOR THE YEAR 2025-26

Employment Notice No. SER/Pers/Sports Quota/OA/2025-26

ONLINE Applications are invited from eligible sportspersons who are Indian nationals for recruitment against Sports Quota (Open Advertisement) for the year 2025-26 in South Eastern Railway. The details given below:

(i)	Date of Publication of Notification on website : - 31/12/2025
(ii)	Opening date and time of Online Applications : - 10/01/2026
(iii)	Closing date and time of Online Applications : - 09/02/2026
(iv)	Date of Sports Trials of recruitment process will be intimated from time to time through the website. **(www.rrcser.co.in)**

1. DETAILS OF POSTS:

CATEGORY No.	POSTS in 7th CPC	NO. OF POSTS	DETAILS OF POSTS
1.	Group 'C' Level-4/Level-5	05 (Five)	Any of the level-4/5 posts in any of Units of South Eastern Railway.
2.	Group 'C' Level-2/Level-3	16 (Sixteen)	Any of the level-2/3 posts in any of Units of South Eastern Railway.
3.	Group 'D' Level-1	33 (Thirty three)	Any of the level-1 posts in any of Units of South Eastern Railway in terms of Annexure -A of RBE No 52/2012 available in public domain.

2. DETAILS OF VACANCIES FOR THE YEAR 2025-26:

(i) **VACANCIES FOR LEVEL-4/5 (GP- Rs. 2400/2800) :-**

Sl. No.	Sports Discipline	Category / Playing Position	Sports Persons proposed to be recruited
			Level-4/5, GP-Rs. 2400/2800/-
01	Badminton (Men)	Singles	01
02	Athletics (Men)	Shot Put	01
		Cross-Country	01
		Pole Vault	01
03	Hockey (Women)	Forward	01
Total			**05**

(ii) **VACANCIES FOR LEVEL-2/3 (GP- Rs. 1900/2000) :-**

Sl. No.	Sports Discipline	Category / Playing Position	Sports Persons proposed to be recruited
			Level-2/3, GP-Rs.1900/2000/-
01	Athletics (Men)	800 Mtr.	01
		400 Mtr.	01
		110 Mtr. Hurdles	01
		Triple Jump	01
02	Hockey (Women)	Forward	01
03	Hockey (Men)	All Rounder	01
04	Cycling (Men)	Track: 1 Time Trial/Sprint	01
		4 KM Individual Pursuit	01
		Road	01
05	Chess (Men)	Individual	01
06	Archery (Men)	Recurve	03
07	Rifle Shooting (Men)	10 M AIR Pistol	01
08	Swimming (Men)	Freestyle	01
09	Water Polo (Men)	Winger	01
Total			**16**

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(iii) **VACANCIES FOR LEVEL-1 (GP- Rs. 1800) :-**

Sl. No.	Sports Discipline	Category / Playing Position	Sports Persons proposed to be recruited
			Level-1, GP-Rs.1800/-
01	Hockey (Women)	Goalkeeper	01
		Forward	01
02	Hockey (Men)	Forward	02
03	Swimming (Men)	Breast Stroke	01
04	Water Polo (Men)	Winger	03
05	Diving (Women)	1 M & 3M Spring Board	01
06	Volley Ball (Women)	Centre Blocker	01
		Counter Attacker	01
		Libero	01
07	Weight Lifting (Women)	45 KG	01
		55 KG	01
08	Weight Lifting (Men)	67 KG	01
		81 KG	01
09	Football (Men)	Wing Back	01
		Stricker	01
		Central Midfielder	01
10	Cricket (Men)	Batsman	01
		Fast Bowler	01
		Wicket Keeper with Batsman	01
		Left Arm Spinner	01
11	Volley Ball (Men)	Counter Attacker	01
		Setter	01
		Centre Blocker	02
12	Tennis (Men)	Individual	01
13	Kho Kho (Men)	Chaser	02
		Defender	02
14	Golf (Men)	Individual	01
Total			**33**

No post is reserved for SC/ST/OBC communities. The candidates having the required performance/ achievement in the particular sports discipline will be selected on the basis of overall merit irrespective of their communities. However, the candidates may upload the communities they belong to. This is strictly required vide chapter 13 of the brochure (published by Govt. of India/Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievance of Pensions Deptt. of Personnel Training, New Delhi.) The Caste certificate shall be issued by the Competent Authority, not below the rank of Tehsilder in case of SC/ST/OBC communities. OBC candidates shall also upload OBC Non-Creamy Layer certificate in the Central Govt. format issued not before than 01 year by the competent authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

3.1.**Age Limits** - Minimum 18 years and maximum 25 years as on **01.01.2026**. There is no age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC candidates. Copy of Matriculation or its equivalent certificate from a recognized Board, **OR** the Birth Certificate should be uploaded for proof of Date of Birth.

(Date of Birth not earlier than **02.01.2001** and not later than **01.01.2008**)

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3.2 **Sports norms for Level-4/5 & Level-2/3 :-**

Srl. No.	Pay Band /Scale	Grade pay (Rs.)	Minimum Sports Norms for recruitment
1.	PB-1:Rs. 5,200-20,200/- (6th PC) 7th PC	2800/- Or 2400/- (6th PC) Level 5/ Level 4	(a) Represented the country in Olympic Games (Senior Category) **OR** (b) At least **3rd Position** in any of the Championships/event in the World Cup (Junior/Youth/Senior Category) / World Championships (Junior/ Senior Category)/ Asian Games (Senior Category)/ Commonwealth Games (Senior Category), Youth Olympics, Davis Cup (Tennis), Champions Trophy (Hockey), Thomas/Uber Cup (Badminton).
2.	PB-1:Rs. 5,200-20,200/- 7th PC	2000/- Or 1900/- Level 3/ Level 2	a) **Represented the Country** in any of the Championships/events in the World Cup (Junior/ Senior Category)/ World Championships (Junior/ Senior Category)/ Asian Games (Senior Category)/ Commonwealth Games (Senior Category) **Or** b) **At least 3rd position,** in any of Championships / Events in the Commonwealth Championships (Junior/Senior Category)/ Asian Championships/Asia Cup (Junior /Senior Category) / South Asian Federations (SAF) Games (Senior Category)/ USIC (World Railways) Championships (Senior Category) **Or** c) **At least 3rd position in** Senior/ Youth/ Junior **National Championships.** **Or** d) **At least 3rd Position in National** Games Organized under aegis of **Indian Olympic Association** **Or** e) **At least 3rd Position** in All India Inter University Championship organized under the aegis of **Association of Indian Universities** **Or** f) **1st Position in Federation Cup** Championships (**Senior Category)**

Additional acceptable Sports achievement eligibility norms for certain Sports discipline as mentioned below (Read with Para 3) :-

a) **In Badminton (Men),** sportspersons may also be considered for recruitment on the basis of their current Annual All India Rankings, in different Grade Pay and Pay Bands, as per following criteria :-

Pay Level (As per 7th P.C.)	Minimum Sports Norms for Recruitment		
Pay Level 4/5 (As per 7th P.C.)	Age Category	Event	Current Annual All India Ranking
	Seniors	Singles	Upto 8th Position

Only the current Annual All India Ranking shall be considered for these purposes. For the purpose, the highest ranking may be considered valid for one year for the purpose of recruitment. Ranking in Mixed-Doubles shall also be considered.

In Badminton (Men), below mentioned World Ranking will be eligible for Grade Pay mentioned against them:

Pay Level (As per 7th P.C.)	Minimum Sports Norms for Recruitment		
Pay Level 4/5 (As per 7th P.C.)	Age Category	Event	Current Annual World Ranking
	Seniors	Singles	Upto 50th Position
	Juniors	Singles	Upto 30th Position

b) **In Athletics (Men),** Gold Medal winner in Open National Championship (Senior), Inter State Athletics Championships (Senior) and Asian Championships (Senior) may be considered for recruitment in Pay Level 4/5 (As per 7th CPC).

c) **In Athletics (Men)** - Medal winning performance in National Inter State Senior Athletics Championship, may also be considered for recruitment in Pay Level 2/3 (As per 7th CPC).

d) **In Hockey (Men/Women)**, for recruitment against the posts having Grade Pay Rs. 1900/2000/- in Pay Band Rs. 5200- 20200/- participation in the International Tournament (Senior or Junior) of four or more nations may also be considered.

In Hockey (Men/Women), Semifinalist in Senior National Championships may be considered for Grade Pay 1900/2000/- in Pay Band 5200-20200/-. Events recognized by the 'Hockey India' shall be considered for the purpose of recruitment in the discipline.

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e) **In Chess (Men),** Following Sports Achievements may also be considered for recruitment in :-

Grade Pay (Rs.)	Level	Minimum Sports norms for recruitment
1900/2000	Level-2/3	International Master title in Chess OR 2350 or more rating points in last two consecutive FIDE Rating Lists.

f) **In Archery (Women),** Medal winning performance (at least 3rd position) in All India Inter University Championship and achievements in International events as para 3.2 shall be considered. Participation and medal winning performance in the event organized by Archery Association of India will be considered for recruitment.

g) **Rifle Shooting (Men)**:- National Shooting Championship Competition (for all age groups) - only individual performance shall be considered for recruitment purpose.

IMPORTANT :

1. **The applicant must have earned the achievements mentioned above, on or after 01.04.2023.**
2. **The concluding day of the Championship/Event shall only be taken into consideration for this purpose.**
3. **All the Championships/Events mentioned above should have been conducted under the aegis of International / National Sports Federations/Association duly recognized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports (MoYAS) at the time of that Championship.**
4. **No recruitment shall be made on the basis of certificates issued for National Championships conducted by any federation that was not recognized by MoYAS at the time of that championship.**
5. **The updated list of recognized NSFs is published on the Ministry's website from time to time.**

3.3 Sports norms for Level-1

a) Represented the Country in any of the Championships/events in the Commonwealth Championship (Junior/Senior Category)/Asian Championship/ Asia Cup (Junior/Senior Category)/South Asian Federations (SAF) Games (Senior Category)/ USIC (World Railways) Championship (Senior Category)/ World University Games.

Or

b) At least 3rd Position in Federation Cup Championships (**Senior Category).**

Or

c) Represented a State equivalent Unit, excepted in Marathon and Cross Country with **at least 8th position in Senior National Championship.**

d) In Cricket (Men) :- In Cricket, at National Level, following Sports achievements in 4 days/One day limited Overs/Twenty-20 Cricket Championships (except Vizzy Trophy) organized under the aegis of BCCI, may also be considered for recruitment against the posts having level-1.

Pay Level	**Minimum Sports norms for recruitment**
GP-1800 (Level-1)	Representation in Main Indian Seniors Team in 2 Test Matches/ Limited Overs One Day International Matches / Twenty-20 Matches.
	Representation of India-A and India U-19 Team in 2 Test Matches / 2 Limited Overs One Day International Matches / 2 Twenty-20 Overs Matches.
	(i) Quarter finalist in Senior/ U-23/ U-19 All India Inter State Group Championships (Except plate group) OR (ii) Participation in Senior/U-23/ U-19 All India Inter-zonal Championship. OR (iii) Participation in Senior/U-23/ U-19 Challenger Trophy.
	Pre-Quarter finalist in Senior/ U-23/ U-19 All India Inter State Championships (Except plate group).

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e) In Volleyball (Men/Women) – The Sports achievements in the events conducted by the Volleyball Federation of India or its affiliated units after 25.06.2020 **shall not be** considered for recruitment. However, the certificates issued by the Association of Indian Universities and the International Federations for recognized Sports Achievements in the Game of Volleyball, will be valid for recruitment.

f) In Tennis (Men):- The Annual All India Ranking in Pay Level-1 (Grade Pay-Rs. 1800/-) will be as under :-

Pay Level (As per 7th P.C.)	Minimum Sports Norms for Recruitment		
Pay Level-1 (As per 7th P.C.)	Age Category	Event	Current Annual All India Ranking
	Seniors	Singles	Upto 30 th Position

g) In Golf (Men), For recruitment against the posts having Grade Pay Rs. 1800 in Pay Band Rs.5,200-20,200: sportsperson having I.G.U. ranking upto 100; subject to single handicap i.e. less than 10 (in order of Merit/Amateur Merit list) shall also be eligible for recruitment. Only the current Annual All India Ranking shall be considered for these purposes.

The highest ranking in the year of recruitment may be considered for the purpose.

The players may be allowed to play in professional tournaments only after completing 5 years after their recruitment after taking NOC from RSPB.

NB**: The Sportspersons fulfilling the minimum Sports norms for recruitment in higher grades shall be eligible for recruitment in lower grades also. However such Sportspersons will be eligible for promotion/ re-appointment in higher grades only on the basis of his Sports achievement acquired after joining Railways.**

(**Authorities RBE**: 189/2010, 128/2019, 03/2023 & 26/2023)

3.4. **List of Junior National Championships recognized by the RSPB** –

The following Junior National Championships in the respective disciplines are recognized by the RSPB for the purpose of para 3.2 mentioned above for determination of eligibility.

Srl. No.	Discipline & Category	Age group	Name of the recognized Championship
1.	Badminton (Men)	Under 19	Jr. National Badminton Championship
2.	Athletics (Men)	Under-20	Jr. National Athletics Championship
3.	Hockey(Men/Women)	Under -20	Hockey India Jr. Men & Women National Championship
4.	Cycling (Men)	Under -19	Jr. National Cycling Championship
5.	Chess (Men)	Under-19	Jr. National Chess Championship
6.	Cricket (Men)	Under-23	Col. C.K. Nayudu Trophy (Inter State Championship)
		Under-19	Cooch Behar Trophy (Interstate Championship)
			Vinoo Mankad Trophy (One day limited Over Interstate Championship)
			Vijay Hazare Trophy (One day Limited Over All India inter Zonal Championship)

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7.	Archery (Men)	Under-19	Jr. National Archery Championship
8.	Rifle Shooting (Men)	Under -21	National Shooting Championship Competition (for all age groups)
9.	Swimming (Men)	Under-17	Jr. National Aquatics Championship
10.	Water Polo (Men)	Under-18	Jr. National Aquatics Championship
11.	Diving (Women)	Under -18 (Group-I)	Sub Jr. National Aquatics Championship
12.	Volley Ball (Men/Women)	Under- 19	Jr. National Volley Ball Championship
13.	Weightlifting (Men/Women)	Under-20	Jr. National Weightlifting Championship
14.	Football (Men)	Under-19	Junior National Football Championship for B.C. Roy Trophy.
15.	Tennis (Men)	Under-18	Adidas Jr. National Tennis Championship
16.	Golf (Men)	Under-18	Junior & Sub-Junior National Golf Championship.
17.	Kho- Kho (Men)	Under-18	Jr. National Kho-Kho Championship

3.5. **Educational Qualification** - Candidates should possess requisite academic qualification while applying in response to the notification as given below. Those who are appearing at and/or awaiting results of final examinations are not eligible. Educational Qualification must be from a Recognized institution.

Posting Pay Matrix (7th CPC)	Minimum prescribed Educational Qualification
Level-4/ Level-5	A University Degree or its equivalent from recognized University.
Level-2/ Level-3	Passed 12th (Plus-II stage) or its equivalent examination. Educational qualification must be from a Govt. recognized Board/Council. **Note**: - For appointment against Sports quota in Technician-III, the minimum educational qualification is 10th pass. However, the training period for such sports quota appointees will be 03(three) years, unless they pass / possesses ITI qualification in the relevant trade, in which case it will be six months.
Level-1	10th pass or ITI or equivalent or National Apprenticeship Certificate (NAC) granted by NCVT.

Note: i) No relaxation in minimum educational qualification shall be permissible.

ii) Candidates must mandatorily submit photocopy of relevant documents in support of their educational qualification while filling up the application form and the original of educational qualification certificate must be produced on the day of Trials.

4. **HOW TO APPLY** –

i) Candidates should ensure that their Name/Spelling, Father's Name/Spelling, Community details, Educational Qualification and Date of Birth match with the entries recorded in Matriculation or equivalent certificate.

In case there is significant deviation/difference in the Name/Spelling/Dates etc. in the documents of the candidate then his/her candidature will be cancelled from the day the discrepancy is noticed. No claim would be entertained in this regard. Hence candidates are advised to thoroughly check their documents.

ii) Eligible candidates are required to go to the link provided for filling ONLINE application through website of RRC/SER (**www.rrcser.co.in**) and fill up the personal details/BIO-DATA carefully.

iii) Candidates are advised to indicate their personal mobile no. and personal valid e-mail ID's in the ONLINE application and keep them active during the entire recruitment process for communicating with them.

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4.1 **Examination Fees :-**

(i) The Examination fee as detailed below to be paid :-

(a)	For candidates belonging to UR/OBC	**Rs.500/-**(Rupees Five hundred only)
(b)	For candidates belonging to SC/ST/ Ex. Servicemen/Persons its Disabilities (PWDs), Women, Minorities and Economic Backward Classes.	**Rs. 250/-** (Rupees Two hundred Fifty only)

ii) Examination fee should be paid online through Internet Banking or Debit or Credit Cards (service charges for payment of fees will be borne by the candidates).

iii) Examination Fees in Cash/Cheque/Money Order/Central Recruitment Fee Stamps/ Demand Draft will not be accepted and accordingly application will be rejected.

iv) Candidates should confirm if they wish to receive the refundable portion of examination fees (Rs. 400/- or Rs.250/- as applicable) on attending Trials in the account from which they have made payment or alternatively, provide the beneficiary account in which they wish to receive the refund viz. beneficiary name, account number, name of Bank and its IFSC code. The refundable portion of examination fees shall be refunded duly deducting bank charges as applicable.

v) Rs.400/- to UR/OBC and Rs.250/- to SC/ST/ Ex. Servicemen/ Persons with Disabilities(PWDs), Women, Minorities and Economically Backward Classes will be refunded to those eligible candidates who will actually appear in the Trial.

4.2 DCOUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED :-

PHOTOGRAPH :

a) It should be a color passport-size photograph with white/light color background. It should be of size 3.5 cm X 3.5cm (not older than three months from the date of application). It should be in JPG/JPEG format scanned with 100 DPI resolutions. The size of the photograph should be up to 70 KB.

b) The photograph must match with the appearance of the candidate on the days of Trial and document verification and Medical test.

c) The photo should have clear front view of the candidate without cap and sunglasses.

d) In case the candidate wears glasses, then the photograph should not have any glare/reflections on glasses and eyes should be clearly visible.

e) Photos of the candidates on all documents should be identical in all stages of recruitment process. Candidates are advised to keep at least 06 (Six) copies of the same photograph for further use, as and when required during the recruitment process.

SIGNATURE AND LTI :

a) The applicant has to sign and put LTI on white paper with Black Ink within a box of size 50 mm x 20 mm or 140X60 pixels. The images should be in JPG/JPEG format scanned with 100 dpi resolution. Size of file should be between 10-40 KB.

b) The signature and LTI must be of the applicant only and not of any other person otherwise it would be treated as impersonation/fraud. Candidate should then upload scanned photograph, Left Thumb Impression and signature in following manner.

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c) Signatures of the candidates on all documents should be identical in all stages of recruitment process. Signatures in different style at the time of Trial, Document Verification, Medical examination etc. may result in cancellation of candidature.

d) Signature should be either in Hindi or English and must not be in Capital or Disjointed letter.

OTHER DOCUMENTS (In pdf format only) :

a) Self attested copy of a valid photo identity card issued by a government body/authority like Aadhar card/PAN card/Driving License/Voter ID Card. should be uploaded along with the application form. The candidate should carry this identity card in all stages of recruitment process along with the e-call letter so that the personal details viz. name/spelling, date of birth etc. mentioned in the online application are confirmed.

b) Self-attested certificate in proof of educational qualification issued by Board/Council/University as per para 3.5 should be uploaded along with the application form.

c) **Only Sports achievements certificates for the Championships concluded on or after 01.04.2023 to till date from recognized Sports Association of Indian University, must be uploaded.**

d) Self-attested certificate in proof of age (Matriculation/10th certificate) as per para 3.1.

e) Self-attested certificate in proof of all recognized Sports achievements as per para 3.2, 3.3 and 3.4.

f) Candidates claiming to be SC and ST communities - Self attested community certificates from the Competent Authority to uploaded along with the online application as per Annexure -I.

g) The OBC-NCL candidates - Self attested community certificate are required to upload from the Competent Authority with the online application as per Annexure-II. They should also submit self declaration as per Annexure-IIA indicating that the candidate does not belong to the Creamy layer. EBC Candidates: Candidates claiming to belong to EBC are required to upload self attested Income Certificate from the Competent Authority in the prescribed format Annexure - III of this Notification.

h) EWS candidates: - Self attested EWS certificate are required to upload from the Competent Authority with the online application as per Annexure – IV.

i) Minority Candidates:- Candidates claiming to belong to Minority Community are required to upload a declaration for waiver of Examination fees. (As per Annexure - V of this Notification).

j) EX –Servicemen – Discharge certificate & Pension related documents (copy of PPO).

k) Certificates in languages other than English or Hindi should be accompanied by an attested translation in English / Hindi.

4.3. STEPS TO SUBMIT ONLINE APPLICATON:

i) Visit the website of RRC-SER: www.rrecer.co.in Click on “Online/E-Application for Sports Quota(OA) / 2025-26” link. Click on the “New Registration” link.

ii) Fill in the personal information viz. Name, Father’s name, Date of Birth, Community, E-mail address and Mobile number. On submission of required details an E-mail/SMS will be received in the registered E-mail ID/Mobile number. Open inbox of your registered E-mail/SMS and note the registration number and password.

iii) Login - using the Registration number & password sent in the E-mail/SMS.

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a)	Follow the instructions and complete the registration process step-by-step
b)	Bank Account Details for Refund Candidates who attend selection trials are eligible for refund of examination fee as per details in Para 4.1. Candidates are required to indicate whether they want to receive the refund in the bank account which was used to make the payment OR alternatively provide the details of Beneficiary Account in which they wish to receive the refund viz. Beneficiary Name, Account Number. Name of Bank and IFSC Code in the Online Application. Those candidates who have given the confirmation to receive their refund in the account from which they have made the application fee payment, need not fill these details and hence, this will not be visible for them. Only those candidates who do not wish to receive the refund in the account through which they paid examination fee
c)	Provide the details of a valid photo identity card and upload the same.
d)	Upload the scanned copy of Photograph, Signature and LTI, self attested certificates in proof of date of birth, essential education/technical qualifications and caste i.e. SC/ST/OBC/EBC/EWS, income certificate, self declarations pertaining to the OBC candidates and minority community candidates and Sports achievements.
e)	Make requisite payment using credit card/debit card or internet banking.
f)	During submission of ONLINE application, a Unique Registration Number will be generated and issued to each candidate. Candidates are advised to preserve/note their Registration number for further stages of recruitment process/ correspondence.
g)	No change whatsoever will be entertained after final submission of online application and hard copy should be the same as submitted online. Submit the properly filled up application form, take (02) two copies of print out of properly filled up application form.

h)	Candidates should have their own mobile number, valid & active personal email-id and should keep them active for the entire duration of recruitment as RRC shall send all recruitment related communication only through SMS and E-mail.
i)	RRC will not entertain any request for change of mobile and email address at any stage.
j)	To avoid last minute rush, candidates are advised in their own interest to register and submit ONLINE application much before the closing date since there may be a possibility of inability/failure to log on to the website of RRC concerned on account of heavy load on the internet or website during last days of online registration.
k)	RRC does not accept any responsibility for the candidates not being able to register and or /submit their application within the last day on account of aforesaid reasons or any other reason.
l)	In case of any difficulty in filling up of online application, please call on the Help Line Number and E-mail ID mentioned on the website of RRC/SER
m)	Candidates should note that applications received directly at RRC will not be entertained.

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4.4. INVALID APPLICATIONS:

The applications having any of the following deficiencies, discrepancies or irregularities will be summarily rejected:-

i)	Applications sent manually and not registered ONLINE.
ii)	Registration of more than one application by the same candidate.
iii)	Applications received after closing date as per schedule.
iv)	Application without paying or paying less examination fee than prescribed by this Notification.
v)	Applications which are incomplete, faulty or ineligible in any manner.
vi)	Application without Date, Unsigned and Signed in Block or Capital or Disjoined letters may be the cause of rejection of the application.
vii)	Application without proper scanned Photograph, Signature and LTI, other enclosures.
viii)	Application without uploading a photo identity card and proper certificates with respect of Date of Birth, educational qualification certificates in support of recognized sport achievement, caste/community etc. as mentioned of this notification. Certificate not obtained from the appropriate authority are liable to be rejected.
ix)	Candidate not possessing the prescribed educational qualifications and minimum sporting achievements at the time of submitting application.
x)	Over age or date of birth not filled or wrongly filled.
xi)	Photograph not uploaded, black and white photo, photo with cap or sunglasses, disfigured, small size, full body, only one side view of the face or unrecognizable photo etc.
xii)	Any other irregularities which are considered invalid by RRC/SER.
xiii)	The application is liable to be rejected if any of the compulsory enclosure is not attached as indicated in the proforma of the application or the application is found defective in any respect
xiv)	No column should be left blank, which may also be the cause of rejection of the application.
xv)	Discipline should be mentioned in the application. Not mentioning the same may be the criteria of rejection of application

Note: - The list only illustrative and not exhaustive. The applications will be rejected on any their irregularity / deficiency noticed by the RRC at any stage.

4.5. IMPORTANT POINTS TO BE NOTED:

(i) Selected candidates are likely to be posted anywhere on South Eastern Railway after successful completion of all pre-appointment formalities, including training wherever prescribed.

(ii) Before applying for a post, the candidate should ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility and other criteria stipulated for the post. The Railway Administration would be free to reject any application not fulfilling the requisite criteria at any stage of recruitment and if erroneously appointed, such candidate is liable to be summarily removed from services even after appointment.

(iii) In case of serving employees, a 'No-Objection Certificate' from the employer should be attached.

(iv) Those candidates who are debarred from appearing in any of the RRB/RRC exams need not apply unless their debarment period is over by the closing date of this Employment Notification. Otherwise, their applications shall not be entertained.

(v) The candidates seeking fees exemption, for being from economically backward classes, must get the Annexure-III filled up and certified by the proper authority as mentioned therein. Minority candidates have to make a self declaration in the format as in Annexure-V for claiming waiver of examination fees. And such candidates are to furnish a Minority Community declaration affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.10/- sworn before an Executive Magistrate establishing their belonging to minority communities.

(vi) Name of the successful candidates declared to be so by the competent authority will be published separately, whose candidature shall be provisional till completion of departmental verification of qualifications, certificates etc. and found genuine along with the completion of other formalities as per extant rules. Verification of certificates will also be a mandatory condition for appointment.

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(vii) The list of eligible/ ineligible and cases will be published on the website of RRC/SER.

(viii) For the eligible candidates, the link for downloading the E-Call Letter/Admit Card would also be made available on the RRC website in due course. Candidates must bring the original photo identity card with the online application along with the E- Call letter in all stages of the recruitment process viz. trials, Document Verification etc.

(ix) The candidates are advised to visit website of RRC/SER regularly for various information of the stages of selection. Railway administration will not be held responsible for failure of candidates to check notices on website of RRC/SER.

(x) Further details like list of candidates found eligible for attending trials dates and venues of trials and other necessary information related to this recruitment will be available on the website of RRC/SER.

(xi) SC/ST candidates will be eligible for free rail travel in second class for attending Sports Trials.

(xii) Selected candidates have to pass the requisite medical fitness standards prior to appointment.

(xiii) Selected candidates will have to submit 'Service Bond' requiring them to serve 5 years with the railway.

(xiv) In the event of appointment as Clerk-cum- typist posts in Group-C railway service, candidates will be required to acquire typing proficiency of 30 w.p.m. in English or 25 w.p.m. in Hindi within a period of four years from the date of appointment, and till such time, appointment will be provisional.

(xv) Decision of South Eastern Railway in all matters relating to this recruitment shall be final.

(xvi) No other intimation of rejection, other than uploading the list in the above mentioned website, would be communicated to ineligible candidates.

(xvii) Candidates may download recruitment notification available on Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway website address www.rrcser.co.in.

4.6 For any legal dispute, the jurisdiction will be the Central Administrative Tribunal, Calcutta.

Note: Kindly bring original documents of Date of Birth, Educational Qualification and Sports Achievements and Identification proof on the day of Trial without which you will not be allowed to appear in the selection. No TA/DA/Accommodation will be given for appearing in the selection trial. You will have to bring your own kit. You may also be required to stay during the selection for 2-3 days for which you have to make your own arrangements. **All documents take 02 copies of uploaded with the application form must be self attested.**

5.SELECTION PROCEDURE:

Selection will be based upon performance in sports Trials followed by Certificate (Sports & Educational) Verification by a duly constituted Recruitment Committee of this railway. The venue & date for Trials and Certificate Verification will be intimated to the eligible candidates in due course.

5.1 Distribution of Marks:

Maximum marks which can be awarded by the Trial Committee for performance during Trial and Recruitment Committee during Certificate Verification Stage, shall be as follows:-

SI No.	Attributes	Maximum Marks
1	Recognized sports achievement as per norms	50
2	Games skill, physical fitness and coach's observation during Trial	40 (Minimum marks for qualifying – 25)
3	Educational Qualification	10
TOTAL		**100**

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5.2 Minimum Qualifying Marks :

SI No.	Pay Band	Grade Pay (in Rs.)	Minimum qualifying Marks (out of 100)
1	PB-1	2400/2800	70
2	PB-1	1900/2000	65
3	PB-1	1800	60

5.3 (i) The Recruitment process is based purely on the merit of the candidates as per vacancies, in a particular discipline, notified. Canvassing in any form will attract disqualification. In case more than one sportspersons score the same mark in a given discipline, preference would be given to the younger candidate to decide the merit.

(ii) The Railway Administration has all rights reserved to fix any date, as deemed suitable, change of place or postponement of Trials at its own convenience, which can also be cancelled due to unforeseen exigencies against which no claim will be accepted.

CAUTION: Recruitment is purely merit based. South Eastern Railway have not appointed any agent or coaching centre for acting on its behalf for this recruitment. Candidates are cautioned against any false claims made by any unscrupulous persons/agencies of getting them selected in this recruitment on illegal consideration. If they come across any such persons/agencies, please do inform to Chairman, Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043. They can also inform to the Sr. Dy. General Manager, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043.

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CHAIRMAN, RAILWAY RECRUITMENT CELL
SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY

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Annexure - I

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE FOR SC/ST

This is to certify that Shri*/ Srimati/ Kumari* .....son/daughter* of Shri..... Village / Town ..... / District / Division *..... of the.....State/UnionTerritory* belongs to the. .....Caste*/Tribe which is recognised as a Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe (tick whichever is applicable) under :-

*The Constitution Scheduled Castes Order 1950.
*The Constitution Scheduled Tribes Order 1950.
*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) (Part C States) Order 1951;
*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) (Part C States) Order 1951;
[As amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification Order 1956, the Bombay Reorganisation Act 1960, the Punjab Re- organisation Act 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Re-organisation) Act 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders, (Amendment) Act 1976]
The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Orders, 1956
The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959 as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled *Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976
The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962.
*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1962
*The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Orders, 1964
*The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1967
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968
*The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970.
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978
*The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989.
*The Constitution (SC) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990
*The Constitution (ST) Orders (Amendment) Ordinance Act, 1991
*The Constitution (ST) Orders (Amendment) Ordinance Act, 1996
*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 2002
*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Second Amendment) Act, 2002.
*The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 2002.

2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes persons who have migrated from one State/Union Territory Administration.

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/Srimati*.....father/mother*.....of Shri/Srimati/Kumari..... of Village / Town * .....in / District / Division *.....of the State/UnionTerritory*.....who belongs to the. .....Caste*/Tribe which is recognised as a Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribe in the Station/ Union Territory* issued by the ..... dated.

3. Shri/Srimati/Kumari* and /or* his/her* family ordinarily resides in Village/Town*.....District/ Division* of the State/ Union Territory* of.....

*Please delete the words which are not applicable.
@ Please quote the specific presidential order.
% Please delete the Paragraph, which is not applicable.

Note: (a) The term "ordinarily reside(s)" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950: Officers competent to issue caste/tribe certificates:

1. District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Taluka Magistrate /Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner. 2. Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief PresidencyMagistrate / Presidency Magistrate. 3. Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar.
4. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and / or his / her family normally reside(s). 5. Certificates issued by Gazetteed Officers of the Central or of a State Government Countersigned by the District Magistrate concerned. 6. Administrator/ Secretary to Administrator (Laccadive, Minicoy and Admindivi Islands).

Place .....
Date .....

Signature .....
Designation .....
(with seal of Office)
State/ Union Territory .....

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Annexure-II

FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES

APPLYING FOR APPOINTMENT TO POST UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

This is to certify that S h r i / S m t . / K u m a r i . . . . . s o n / d a u g h t e r o f . . . . . o f V i l l a g e / T o w n . . . . . i n D i s t r i c t / D i v i s i o n

..... in the State/ Union Territory ..... belongs to the..... community which is recognised as a Backward Class under the Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment's Resolution No……

dated…..... *

Shri/Smt./Kum.*. ..... and/or his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in the…..District/Division of the..... state/Union Territory. This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy layer) mentioned in column 3 (of the Schedule to the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training OM No. 36012/22/93-Estt(SCT), dated 8.9.1993 and modified vide Government of India, Department of Personnel and Training O.M.No.36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res) dated 27.05.2013 and 13.09.2017*.

Date:

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE /
DY. COMMISSIONER ETC.
(Seal)

* The authority issuing the certificate may have to mention the details of Resolution of Government of India, in which the caste of the candidate as OBC.

* As amended from time to time.

Note: The term “Ordinarily” used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the

Representation of the People Act, 1950.

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Annexure-IIA

DECLARATION

Proforma for declaration to be submitted by Other Backward Class Candidates

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"I,..... son/daughter of Shri ..... resident of Village/Town/ City ..... district .....State ..... hereby declare that I belong to the ..... (indicate your sub caste) community which is recognised as a backward class by the Government of India for the purpose of reservation in services as per orders contained in Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No. 36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT) dated 08.09.1993. It is also declared that I do not belong to persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in column 3 of the Schedule to the above referred Office Memorandum dated 08.03.1993 and its subsequent revisions through O.M.No.36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res)

dated 27.05.2013 and 13.09.2017.

Place: Signature of the Candidate

Date: Name of the candidate

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Annexure - III

Income Certificate for EBC

Proforma for Waiver of Examination Fees to be submitted by Economically Backward Class(EBC)

1. Name of Candidate: .....

2. Father's Name: .....

3. Age: .....

4. Residential Address: .....

5. Annual Family Income (In words & Figures): .....

Date: .....

Signature:

Name:

Stamp of Issuing Authority:

Note: Economically Backward Classes will mean the candidates whose family income is less than Rs 50,000/- per annum. The following authorities are authorized to issue income certificates for the purpose of identifying economically backward classes:

(1) District magistrate or any other Revenue Officer up in the level of Tahsildar (2) Sitting Member of Parliament of Lok Sabha for persons of their own Constituency (3) BPL Card or any other certificate issued by Central Government under a recognized poverty alleviation programme or Izzat MST issued by Railways. (4) Union Minister may also recommend to Chairman/RRBs for any persons from anywhere in the country. (5) Sitting Member of Parliament of Rajya Sabha for persons of the district in which these MPs normally reside.

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Annexure-IV

Government of .....
(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

INCOME & ASSETS CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

Certificate No. _____ Date: _____

VALID FOR THE YEAR_____

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ son/daughter/wife of _____ permanent resident of _____, Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District_____ in the State/Union Territory _____ Pin Code_____ whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income* of his/her 'family"** is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year _____. His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets*** :

I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ belongs to the _____ caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)

Signature with seal of Office_____
Name _____
Designation _____

Recent Passport size attested photograph of the applicant

*Note1:. Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.

**Note 2:The term "Family" for this purpose include the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years

***Note 3: The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

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Annexure-V

SELF DECLARATION OF MINORITY CANDIDATES

FOR WAIVER OF EXAMINATION FEES

Proforma for declaration to be submitted by Minority candidates along with the application for the post(s) against Employment Notice No.SER/Pers/Sports Quota/ OA/2025-26.

D E C L A R A T I O N

I_____ son/daughter/wife of Sri/Smt.

_____

Resident of village/town/city_____ district _____

State_____ hereby declare that I belong to the _____

(Indicate minority community notified by Central Govt. i.e. Muslim/Sikh/Christian/ Buddhist/Parsis).

Date:_____ Signature of the candidate _____

Place:_____ Name of the candidate _____

NOTE: At the time of document verification, during Trial and Interview, such candidates claiming waiver of Examination Fees will be required to furnish 'Minority Community declaration' affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.10/- (Ten) that he / she belongs to any of the Minority Community notified by the Central Government (i.e. Muslim/Sikh/Christian/ Buddhist /Parsis).

The exact date and venue of the trial and certificate verification of the concerned discipline will be intimated by the concerned authorities to the eligible candidate through call letter.