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VISAKHAPATNAM PORT AUTHORITY
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

No.IGAD/IR/F/RRs/2026/3306,

Date : 13.07.2026.

**RE-FRAMING OF RECRUITMENT RULES IN RESPECT OF CLASS-III/IV POSTS
PERTAINING TO VISAKHAPATNAM PORT AUTHORITY.**

Ref.: This office letter No.IGAD/IR/F/ R&Rs/2026/2963, dt.24.06.2026.

Sd/-.,
Secretary,
Visakhapatnam Port Authority,
Visakhapatnam.



VISAKHAPATNAM PORT AUTHORITY



AN AUTONOMOUS BODY UNDER MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING & WATERWAYS
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the power conferred under Section 72 (2)(I) of MPA Act, 2021, the Board of Visakhapatnam Port Authority hereby amend the Recruitment Rules for five (5) categories of posts Class III/V, pertaining to Visakhapatnam Port & Authority.

Sl. No	Cadre Strength	Name of the Post	Classification	Scale of Pay	Whether selection or non-selection post	Age limit for direct recruits	Education and other qualification prescribed for direct recruits	Period of probation	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply to promotees	Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by transfer and percentage of vacancies to be filled by various methods	In case of recruitment by promotion from which promotion to be made	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1.	110	Coupling Porter Gr-I	Class III	32600-79100	Selection	Completed 18 years but not 34 years	a) Must have passed Intermediate / 10+2 from a Govt. recognized Institute or its equivalent with 2(two) years experience in Railway Operations. b) In case of departmental candidates, must have passed SSC/X class from a Govt. recognized school or its equivalent with 2 (two) years experience in Railway Operations.	2 years	Age : No Qlf: a) No b) No c) Yes	By promotion from Coupling Porter Gr.II with 2 (two) years regular service in the grade failing which from Rly. Khallasi (working in Rly. Section) with 4 (four) years regular service in the	Coupling Porter Gr.II/ Rly Khallasi	The departmental candidates who are selected for the post of Coupling Porter Gr - I have to undergo relevant training in Railway Operating aspects for a period of Nine (9) months in R & D Yard under the supervision of

2.	53	Coupling Porter Gr-II	CI-IV	31500-74300	Non-Selection	Completed 18 years but not 32 years	c) In case of department circular, candidate must have passed SSC/Xth Class from a recognized school or its equivalent and nine (9) months undergone relevant training in Railway operations aspects in R & D Yard is required. a) Must have passed Intermediate / 10+2 from a Govt. recognized Institute or its equivalent with 2 (two) years experience in Railway Operations. b) In case of departmental candidates, must have passed SSC/X class from a Govt. recognized school or its equivalent with 2(two) years experience in Railway Operations.. c) In case of department circular, candidate must have passed SSC/Xth Class from a recognized school or its equivalent and 6(six) months undergone relevant training in Railway operations aspects in R & D Yard is required.	---	Age : No Qlf: a) No b) No c) Yes	grade which failing by departmental circular among all the departments , failing which by direct recruitment. By promotion from Railway Khallasi (working in rly. Section) with 2 (two) years regular service in the grade failing which by departmental circular among all the departments , failing which by direct recruitment.	Rly Khallasi (working in Rly. Section)	ATM (Rlys) and Traffic Inspector (Rlys) and upon successful certification of their performance, they will be continued in the post of Coupling Porter Gr – I, failing which the incumbent will be reverted to the parent department. The departmental candidates who are selected for the post of Coupling Porter Gr – II have to undergo relevant training in Railway Operating aspects for a period of six months in R & D Yard under the supervision of ATM (Rlys) and Traffic Inspector (Rlys) and upon successful certification of their performance, they will be continued in the post of Coupling Porter Gr – II, failing which the incumbent will be reverted to
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3.	02	Junior Engineer (Diesel)	CI-III	45800 - 121300	Selection	Completed 18 years but not 35 years	a) Degree in Mechanical Engineering / Automobile Engineering from recognized University with 1 (one) year experience in a supervisory capacity in large Workshops. OR b) In case of department candidates in the line of promotion, must have Driver 1st Class (MMD Certificate) with 2 years experience as Driver 1st Class. OR Driver 2nd Class with 4 years experience having Driver 1st class (MMD Certificate) c) Must have passed 3 (three) months certificate course in a Computer Application from a recognized institute	-	Age : No Qlf: No	By promotion from Driver 1 st Class (DL) with 2 (two) years regular service in the grade failing which from Driver 2 nd Class (DL) with 4 (four) years regular service with Driver 1 st Class MMD Certificate in the grade failing which by departmental circular among all the departments failing which by direct recruitment	Driver 1 st Class (D) / Driver 2 nd Class (D)	-
4.	02	Asst. Foreman (Diesel)	CI-III	45800 - 121300	Selection	Completed 18 years but not 35 years	a) Degree in Mechanical Engineering /Automobile Engineering from recognized University with 1 (one) year experience in a supervisory capacity in large Workshops. OR b) In case of department candidates in the line of promotion from Charge Hand (DL) with 2 years experience as Charge Hand (DL). OR MM Gr-I (DL) with 4 years experience as MM GR-I (DL) c) Must have passed 3 (three) months certificate course in a	-	Age : No Qlf: No	By promotion from Charge hand (DL) with 2 (two) years regular service in the grade failing which from M.M. Gr-I (DL) with 4 (four) years regular service in the grade failing which by departmental circular among all the departments	Charge hand (DL) / Motor Mechanic Gr-I (DL)	-

5.	04	ISSUE CLE RK	CI- III	25200- 59600 Revised 35500- 86300	Selected	Must have completed 18 years but not 30 years	a) Must have passed LME/LCE/LEE/LAE/BSc Physics. ii) Must have passed 3 (three) months certificate course in Computer Application from a recognized institute b) In case of candidates in line of promotion Qualifications are not required.	02 years	Age. No Qlf. a or b	50% by promotion from Tally Man and 50% by direct recruitment.	50% DR 50% Tallyman	Departmental/ Suitability test will be conducted if necessary, before selecting the candidates. Note: The Educational & other qualifications mentioned at 'b' column '8' is only prescribed to the existing incumbents in order to create promotional opportunities till the exhaust of last incumbent in the feeder cadres.
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