UNION PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

EXAMINATION NOTICE NO. 06/2014-ENG
LAST DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS 21.04.2014
ENGINEERING SERVICES EXAMINATION, 2014

(COMMISSION’S WEBSITE : www.upsc.gov.in)

DATE : 22.03.2014

No. F, 2/2013-ES-I(B): A combined competitive examination for recruitment to the Service categories mentioned in paras 2 below will be held by the Union Public Service Commission at AGARTALA, AHMEDABAD, AIZAWAL, AMRITSAR, BANGALORE, BAREILLY, BHOPAL, BHU, BURHANPUR, CALCUTTA, CHANDIGARH, CHENNAI, COTTACK, DEHRADUN, GAYA, GORAKHPUR, Gwalior, GUWAHATI, GURUWAR PETH, HYDERABAD, IMPHAL, ITANAGAR, JAIPUR, JAUNPUR, JODHPUR, KANPUR, KOLKATA, LUCKNOW, MADURAI, MUMBAI, NAGPUR, PANJABI (GOA), PATNA, PORT BLAIR, RAIPUR, RANCHI, SANGLIPUR, SHILLONG, SHILMA, SRI NAGAR, TRIVANDRUM, TIRUCHIRAPALLI, TIRUPATI, TIRUVANANTHAPURAM, TRICHY, UDAIPUR, VISHAKHAPATNAM commencing on 20th June, 2014 in accordance with the Rules published by the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) in the Gazette of India Extra- ordinary dated the 22nd March, 2014.

THE CENTRES AND THE DATE OF HOLDING THE EXAMINATION MENTIONED ABOVE ARE LIABLE TO BE CHANGED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMISSION.

CANDIDATES should note that there will be a ceiling on the number of vacancies of the centres except Chennai, Delhi, Dispur, Kolkata and Nagpur. Allotment of Centres will be on the first come first served basis. Only the candidates of a particular centre are allotted, the same will be done. Applicants who cannot get a center of their choice due to being allotted will be required to choose a Centre from the list of available centres. Further, any candidate who has already applied and found eligible for appearing in the examination on the basis of the vacancy notified and has been allotted a Centre from the list of available centres, is hereby advised that they may apply only so far as they could get a Centre of their choice.

1. CANDIDATES TO ENSURE THEIR ELIGIBILITY FOR THE EXAMINATION: The candidates applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions for admission to the Examination. Their admission at all the stages of the examination will be purely provisional subject to satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions.

2. MERE ISSUE OF E-ADMISSION CERTIFICATE TO THE CANDIDATE WILL NOT IMPLY THAT HIS/HER CANDIDATURE HAS BEEN FINALLY CLEARED BY THE COMMISSION.

3. Possession of minimum eligibility qualifications for the examination as mentioned in the advertisement will not entitle a candidate to be admitted to the examination. Possession of minimum eligibility qualifications for the examination as mentioned in the advertisement will not entitle a candidate to be admitted to the examination.

4. Candidates are required to apply Online only by using the website www.upsc.gov.in. Detailed Instructions for filling up online applications are available on the above mentioned website.

5. LAST DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS: The Online Applications can be filled up to 21st April, 2014 (21.04.2014) till 11.59 PM after which the link will be disabled.

6. The eligible candidates shall be issued an e-Admission Certificate three weeks before the commencement of the examination. The e-Admission Certificate will be made available in the UPSC website [www.upsc.gov.in] for downloading by candidates. No Admission Certificate will be sent by post. All the applicants are requested to provide valid & active e-mail id while filling up the online application form as the commission may use electronic mode for contacting them.

7. PENALTY FOR WRONG ANSWERS (In Objective Type Paper): There will be penalty (Negative Marking) for wrong answers marked by a candidate in the Objective Type Paper Question Papers.

8. FACILITY COUNTER AND WEBSITE FOR GUIDANCE OF CANDIDATES: In case of any guidance/information/clarification regarding their applications, candidates may approach the Commission’s Facilitation Counter/Website at Gate No. 1 of its campus or in person over Telephone Nos. 011-23382571/211-23381125/011-23098543 on working days between 10.00 hrs. and 17.00 hrs.

9. The Commission also has Website at address : www.upsc.gov.in over which the candidates can obtain information about the examination as well as information regarding registration of their applications, venue of the examination and results etc.

10. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

(a) Candidates are advised to read carefully “Special Instructions to the Candidates for Conventional Type Tests and Objective Type Tests” (Appendix III Part A and Part B). For both writing and marking answers in the OMR sheet [Answer Sheet], instructions are given in Appendix III - II. These instructions are mandatory. Use Black, blue, or any other writing pens with any other colours are prohibited. Do not use Pencil or ink pens.

(b) Candidates should note that any omission/mistake/discrepancy in encoding/filling of details in the OMR answer sheet, especially with regard to Roll Number and Test Booklet Series No., will render the answer sheet liable for rejection.

(c) Candidates in the Category of visually impaired are advised not to apply for this examination as no vacancies are earmarked/identified for them for the Services/Posts included in Engineering Services Examination, 2014.

11. MOBILE PHONES ARE NOT ALLOWED:

(a) Mobile phones, pagers or any other communication devices are not allowed inside the premises where the examination is being conducted. Any infringement of these instructions shall entail disciplinary action including ban from future examinations.

(b) Candidates are advised in their own interest not to bring any of the banned items including mobile phones/pagers or any valuable/costly items to the venue of the examination, as arrangements for safekeeping cannot be assured. Commission will not be responsible for any loss in this regard.

CANDIDATES ARE ADVISED TO APPLY ONLY THROUGH ONLINE MODE

▪ Asstt. Executive Engineer (Civil) P&T Building Works Gr ‘A’ service
▪ Survey of India Gr ‘A’ service
▪ Indian Railways Station Master Service (Asst. Dir. Grade-I)

CATEGOR Y II

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

GROUP A SERVICES/POSTS

▪ Indian Railway Service of Mechanical Engineers
▪ Central Power Stations Service Gr ‘A’ (Mechanical Engineers Posts)
▪ Indian Ordnance Factories Service. (Gr ‘A’ (Mechanical Cold Rolling Engineers)
▪ Indian Naval Armament Service (Mechanical Engineers Posts)
▪ Assistant Naval Stores Officer, Grade-I (Mechanical Engineering Posts) in Indian Navy.
▪ Central Electrical & Mechanical Engineering Service (Mechanical Engineering Posts).
▪ Assistant Executive Engineer in Gr ‘A’ (Electrical Engineering Posts)
▪ Indian Defence Service of Engineers (Electrical Engineering Posts)
▪ Assistant Naval Stores Officer, Grade-I (Electrical Engineering Posts) in Corps of EME, Min. of Defence.
▪ Indian Supply Service (Gr ‘A’)(Electrical Engineering Posts)
▪ Indian Inspection Service (Asst. Dir. Grade-I)

CATEGOR Y IV

ELECTRONICS AND TELECOMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

GROUP A & B SERVICES/POSTS

▪ Indian Railway Service of Signal Engr.
▪ Indian Railway Service (Tele-communication/Electronics Engineering Posts).
▪ Indian Naval Armament Service (Electronics Engineering Posts)
▪ Assistant Executive Engineer Group ‘A’ (Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering Posts)
▪ Indian Defence Service of Engineers, Group ‘A’ (Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering Posts)
▪ Indian Supply Service, Group ‘A’ (Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering Posts)
▪ Indian Inspection Service (Asst. Dir. Grade-I)

Note: Recruitment to the Services/Posts mentioned above will be made on the basis of the scheme(s) of examination prescribed in Appendix III - II to the Advertisement. Candidates who are declared qualified on the result of written part of the examination will be required to indicate their preference for Services/Posts at the appropriate time in the Detailed Application Form.

“Government strives to have a workforce which reflects gender balance and women candidates are encouraged to apply.”
Indian Radio Regulatory Service, Min of Science and Technology, Deptt. Gr ‘A’ Service

Indian Navy
Indian Naval Armament Service, Assistant Naval Engineer, Officer, Grade-I

Border Roads Organisation
BRES

Directorate General of Supply and Disposals
I.S.S. Gr. ‘A’
I.S.S. Gr. ‘A’

Department of Telecom
P&T Building
Works Gr. A Service
IT’S Gr. ‘A’
JTO
[SC/ST/GR-B]

Ministry of Road Transport & Highways
Central Engineering Service (Roads Groups 1 & 2)

Min of Science and Technology, Deptt. Gr ‘A’ Service
Survey of India
Geological Survey of India
Assistant Executive Engineer

NOTE—The period of apprenticeship if followed by appointment against a working post on the Roster may be calculated as Railway Service for the purpose of age concession.

(c) The upper age limit prescribed above shall be further reduced by five years if—

(i) Up to a maximum of five years if a candidate belongs to Scheduled Castes or a Scheduled Tribe;

(ii) Up to a maximum of three years in the case of candidates belonging to Other Backward Classes who are eligible to avail of reservation applicable to such candidates. The date of birth as fixed for the receipt of the application will be treated as the date for determining the upper age limit in respect of any candidate (not of creamy layer) of the candidates.

(iii) Up to a maximum of five years if a candidate had ordinarily been domiciled in the State of Jammu and Kashmir during the period from the 1st January, 1980 to the 31st December, 1989.

(iv) Up to a maximum of three years in the case of Defence Service personnel disabled in operations during hostilities with any foreign country or in a disturbed area, and released as a consequence thereof;

(v) Up to a maximum of five years in the case of ex-servicemen including Commissioned Officers and Senior Command Grade Services (SCGS) who have rendered at least five years Military Service as on 1st January, 2014 and have been released (i) on completion of assignment (including those whose assignment is due to expire one year from 1st January, 2014) otherwise than by way of dismissal or discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency, or on account of physical disability attributable to Military Service or (ii) on invalidation;

(vi) Up to a maximum of five years in the case of ex-servicemen including Commissioned Officers and Senior Command Grade Services (SCGS) who have completed an initial period of assignment of five years of Military Service on 1st January, 2014 and whose assignment has been extended beyond five years and in whose case the Ministry of Defence issues a certificate that they can apply for the employment and they have been released on three months notice on selection from the date of receipt of a certificate of appointment.

(vii) Up to a maximum of 10 years in the case of deaf-mute and orthopaedically handicapped persons.

NOTE—(A) Candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes and the Other Backward Classes who are entitled under the provisions of Clause (6) of the Constitution of India, i.e., 3 (ii)c) above, viz. those coming under the category of Ex-servicemen, persons domiciled in States of Jammu & Kashmir, disabled and orthopaedically handicapped etc. will be eligible for grant of cumulative age relaxation in respect of both the categories.

NOTE (II)—The term ex-servicemen will apply to the persons who are defined as ex-servicemen for the purpose of employment in Civil Services and Posts) Rules, 1976, as amended from time to time.

NOTE (III)—The age limit prescribed in para 3(c)(v) and (vi) will not be admissible to Ex-Servicemen and Commissioned Officers including SC/ST/GR-B, who are released on their own request.

NOTE (IV)—Notwithstanding the provision of age relaxation under para 3(c)(v) of the Schedule, the candidate who has retired after attaining the legal age of retirement as a Government servant on account of natural retirement, premature retirement, or retiremen t on medical grounds or confirmed disablement from service will be considered to be eligible for appointment only if he/she (after such re-employment/employment in Government) applies for an appointment as a Government servant on account of the legal age of retirement. In such cases, the candidate who has retired after attaining the legal age of retirement, as a Government servant on account of natural retirement, premature retirement, or retirement on medical grounds or confirmed disablement from service will be entitled to obtain reservation/relaxation benefit on the basis of the legal age of retirement as per the guidelines of Government.

NOTE (V)—A candidate will be eligible to get the benefit of community reservation only when the particular caste to which the candidates belong is included in the list of reserved communities issued by the Government of India. A candidate indicates in his/her application form for Engineering Services Examination that he/she belongs to a General category and subsequently avails of the General category reservation benefits. On perfunctory written to the Commission to change his/her category to a reserved one, such request shall not be entertained by the Commission.

Candidates seeking reservation/relaxation benefits available for SC/ST/OBC/PH/Ex-Servicemen must ensure that they are entitled to such reservation/relaxation as per eligibility prescribed in the Rules/Notice. They should be in possession of all the requisite certificates in the prescribed format in support of their claim as stipulated in the Rules/Notice for such benefits, and these certificates should be dated earlier than the due date (closing date) of the application.

While the above principle will be followed in general, there may be a few cases where there was a little gap (say 2-3 months) between the issue of updated resignations and Subsequent Notifications extinguishing a particular community in the list of any of the reserved communities and the date of submission of the application by the candidate. In such cases the request of change of community from General to Reserved may be considered by the Commission on a case to case basis.

N.B.—The candidate of a person who is admitted to the examination under the age limit prescribed in para 3(c)(v) of the Schedule will be cancelled if, after submitting his application he/she resigns from service or his services are terminated by the Government of India or on his retirement before the date of the examination. He/she will, however, be eligible if he/she is reemployed in a Government service or a Government undertaking after the examination. A candidate who after submitting his application to the department is either posted to a different category or is otherwise made ineligible to compete under departmental age concession.

All the requirements as PROV рED A Bove A ГE AGE LIMITS PRESCRIBED CAN IN NO CASE BE RELAXED.

The date of birth accepted by the Commission is that entered in the Matriculation or Secondary School Leaving Certificate or in a certificate recognised by an Indian University as equivalent to Matriculation or in an extract from a Register of matriculates maintained by a University, and that extract must be certified by the proper authority of the University or in the case of matriculate abroad, by the Indian High Commission or Consulate. The expression Matriculation/Secondary Examination Certificate in this part of the instructions should be read as an inclusive term covering alternative certificates mentioned above.

NOTE 1—CANDIDATES SHOULD NOTE THAT ONLY THE DATE OF BIRTH AS REGISTERED IN THE MATRICULATION/SECONDARY EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE OR AN EQUIVALENT CERTIFICATE IS ACCEPTABLE. NO OTHER DOCUMENT RELATING TO AGE AS HOROSCOPES, AffIDAVITS, birth certificates from Municipal Corporation, service records and the like will be acceptable. The expression Matriculation/Secondary Examination Certificate in this part of the instructions should be read as an inclusive term covering alternative certificates mentioned above.

NOTE 2—CANDIDATES SHOULD ALSO NOTE THAT ONCE A DATE OF BIRTH HAS BEEN CLAIMED BY THEM AND ENTERED IN THE RECORDS OF THE COMMISSION FOR AN EXAMINATION, NO CHANGE WILL BE ALLOWED SUBSEQUENTLY (OR AT ANY OTHER EXAMINATION) BY THE COMMISSION ON ANY GROUNDS WHATSOEVER.

NOTE 3—CANDIDATES SHOULD EXERCISE DUE CARE WHILE ENTERING THEIR DATE OF BIRTH IN THE APPLICATION FORM. IF VERIFICATION AT ANY SUBSEQUENT STAGE SHOWS THAT THE DATE OF BIRTH ENTERED IN THEIR DATE OF BIRTH FROM THE ONE ENTERED IN THEIR MATRICULATION/SECONDARY EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE, THE CERTIFICATE, DISCIPLINARY ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST THEM BY THE COMMISSION UNDER THE RULES.

Management of Examination:

For admission to the examination, a candidate must have—

(a) obtained a degree in Engineering from a University incorporated by or under the Central or State Legislature in India or other Educational Institutions specified in sub-clause (i) of clause 3 of Appendix II to these Rules and declared to be deemed as Universities under Section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956, or an equivalent degree from any other Institution recognized as such by the Government from time to time, or
decided by Government of India, and holding a degree in Engineering or equivalent degree in any of the Central or State Universities or any other Institution or Bodies authorized by the Government for the purpose from time to time, or

graduated from an Institution of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering (India); or

(b) obtained the Membership Examination Part II and III Sections A and B of the Aeronautical Society of India; or
graduated from Membership Examination Parts II and III Sections A and B of the Aeronautical Society of India or

(c) passed Graduation Examination by a University approved by the Director of Indian Naval Armament Service (Electronics Engineering Posts) and Engineer, Gr ‘A’ by the Indian Navy and the Candidate may possess any of the above qualifications or the qualification mentioned below namely—

M.Sc. degree or its equivalent with Wireless Communication, Electronics, Computer Science or Radio Engineering or a special subject.

NOTE 1—A candidate who has applied at an examination the passing which he or she is required to appear for the examination, but has not informed of the result, may apply for NOTICE 1.

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