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No.M/P(M)608/IV/Instructor/C&W(e file:673826)

Divisional Railway Manager's Office,
Personnel Branch, Chennai Division,
Chennai-3. Date : 10.08.2026

Notification No.07/2026

**All Supervisory Officials of C&W/
Mechanical Department / Chennai Division.**

Sub : **Selection for the post of Instructor/C&W in Ex-Cadre in
Pay Matrix Level-7 on tenure basis at BTC/RPM - reg**

It is proposed to fill up 01 (UR) vacancy of Instructor/C&W (Ex-cadre) in Level-7 of VII PC Pay Matrix at BTC/RPM in Mechanical Department of Chennai Division by calling volunteers from the eligible Supervisors /C&W of Mechanical Department of Chennai Division.

The Eligibility Conditions and selection process is as under:-

1.Application	Employees of Senior Section Engineer/C&W of Mechanical Department in VII PC Pay Matrix Level – 7 on regular basis, if staff in identical pay level, are not available, then staff in next below (ie) Junior Engineer/C&W in VII PC Pay Matrix Level-6, fulfilling the following criteria on the date of notification are advised to submit their application only through online in the following link: https://www.pbmas.in/notifications
2.Eligible staff to apply	Volunteers are therefore called for from among Senior Section Engineer/C&W of Mechanical Department in Pay Matrix Level – 7 on regular basis. If staff in identical pay level, are not available, then staff in next below (ie) Junior Engineer/C&W in Pay Matrix Level- 6 may be considered. (PBC109/2019). The volunteers from Junior Engineer/C&W in Pay Matrix Level - 6 should have a minimum of 2 years regular service in that grade- PBC 116/2023. Employees working in the upgraded post of Level-8 in terms of PBC 243/2025 are not eligible to apply. The eligibility conditions will be reckoned as on date of notification.
3.Age limit	Upper Age limit as on the date of notification is 58 years. (PBC No.171/2023)
4.Tenure	The maximum tenure for Instructors in one consecutive spell is 5 years. The cooling off period between two tenures should be at least 01 year (PBC 171/2023). They will be repatriated to parent cadre on completion of their tenure period

	or 3 months prior to the date of their retirement or when their performance is found to be not satisfactory at any time without assigning any reasons whatsoever, whichever is earlier.
5. Staff joined on request transfer on bottom seniority in this Division	Service rendered by them in the old unit will be reckoned for determining their eligibility in the new unit subject to the condition, that the service so allowed to be counted does not exceed the length of service of their immediate senior in the new unit (RBE No: 34/2006). He/she is otherwise eligible to be considered for the selection to Group 'C' posts as per the extant rules; and the category in which he was working in the old unit is an eligible category for the selection/post in the new unit also. (RBE 99/2006)
6. Syllabus	The syllabus prescribed for selection to the post of Instructor/C&W is enclosed as Annexure .
7. Mode of selection	(i) The selection consists of both written examination (75 marks) and Class Room Trial (25 marks) as laid down in PBC 109/2019 (ii) Only those candidates who secure 60% and above in the written examination will be eligible for Class Room Trial (PBC 89/2020). (iii) All those employees who secure not less than 60% marks in the written exam will be called for class room lecture trial, and the final panel will be drawn in the order of merit from amongst those who secure a minimum of 60% marks in the written exam and 60% marks in the aggregate (PBC 89/2020). (iv) In terms of PBC 208/2024 the written examination will be conducted in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode. The date, time and venue will be intimated later.
8. Written Examination	(i) The selection consists of written test as per Board's letter No.E(NG)/1/2018/PM1/4 dated 14.12.2018 (RBE 196/2018). The Question Paper will be 100% Objective type multiple choice questions. (ii) In terms of PBC.No.205/2016, 10% of the total marks will be set on Official Language Policy and Rules. But the questions on the same will not be of compulsory in nature and is purely optional. (iii) Question paper will be made available in English and Hindi only. (iv) In terms of Railway board letter No.E(NG) 1/2018/PM 1/4 dated 14.11.2019 (RBE 194/2019) there will be negative marking @ 1/3 mark for a wrong answer for the Selection where panel is arranged in the order of merit from those qualified. (v) Electronic devices will not be allowed inside the examination hall and the violators of the above guidelines will be taken up under DAR.
9. Medical classification	Fitness in BEE ONE (B-1) medical classification is required
10. Supplementary Examination	There will be no supplementary examination

11. NOTIFYING THE STAFF

11.1. Wide publicity should be given amongst staff in the categories of Supervisors/C&W of Mechanical Department of Chennai division. The copy of notification should be displayed on notice board at a conspicuous place. All the Supervisors concerned should ensure the same.

11.2. Staff who is on deputation/leave/sick should also be notified to enable them to submit their applications through proper channel in time. It is the responsibility of the Supervisor concerned to bring the notification to the notice of staff on deputation/leave/Sick under clear acknowledgement.

11.3. If any complaint is received from the employees for not being notified of the said notification, supervisory staff concerned will be held responsible.

12. METHOD OF APPLICATION

12.1 Employees who are eligible as per the terms and conditions notified above, should submit their applications "on-line" in the website of Chennai Division website through the link www.pbmas.in/notifications/

Opening date for on-line registration 11/08/2026

Closing date for on-line registration 31/08/2026

Please note that physical applications (in paper format) will not be accepted and will be rejected summarily.

12.2 The method of submitting application will be –

- Employee should fill in the details in the on-line portal in the prescribed proforma/format.
- Employee should compulsorily furnish their Email address and mobile number in the application.
- After filling up of the application completely, the application should be downloaded and forwarding signature of the supervisor should be obtained on the downloaded application.
- After this, the application should be scanned and uploaded in the website.
- The employee should upload relevant document with the application at the time of submission.

In case the application is not uploaded after obtaining the signature of the supervisor, it will be considered as 'unwillingness of the employee' and the name of the employee will not be considered any further. It shall be the responsibility of the Supervisors concerned to give wide publicity about this notification including those who are working outside the Division on temporary transfer/deputation etc., whose lien is with MAS Division, as well as those who are either on leave or on sick list.

General instructions

After scrutiny, the list of eligible employees to appear in the selection will be notified in the website. Hence, employees may keep a constant watch on the website at frequent interval to get the updates. It shall be noted that on submitting application, the employee becomes equally responsible for ascertaining his eligibility and appearing in the written examination, if eligible, etc.

Encl: Annexure - Syllabus

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/ Sr DPO/MAS

Copy to : CVO/MS - for kind information please.

Sr DME/Co-ord/MAS- for kind information please.

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ADME/JTJ,TNPM,

SSE/C&W/RPM

Ch.OS/CP cell, IT Cell- to upload in the Website

DS/SRMU, DS/DREU,

DS/AISCSTREA,

DS/AIOBCREA

AnnexureEnclosure to letter No.M/(P(M))608/IV/Instructor(C&W)**Syllabus for selection for the post of Instructor/C&W (ex-cadre) in Pay matrix Level -7
(G P. Rs.4600/- of VI PC) at BTC/RPM/MAS**

1. Must be a JE/C&W who has come up to from the rank of an apprentice (JE/C&W) after having the undergone the specified period of training of 5 years or Diploma or Degree holder.
2. Must be fully conversant with the instructions issued in IRCA Part III particular and Part I and II in general and also be conversant with the TXM General and subsidiary rules. Brake Power rules and other rules and Regulations concerning Carriage and Wagon Running and Maintenance.
3. Must be conversant with reading and interpreting drawings.
4. Must be conversant with the different types of materials used in Carriage and Wagon Constructions.
5. Must be conversant in detail in regard to the general manufacture and detailed procedure for repair and maintenance of all Coaching and Wagon Stock.
6. Must be conversant with the special equipment fitted in the modern sophisticated rolling stock like new type of wagons, ICF, LHB, VB, AB type coaches.
7. Must be conversant with the train checking and train marking rules in general.
8. Must be conversant with the various recommendations in regard to C&W items of the Accident Enquiry Committee and its implementation thereon, Disaster Management.
9. Must be thoroughly conversant with the safety measure on Carriage and Wagon stock as well as ant pilferage devices on Carriage and Wagons.
10. Must have adequate working knowledge of English with ability to teach.
11. Must be able to give lectures in English.
12. Must be familiar with the rigid standard required for maintenance and upkeep of high speed trains and mandatory maintenance requirements on stock in such trains.
13. Must be familiar with IRCA Part IV.
14. Must be familiar with safety stipulations.
15. Must be familiar and conversant with Air Brake testing and maintenance for both wagon and coaching stock.
16. Must be aware of all the latest modifications in coaching and wagon.
17. Must be familiar with schedule of amenities in passenger stock.
18. Policy and Rules on Official Language.
19. Must be familiar with stores and contract matters
20. Must be familiar with way side equipments(HABD, EMIWB, WILD, OMRS etc).

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