



SOUTHERN RAILWAY

No.M/P(S&T)608/IX/S&T/Tech-III

Divisional Railway Manager's Office,
Personnel Branch,
Chennai Division, Chennai - 3
Dt: As signed.

Notification No. 28/2025

**Sub: Selection for the post of Technician Gr.III
(Telecommunication) in Level 2 against 25% LDCE
Quota, S&T Dept. - reg.**

It is proposed to fill up the vacancies of **Tech. III (Telecommunication)** in Level-2 of 7thCPC pay matrix in S&T department/MAS Division against 25% LDCE quota by calling volunteers from the eligible Assistants/S&T of MAS Division.

Category	Community wise Breakup			Total Vac.	PwBD
	UR	SC	ST		
Technician Gr. III (Telecommunication)	16	7	4	27	1*

**Post reserved for Locomotor Disability category*

(OL-One Leg, LC- Leprosy Cured, DW-Dwarfism, AAV- Acid Attack Victim)

The eligibility conditions and selection process are as under:-

1	Application	Assistant/S&T of Signal and Telecom Dept, MAS Division fulfilling the following criteria on the date of notification are advised to submit their application only through online in the following link. https://pbmas.in/notifications/
2	Eligible staff to apply	Assistant/S&T of Signal and Telecom Dept. having lien in MAS Divn. and fulfilling the following Educational Qualification, Age & Service conditions are only eligible to apply.
3	Age/Service conditions	Assistant/S&T of Signal and Telecom Dept who have completed three years of regular service and age not more than 45 years (SC/ST candidates age relaxation as applicable) as on the date of the notification in S&T dept. of Chennai Division. (RBE52/2024).
4	Educational Qualifications	(A) Matriculation/SSLC plus ITI certificate from recognized institutions of NCVT/SCVT in the trades of Electronics Mechanic/Electrician/Wireman (OR) Matriculation / SSLC plus Course Completed Act Apprenticeship in the trades mentioned above (OR) (B) 10+2 with Physics and Math (RBE 52/2024).

5	Cut-off date	The cut-off date for determining the eligibility of the employees will be the date of issue of notification (RBE 117/2006).
6	Staff joined on request transfer on bottom seniority in this Division.	<p>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 34/2006).</p> <p>The service rendered in the old unit will count for purpose of qualifying service for promotion in new unit provided:- (i) he is otherwise eligible to be considered for the selection to Group 'C' posts as per the extant rules; and (ii) 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).</p>
7	Syllabus	The syllabus for selection to the post of Tech. III/Telecom against 25% LDCE quota are enclosed as Annexure-B (PBC 155/2024).
8	Pre-promotional/ training to eligible SC/ST employees	<p>Pre-promotional training to eligible 'SC' & 'ST' employees covering the syllabus of the examination will be organized and imparted by the Branch Officer for prescribed period. (RBE 174/1997).</p> <p>After completion of pre-promotional training, a certificate should be issued by controlling officer that all the eligible employees have been imparted the pre-promotional training for the prescribed period. If any eligible employee belonging to reserved community expresses unwillingness for PPT, a written declaration to that effect may be obtained and forwarded to this office for record.</p>
9	Mode of selection	The written examination will be conducted in Computer Based Test mode. The duration of CBT examination will be 2 hrs.All the staff who have volunteered and fulfill the eligibility conditions prescribed thereon would be subjected for a selection. The candidate has to obtain a minimum of 60% marks in professional ability for further selection process.As Tech.III/Telecom of S&T dept. are classified as " safety category posts ", there is no relaxation in the qualifying marks of employees belonging to the category of SC/ST.
10	Computer Based Test (CBT) Examination	<p>(i) The selection consists of CBT examination. The Question Paper will be 100% Objective type multiple choice questions.</p> <p>(ii) In terms of PBC.No.205/2016, 10% of the total marks will be from Official Language Policy and Rules (which will be optional).</p> <p>(iii) In terms of Railway board letterNo.E (NG) 1/2018/PM 1/4 dated 14.11.2019 (RBE 194/2019) there will be <u>negative marking @ 1/3 mark for a wrong answer</u> for LDCE Selection where panel is arranged in the order of merit from those qualified.</p>
11	Supplementary examination	There will be no Supplementary written examination being an LDCE Selection.
12	Medical classification	BEE ONE (B-1) medical classification is required for the post of Tech III/Tele.

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13	Empanelment/ Training	<p>The final panel will be drawn up as per extant instructions amended from time to time including Trade Test.</p> <p>The selected staff shall undergo training for one year (52 weeks) out of which 17 week shall be institutional training and 35 weeks field training. (RBE 52/2024).</p> <p>As the final panel will be drawn on the basis of merit, there will be no classification as “Outstanding”.</p>
14	Notifying the staff	<p>Wide publicity should be given amongst eligible Assistants of S&T dept. of MAS divn. The copy of notification should be displayed on notice board at a conspicuous place. All i.e. Supervisors concerned should ensure the same.</p> <p>Staff who are 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 and should be forwarded to this office without fail.</p> <p>If any complaint is received from the employees for not being notified of the said notification, supervisory staff concerned will be held responsible.</p>
15	Method of applying	<p>Employees eligible should submit their applications “on-line” in the portal https://pbmas.in/notifications/ Of the Chennai Division.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fill in the details as asked for in the online portal. 2. Download the filled in application. 3. Affix photograph, sign and date. 4. Get it forwarded by the respective supervisor/controlling officer with sign and seal. 5. Attach the relevant enclosures, scan all documents into a single pdf and upload in the portal before closing date and time. <p>On-line registration: Opening Date: 28.08.2025 10.00 hrs Closing Date: 12.09.2025 23.59 hrs</p> <p>Please note that physical application (in paper format) will not be accepted and will be rejected summarily.</p>
16.	Invalid Application	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applications not uploaded within the closing time/date. 2. Application without signature or with signature in capital letters. 3. Application uploaded without sign and seal by the Supervisor/Controlling officer as applicable. 4. Application without mandatory enclosures. 5. Variation in the information furnished in the application versus the documents enclosed. 6. Leaving any column blank in the application form. 7. Suppression of facts or furnishing false information in application. 8. Any other irregularity.
17	The method of submitting application will be	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Employee should fill in the details in the on-line portal in the prescribed Proforma/format. 2. After completely filling the application, the application should be downloaded and forwarding signature of the supervisor should be obtained on the downloaded application. 3. After this, the application should be scanned and uploaded in the website. 4. The employee should upload relevant document (Community

		<p>Certificate in case of SC/ST, Educational Qualification Certificates, in case PwBD employee, Disability certificate for 40% and above) with the application at the time of submission.</p> <p>5. 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.</p>
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General instructions

Employees may keep a constant watch in www.pbmas.in/notifications/ 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. Hence, they have to watch the updates at frequent intervals, which will be posted in the website (www.pbmas.in) regarding this selection. This notification is also available in Chennai division Personnel Department website at Railnet.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Encl. Annexure B

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CSTE/Projects & CSTE/Con/MS (incl. RE) – For kind information.

Sr. DSTE/I/MAS & Sr. DSTE/II/MAS

Dy. CVO/S&T-For kind information

All Supervisory officials of S&T Dept.- For necessary information & notice board display

Ch. OS/Esst/S&T Branch,

DS/SRMU, DS/DREU,

DS/AI-SC/ST-REA,

DS/AI-OBC-REA

Website of Personnel Department - For wide publicity.

ANNEXURE 'B'**Syllabus for LDCE for Centralized Computer Based Test (CCBT) for
Tech-III/Tele****I. GENERAL**

- ◆ Organization Structure of Railways and S&T Department.
- ◆ Organization Structure of S&T.

II. SAFETY

- ◆ Passenger Safety by duly following Safe working Rules
- ◆ Personal safety while working on the Railway Track, RE area, LC gates
- ◆ Fire Safety-Automatic Fire Detection & Suppression System
- ◆ First aid and cleanliness.
- ◆ Knowledge of Hand signals.
- ◆ Emergency Socket (EMC), Connecting telephones, usage of Mega phones, satellite phones, Protection of evidence at accident sites.

III. TRAIN OPERATION

- ◆ Test room working, Control office working, Control Communication, Wayside Equipment, DTMF Equipment, VHF System, Walkie Talkie.

IV. TELECOM SYSTEMS

- ◆ Measuring equipment-Multimeter, Voltmeter, Cable Meggering equipment, Hydrometer, Earth tester
- ◆ Cable: Types of cable, colour coding, Insulation resistance value, Optical Fiber Cable & its splicing, Quad Cable & its Jointing,
- ◆ Power Supply System - Periodical maintenance of integrated power supply, chargers, inverters, battery bank
- ◆ Passenger amenities - Integrated Passenger Information System (IPIS), GPS Clocks, CCTV, PA System, ISS
- ◆ Periodic Maintenance and Breakdown of Electronic Exchanges, IP Exchanges, Telephone Instrument, Video Conference System, Tele Conference System, Railnet, TVs, Monitors, Computer System, Projectors, Smart TV, Cable TV System.