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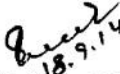
Kolkata, dated: 18/09/2014

**All Concerned**

**Sub:** Diploma courses offered by various institutions - regarding

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Copy of Railway Board's letter No. E(NG)II/2000/RR-1/79 dated 07.8.2014 on the above noted subject is appended below for information, guidance and necessary action. Board's earlier letters dated 14.3.2002 (RBE No. 34/2002) and 08.12.2011 (RBE No. 165/2011) referred to therein were circulated under this office serial nos. 74/2002 and 141/2011 respectively.

  
18.9.14  
(S. Ganguly)

Asstt. Personnel Officer/R & Bills  
for Chief Personnel Officer

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Copy of Board's letter No. E(NG)II/2000/RR-1/79 dated 07.8.2014 addressed to the GM (P), All Zonal Railways/PUs.

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Please refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 14/3/2002, as issued under RBE No.34/2002. Pursuant to references received from a few field units, the content of the letter ibid has been reviewed keeping in view the fact that viva-voce (Interviews) have been eliminated in recruitment from open market to various posts and also diploma/degree in Engineering obtained through distance mode are not accepted for employment on the Railways, as laid down vide this Ministry's letter issued under RBNo.165/2011 dated 8/12/2011. Accordingly, it has been decided not to give any preference to candidates with Diploma(s) from the said institutions, in direct recruitment and promotion.

Sd/- (Harsha Dass)  
Director Estt. (N)II/Railway Board

INDEX No.: 1051: No preference should be given to candidates with Diploma(s) obtained from various institutions, as mentioned in this office serial No. 74/2002, in direct recruitment and promotion.

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