

EASTERN RAILWAY

No. ME.370/Vocational Training/Pt. XVIII

Kolkata, dated the 19th Nov. 2024.

Divisional Railway Manager
Eastern Railway
✓ HWH / SDAH / ASN / MLDT

Chief Works Manager
Eastern Railway
LLH / KPA / JMP

Sub: Decentralization of short term (unpaid) Vocational Training.

Railway Board vide L/No. E(MPP)/2024/3/1 dated 22.04.2024 (copy enclosed), has directed the Zonal Railways to decide the numbers of internships which can be offered by each unit (Workshops/Divisions).

Now, the Competent Authorities (PCME/ER and PCEE/ER) have decided to decentralize the short-term vocational training (unpaid) (4 weeks / 28 days) for Mechanical & Electrical Engineering students, organized twice in a calendar year during summer & winter (puja) vacation, tentatively.

The terms and conditions, criteria will remain unchanged and continue to be followed as per the Railway Board's Office Memorandum No. E(Trg)83(28)/1 dated 21.04.1983, a copy of which is enclosed for ready reference.

In view of the above, it has been decided, that hereafter the said training will be conducted directly by the Divisions/workshops of this Railway. Personnel departments of establishment units should deal the matter in consultation with Sr. DEEs / Sr. DMEs or equivalent rank in workshops with the approval of DRMs / CWMs respectively.

Encl.: As stated (3 sheets).


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No. E(MPP)/2024/3/1

New Delhi, Dated: 22.04.2024

General Manager,
All Zonal Railways &
Production Units.
(As per standard mailing list)

Director General/RDSO

Sub: Short Term Practical Training Facilities (Unpaid) in Railway Establishments for Engineering Students during Summer & Winter vacations – A review of.

Ref: (i) O. M. No. E (Trg)/83/28/1 dt. 21.04.1983 (copy enclosed)
(ii) Board's letter no. E (MPP)/2006/3/37 dt. 21.02.2007 (copy enclosed)

Attention is invited to OM dt. 21.04.1983 (ref-i), vide which policy directives on abovementioned subject matter were circulated over All Indian Railways, including a statement on allotment of seats to Engineering degree and diploma holders, interested in Short Term Practical Training in Railway Establishments during Summer vacations.

2 Based on ER's reference to Board dt. 13.02.2007, a review of above policy directions was taken and accordingly, instructions were issued to ER vide Board's letter under ref (ii).

3 Now, it has been observed that the number of engineering colleges/ institutes as well as engineering students have increased manifold and a review of subject policy is necessary in present scenario

4 Accordingly, subject matter has been reviewed and with the approval of competent authority, it has been decided that Zonal Railways/PUs (including RDSO) may decide on such numbers of internships which can be offered by each unit (Workshops/ Divisions/ Departments in HQ etc), subject to terms & conditions stipulated in above referred OM & letter.

5 It is also informed that AICTE has developed a portal for such internships, which can be accessed as (i) student, (ii) institution where student is pursuing degree/diploma course or (iii) organizations which offer summer internships to such students, Zonal Railways/ PUs may utilize the portal to plan such internships. The link of AICTE portal for internships is <https://internship.aicte-india.org/>

6 Further, it may be advised to trainees that they will not claim any job on Indian Railways, based on such training only.

As above

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/BHARAT SARKAR
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS/RAIL MANTRALYA
(RAILWAY BOARD)

New Delhi, dated: 21.4.1983

Trg)83(28)/1

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subj: Short term practical training facilities
(unpaid) in Railway Establishment for Engineering
students during summer vacations

The undersigned is directed to refer to the Ministry of Education & Culture (Department of Education)'s D.O. No.F.8-2/3 dated 21st February, 1983 addressed to 'Shri R.D. Lakhanpal Joint Director, Establishment(T), Railway Board on the above subject and to say that the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) is to place at the disposal of that Ministry such short term practical training facilities as indicated in the statement attached for the students of Engineering Degree and Diploma courses for three years, i.e. 1983-84, 1984-85 & 1985-86 on the following terms and conditions:

i) Facilities will be offered to only those candidates who are still studying and not to those who have passed final examination and have left the institution

ii) No premium will be charged from the trainees.

iii) No remuneration in the shape of stipend, salary or allowances of any kind will be paid to the trainees by the Railway Administration. No passes or PTOs will be issued by them.

iv) The trainees will have to conform to all General rules and regulations of discipline and conduct at the Railway Administration concerned.

v) The Colleges or Institutions sending students for training will indemnify the Railway Admn. concerned for any loss or damage to equipment and fittings that may be caused by the trainees during the course of training in workshops, etc.

vi) The trainees will ^{not} be employees of the Railway Administration and as such will not be entitled to any compensation or damages from the Railway Admn. under the Workmen's Compensation Act or otherwise for any injury to them or their property howsoever caused and that will not amke any claim thereof.

- vii) The trainees will be under the control and discipline of the Works Managers concerned.
- viii) Medical facilities will be provided to the extent available and convenient free of charge in the Railway Hospital concerned in the same way as are available to the Railway employees except those indoor treatments which will be restricted to a period not exceeding 15 days &
- ix) Living accommodation will be provided, if available, to the trainees on payment of rent as for Railway employees.

R. D. Lakhanpal

(R.D. Lakhanpal)
Joint Director, Establishment(T)
Railway Board..

DA/as above.

The Ministry of Education &
Culture (Department of Education)
(Shri M.S. Srinivasan, Addl.App.
Adviser & Director(T),
(with 8 spares)
New Delhi.

No.E(Trg)-83(28)/1

New Delhi, dated: 24.4.1983

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the General Managers, All Indian Railways including CLW, DLW and ICF and Director General/RDSO/Lucknow.

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