

# SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY

Office of the Principal Chief Personnel Officer, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043

CENTRALISED NOTIFICATION FOR

RECRUITMENT OF SPORTS PERSONS AGAINST SPORTS QUOTA,

(OPEN ADVERTISEMENT) LEVEL-1 ON SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY FOR THE YEAR 2022-23

**Employment Notice No. SER/Pers/Sports Quota/OA/Gr. D/2022-23**

**Opening Date :03.05.2023**

**Closing Date: 02.06.2023**

**Time : 18:00 Hrs**

**Closing Date : 12.06.2023** (for residents of North Eastern states, Sikkim, Jammu & Kashmir, Lahaul & Spiti District and Pangri Sub- Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman & Nicobar Islands and Lakshwadeep.

Applications are invited from eligible sportspersons who are Indian nationals for PB-1 in scale Rs. 5200-20200/- with Grade Pay Rs. 1800/- against Sports Quota (Open Advertisement) for the year 2022-23 in South Eastern Railway for the vacancies indicated below:

## 1. DETAILS OF POSTS :

CATEGORY No.	POSTS in 7 <sup>th</sup> CPC/ GRADE PAY	NO. OF POSTS	DETAILS OF POSTS
1.	Group 'D' Level-1, GP- Rs. 1800/-	33 (Thirty Three)	In level-1 posts in any of the Units of South Eastern Railway.

## 2. DETAILS OF VACANCIES FOR THE YEAR 2022-23 :

Sl. No.	Name of the Sports	Sports Persons proposed to be recruited	Playing position/ Skill required
		Level-1	
1.	Athletics (Men)	04	100/200 Mtr-01, 400/800 Mtr-01, 400 Mtr. Hurdles-01, High Jump-01
2.	Bridge (Men)	02	Team Event
3.	Body Building (Men)	01	70 KG
4.	Cricket (Men)	04	Middle order Batsman-01, Middle order Batsman –cum-Spinner-01, Pace Bowler-01 & Batsman-01
5.	Football (Men)	04	Defender -01, Mid Fielder-01, & Forwarder-02
6.	Swimming (Men)	01	100/400 Mtr. (Breast Stroke)
7.	Tennis (Men)	01	Singles
8.	Volley Ball (Women)	06	Centre Blocker-02, Counter Attacker-02, Universal-01 & Libero-01
09.	Hockey (Men)	04	Forward -03 & Half-01
10.	Hockey (Women)	03	Forward -01, Mid Fielder-01 & Full Back-01
11.	Kabaddi (Men)	02	Raider-01, Left Cover-01
12.	Kabaddi (Women)	01	All Rounder
<b>Total =</b>		<b>33</b>	---
<b>TOTAL = 33 posts ( in Level-1, Rs. 5200-20200/- Grade Pay-Rs. 1800/-)</b>			

The quota is as under:-

Unit/Nos. Of vacancies						Total
Headquarters	Adra Division	Chakradharpur Division	Kharagpur Division	Ranchi Division	Kharagpur Workshop	
10	05	05	05	05	03	<b>33</b>

No post is reserved for SC/ST/OBC communities. The candidates having the required performance/achievement in the particular sports discipline will be selected on the basis of overall merit irrespective of their communities. However, the candidates may enclose self-attested photocopies of the communities they belong to. This is strictly required vide chapter 13 of the brochure (published by Govt. of India/Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievance of Pensions Deptt. of Personnel Training, New Delhi.) Xerox copy of caste certificate issued by the Competent Authority, not below the rank of Tehsilder in case of SC/ST/OBC communities. OBC candidates shall also submit OBC Non-Creamy Layer certificate in the Central Govt. format issued not before than 01 year by the competent authority.

### 3. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

3.1. Age Limits - Minimum 18 years and maximum 25 years as on 01.07.2023. There is no age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC candidates. Copy of Matriculation or its equivalent certificate from a recognized Board, OR the Birth Certificate should be submitted for proof of Date of Birth.  
(Date of Birth not below 01.07.2005 and not above 01.07.1998)

### 3.2. Required minimum Sports norms -

a) **Represented the Country** in any of the Championships/events in the Commonwealth Championship (Junior/Senior Category)/Asian Championship/ Asia Cup (Junior/Senior Category)/South Asian Federations (SAF) Games (Senior Category)/ USIC (World Railways) Championship (Senior Category)/ World University Games.

Or

b) **At least 3<sup>rd</sup> Position in Federation Cup Championships (Senior Category).**

Or

c) **Represented a State equivalent Unit, excepted in Marathon and Cross Country with at least 8<sup>th</sup> position in Senior National Championship.**

**NB** : The Sportspersons fulfilling the minimum Sports norms for recruitment in higher grades shall be eligible for recruitment in lower grades also. However such Sportspersons will be eligible for promotion/ re-appointment in higher grades only on the basis of his Sports achievement acquired after joining Railways.

(Authorities RBE : 189/2010, 128/2019, 03/2023 & 26/2023)

#### Additional acceptable Sports achievement eligibility norms for certain Sports discipline as mention below (Read with Para:3) :-

(a) In Tennis : Sportspersons may also be considered for recruitment on the basis of their Current Annual All India Rankings in Grade Pay Rs.1800/- and Pay Bands as per following criteria in pay Band PB-1 Rs.5200-20,200/- :-

Minimum Sports norms For Recruitment		
Age Category	Event	Current Annual All India Ranking
Seniors	Singles	Upto 30 <sup>th</sup> position

**IMPORTANT :** The applicant must have earned the achievements mentioned above, on or after 01.04.2020. The concluding day of the Championship/Event shall only be taken into consideration for this purpose. All the Championships/Events mentioned above should have been conducted under the aegis of recognized international/national /state sports federations/association and also recognized by the Railway Sports Promotion Board (RSPB).

**NOTES :**

- a) **Hockey** - Events recognized by the 'Hockey India' shall be considered for the purpose of recruitment in the discipline.
- b) **Cricket(Men)**- In Cricket, at National Level, following Sports achievements in 4 days/One day limited Overs/Twenty-20 Cricket Championships (except Vizzy Trophy) organized under the aegis of BCCI, including Col. C.K Nayudu Trophy (Under-25) may also be considered for recruitment.

Sl. No.	Details of Championships	Category	Minimum Sports norms for recruitment
i)	All India Inter State Elite & plate Group Championships	Senior/youth (U-25)/ Junior (U-19)	Participation in Elite or Plate Group Championships
ii)	All India Inter State Championships	Senior/Junior (U-19)	Participation in any stage
iii)	All India Inter Zonal Championships	Senior/Junior (U-19)	Participation

**3.3. List of Junior National Championships recognized by the RSPB -**

The following Junior National Championships in the respective disciplines are recognized by the RSPB for the purpose of para 3.2 mentioned above for determination of eligibility.

Srl. No.	Discipline & Category	Age group	Name of the recognized Championship
1.	Athletics (Men)	Under-20	Jr. National Athletics Championship
2.	Bridge (Men)	Under-25	Jr. National Bridge Championship
3.	Body Building (Men)	Under-21	Jr. National Body Building Championship
4.	Football (Men)	Under-19	Junior National Football Championship for B.C. Roy Trophy.
5.	Swimming (Men)	Under-17	Jr. National Aquatics Championship
6.	Tennis (Men)	Under-18	Adidas Jr. National Tennis Championship
7.	Volley Ball (Women)	Under- 19	Jr. National Volley Ball Championship
8.	Hockey(Men)	Under -21	Jr. (under-21) National Hockey Championship
09.	Hockey (Women)	Under-19	Jr. National Hockey Championship
10.	Kabaddi (Men/Women)	Under-20	Jr. National Kabaddi Championship
11.	Cricket (Men)	Under-25	Col. C.K. Nayudu Trophy (Inter State Championship)
		Under-19	Cooch Behar Trophy (Interstate Championship)
			Vino Mankad Trophy (One day limited Over Interstate Championship)
			Vijay Hazare Trophy (One day Limited Over All India inter Zonal Championship)

### 3.4. Educational Qualification -

Candidates should possess requisite academic qualification while applying in response to the notification as given below. Those who are appearing at and/or awaiting results of final examinations are not eligible.

Posting Pay Matrix (7 <sup>th</sup> CPC)	Grade Pay	Minimum prescribed Educational Qualification
Level-1	Rs. 1800/-	Matriculation Passed or ITI Passed or equivalent

Note: i) No relaxation in minimum educational qualification shall be permissible.

ii) Candidates must mandatorily submit photocopy of relevant documents in support of their educational qualification while filling up the application form and the original of educational qualification certificate must be produced on the day of Trials.

### 4. HOW TO APPLY -

#### 4.1 Examination Fees -

(i) The Examination fee as detailed below to be paid by way of IPO or Bank Draft. Date of issue of IPO / Bank Draft should not before the date of this notification.

(a)	For candidates belonging to UR/OBC	Rs.500/- (Rupees Five hundred only)
(b)	For candidates belonging to SC/ST/ Ex. Servicemen/Persons its Disabilities (PWDs), Women, Minorities and Economic Backward Classes.	Rs. 250/- (Rupees Two hundred Fifty only)

Bank Draft/IPO should be issued in favour of - **FA&CAO, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach - 700043, payable at GPO/Kolkata.**

(Candidates must write their name, full address at the space provided in the IPO. Applications received with cash / Money Order/ Central Recruitment Fees stamps /Cheque will not be accepted and hence will be rejected.)

(ii) For claiming waiver of examination fee, minority candidates should furnish 'Self declaration' as mentioned in Annexure-III along with the application form Minority candidates shall also be required to furnish an affidavit sworn before an Executive Magistrate of their belonging to minority community. Minorities will mean Muslims, Christians, Sikhs, Buddhists, Zoroastrian (Parsis).

(iii) Economically Backward Classes will mean the candidates whose family income is less than Rs.50,000/- per annum and income certificate for this purpose should be issued from the specified Authority and on the specified Format as per Annexure-II.

(iv) Rs.400/- to UR/OBC and Rs.250/- to SC/ST/ Ex. Servicemen/ Persons with Disabilities(PWDs), Women, Minorities and Economically Backward Classes will be refunded to those eligible candidates who will actually appear in the selection/trial.

#### 4.2 Instructions for filling up the Application Form:

(i) Candidates should carefully read the instructions mentioned hereunder before filling up the application form. The form can be downloaded from the official website of Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway, [www.rrcser.co.in](http://www.rrcser.co.in) (Annexure-I).

(ii) The candidate has to fill up required information in his/her own handwriting using blue / black ball point pen. The application should be filled either in English or Hindi but not in any other language. Application filled in any language other than Hindi/English and having any change in the format of application will lead to rejection of application summarily.

(iii) One recent passport size photograph (4cm x 5cm), preferably color, should be affixed on the application form without fail. The Photo may preferably be not older than 3 months as on the date of applying. The photo should clearly reveal the full face and should be taken without wearing cap and goggles/colored glasses. Photo should be new, sharp and clear, with light background, suitable for scanning and printing. Do not put any mark or signature on the front side of the affixed photograph. The photograph should be neatly and firmly pasted in the prescribed space, and not stapled or pinned. **Photograph should not be attested.**

(iv) One loose extra photograph with name, date of birth, and signature of the candidate written on the backside should be attached along with the application form.

(v) Signature of the applicant must be full and in running hand not in block capital letter or disjointed letters. Candidates are required to sign in English or in Hindi in the prescribed places provided in the application form along with the Annexures, wherever applicable.

(vi) While filling up of the application, candidates have to ensure that the signatures and two marks of physical identification (like a mole on the nose, cut-mark on the forehead in the left side or a scar mark below the left arm etc) are clearly given without fail. Candidates should also give two left thumb impressions in the application form. If the LTIs are not clear and are smudged, the application will be liable to be rejected.

(vii) Applicant should write on the top of the envelope containing the application as follows:

**“Application against Sports Quota (Open Advt.) Gr. ‘D’ recruitment for the year 2022-23.”**

(viii) Candidate should clearly indicate the specific sports discipline, event, and position applying for as given in Para-1 above. (e.g. Full Back / Forward etc).

(ix) Candidates should send their applications so as to reach at the address mentioned below at para 4.3 on or before the closing date and time. Railway administration shall not be responsible for any postal delay. Late applications would be summarily rejected.

(x) Only international numerical like 1,2,3 etc should be used.

(xi) Candidate should write his/her name, father’s name / husband’s name in capital letters as given in Educational Certificate.

(xii) Candidates should also indicate other particulars as have been asked in the application form and the Annexure as well, wherever applicable.

(xiii) Selected candidates are likely to be posted anywhere on South Eastern Railway after successful completion of all pre-appointment formalities, including training wherever prescribed.

(xiv) Before applying for a post, the candidate should ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility and other criteria stipulated for the post. The Railway Administration would be free to reject any application not fulfilling the requisite criteria at any stage of recruitment and if erroneously appointed, such candidate is liable to be summarily removed from services even after appointment.

(xv) In case of serving employees, a ‘No-Objection Certificate’ from the employer should be attached.

(xvi) Those candidates who are debarred from appearing in any of the RRB/RRC exams need not apply unless their debarment period is over by the closing date of this Employment Notification. Otherwise, their applications shall not be entertained.

(xvii) Applicant should enclose with the application a set of legible, self attested photocopies of all certificates, in proof of educational qualification, age, ST/SC/OBC status etc.

(xviii) The candidates seeking fees exemption, for being from economically backward classes, must get the Annexure-II filled up and certified by the proper authority as mentioned therein. Minority candidates have to make a self declaration in the format as in Annexure-III for claiming waiver of examination fees. And such candidates are to furnish a Minority Community declaration affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.10/- sworn before an Executive Magistrate establishing their belonging to minority communities.

**Note:** Kindly bring original documents of Date of Birth, Educational Qualification and Sports Achievements and Identification proof on the day of Trial without which you will not be allowed to appear in the selection. No TA/DA/Accommodation will be given for appearing in the selection trial. You will have to bring your own kit. You may also be required to stay during the selection for 2-3 days for which you have to make your own arrangements. **All documents enclosed with the application form must be self attested.**

**4.3. Address for submitting applications:** Candidates should send their applications, filled in all respects along with the **self attested** enclosures and Annexures duly certified, by Post, to the address mentioned below. Alternatively, candidates can also drop their applications directly in the **Drop Box** placed at the office premises:

Filled in applications should be sent to	
<b>The Chairman, Railway Recruitment Cell, Bungalow No.12A, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043 (Near BNR Central Hospital).</b>	
<b>Drop Box</b> has also been provided in the RRC office building for dropping the application forms.	
The applications should be sent in a closed envelope with superscription <b>“Application against Sports Quota (Open Advertisement) Gr. ‘D’ recruitment for the year 2022-23”</b> .	

## **5. SELECTION PROCEDURE:**

Selection will be based upon performance in sports Trials followed by Certificate (Sports & Educational) Verification by a duly constituted Recruitment Committee of this railway. The venue & date for Trials and Certificate Verification will be intimated to the eligible candidates in due course.

### **5.1 Distribution of Marks:**

Maximum marks which can be awarded by the Trial Committee for performance during Trial and Recruitment Committee during Certificate Verification Stage, shall be as follows:-

SI No.	Attributes	Maximum Marks
1	Recognized sports achievement as per norms	50
2	Games skill, physical fitness and coach's observation during Trial	40 (Minimum marks for qualifying - 25)
3	Educational Qualification	10
	TOTAL	100

## **5.2 Minimum Qualifying marks:**

Sl No.	Pay Band	Grade Pay (in Rs.)	Minimum qualifying Marks (out of 100)
1	PB-1	1800	60

**5.3** (i) The Recruitment process is based purely on the merit of the candidates as per vacancies, in a particular discipline, notified. Canvassing in any form will attract disqualification. In case more than one sportspersons score the same mark in a given discipline, preference would be given to the younger candidate to decide the merit.

(ii) The Railway Administration has all rights reserved to fix any date, as deemed suitable, change of place or postponement of Trials at its own convenience, which can also be cancelled due to unforeseen exigencies against which no claim will be accepted.

## **6. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

(i) Applications not fulfilling any of the terms and conditions given in this notification shall be summarily rejected.

(ii) Applicant should possess requisite educational qualification and sports achievements on the date of submission of application.

(iii) Discrepancies in the application submitted would render the candidate ineligible at any time during the selection.

(iv) Eligible applicants will be issued with call letters to their correspondence address, for the sports trials. South Eastern Railway will upload the list of eligible and ineligible candidates in the website of Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway website address [www.rrcser.co.in](http://www.rrcser.co.in) for general information and viewing. Individual requests for change in dates / venue for trials etc. shall not be entertained under any circumstances. After trial, only the FIT candidates shall be considered for the next stage. Candidates declared NOT FIT by the Trial Committee will not be assessed further by the Recruitment Committee.

(v) SC/ST candidates will be eligible for free rail travel in second class for attending Sports Trials.

(vi) Selected candidates have to pass the requisite medical fitness standards prior to appointment.

(vii) Selected candidates will have to submit 'Service Bond' requiring them to serve 5 years with the railway.

(viii) Decision of South Eastern Railway in all matters relating to this recruitment shall be final.

(ix) The candidates applying for the posts against the said Notification should keep track of the Sports Trial date(s) which will be notified through the official website of South Eastern Railway. In case applicant does not receive the call letter 5(five) days before the notified Sports Trial date(s) due to postal delay, the applicant should report to the Chairman/Railway Recruitment Cell, in person for duplicate call letter at least one day before the Sports Trial date(s). Duplicate call letter will be issued on production of original photo Identity Card i.e. Aadhar Card, Voter Identity Card, PAN Card, Passport or Driving License.

(x) No other intimation of rejection, other than uploading the list in the above mentioned website, would be communicated to ineligible candidates.

(xi) Candidates may download recruitment notification and application form available on Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway website address [www.rrcser.co.in](http://www.rrcser.co.in).

**6.1** For any legal dispute, the jurisdiction will be the Central Administrative Tribunal, Calcutta.

**7.CAUTION:** Recruitment is purely merit based. South Eastern Railway have not appointed any agent or coaching centre for acting on its behalf for this recruitment. Candidates are cautioned against any false claims made by any unscrupulous persons/agencies of getting them selected in this recruitment on illegal consideration. If they come across any such persons/agencies, please do inform to Chairman, Railway Recruitment Cell, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043. They can also inform to the Sr. Dy. General Manager, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043.

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**CHAIRMAN, RAILWAY RECRUITMENT CELL**  
**SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY**



**Format for Application  
South Eastern Railway**

**Application for recruitment against sports quota for (Open Advertisement) in the year 2022-23  
Employment Notice No. SER/Pers/Sports Quota/OA/Gr.D/2022-23 Dated:03.05.2023.**

Category applied for : **Level-1, GROUP-D**

Name of the Sports Discipline:

To

The \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(To be addressed as mentioned  
in the Para-4.3)

Affix  
photograph

1. Name (in block letters) : \_\_\_\_\_  
(in English/ Hindi)
2. Sex: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Father's Name : \_\_\_\_\_
4. Address for communication  
(in English only, mentioning District & State) : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PIN Code : \_\_\_\_\_

5. Contact No. : i) Mobile NO \_\_\_\_\_, ii) E- Mail - \_\_\_\_\_

6. (a) Date of birth : \_\_\_\_\_  
(Enclose self attested certificate)

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(b) Present age as on **01.07.2023**

Days

Months

Years

7. Nationality : \_\_\_\_\_
8. Educational qualification : \_\_\_\_\_  
(Enclose Self-attested certificates)
9. Community (SC/ST/OBC/UR) : \_\_\_\_\_  
(Enclosed self-attested Caste certificate, if any)
10. Game : a) Name of Sports Discipline : \_\_\_\_\_

b) Playing position : \_\_\_\_\_

11. Brief of Sports Achievements: **2020-21**  
(Enclose copies of Self-attested certificates for the Championships concluded on or after 01.04.2020 to till date)
- (i) \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**2021-22**

- (i) \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**N.B. Copies of Certificates from the recognized Sports Bodies may be attached.**

12. Personal marks for identification:

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(please specify in detail the position of identification mark in the body)

13. Bank Draft/Postal Order: Amount Rs \_\_\_\_\_ Issued by \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are you working in any Govt./PSU Organization : \_\_\_\_\_  
(If yes, then application should be sent through proper channel with NOC )

15. Nearest Railway Station & Zone : \_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration:** I hereby declare that whatever stated above in my application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. If anything is found incorrect or false or myself being not eligible in terms of eligibility criteria, my candidature is liable to be rejected and if any mistake is detected after my selection and appointment, my service is liable to be terminated, without assigning any reason.

Total No. of Enclosures: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Left Thumb Impression:  
(of the applicant) →

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**(Signature of the applicant)**

FORMAT OF INCOME CERTIFICATE FOR WAIVER OF EXAMINATION  
FEES FOR ECONOMICALLY BACKWARD CLASSES/SECTIONS  
(To be issued on the letter Head of the Issuing Authority mentioned below)

1.	Name of the candidate	
2.	Father's / Husband's name	
3.	Age	
4.	Residential Address	
5.	Annual Family Income (In words and figure)	
6.	Date of issue	
7.	Signature of issuing authority	
8.	Stamp of issuing authority	

(Name of the issuing authority)

**NB:** Economically Backward Classes will mean the candidates whose family income is less than Rs.50,000 /- per annum.

The following authorities are authorized to issue income certificate to be issued on the letter head of the issuing authority for the purpose of identifying economically backward classes/sections: -

- 1) District Magistrate or any other Revenue Officer upto the level of Tehasildar.
- 2) Sitting Member of Parliament of Lok Sabha for persons of their own Constituency.
- 3) BPL Card or any other certificate issued by Central Government under a recognized poverty alleviation programme or Izzat MST issued by Railways.
- 4) Union Minister may also recommend, for any persons from anywhere in the country.
- 5) Sitting Member of Parliament of Rajya Sabha for persons of the district in which these MPs normally reside.

**SELF DECLARATION OF MINORITY CANDIDATES**

**FOR WAIVER OF EXAMINATION FEES**

Proforma for declaration to be submitted by Minority candidates along with the application for the post(s) against Employment Notice No.SER/Pers/Sports Quota/ OA/Gr. 'D'/ 2022-23 dated: 03.05.2023.

**DECLARATION**

I \_\_\_\_\_ son/daughter/wife of Sri/Smt.  
\_\_\_\_\_

Resident of village/town/city \_\_\_\_\_ district \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare that I belong to the \_\_\_\_\_

(Indicate minority community notified by Central Govt. i.e. Muslim/Sikh/Christian/ Buddhist/Parsis).

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of the candidate \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of the candidate \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** At the time of document verification, during Trial and Interview, such candidates claiming waiver of Examination Fees will be required to furnish 'Minority Community declaration' affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.10/- (Ten) that he / she belongs to any of the Minority Community notified by the Central Government (i.e. Muslim/Sikh/Christian/ Buddhist /Parsis).

The exact date and venue of the trial and certificate verification of the concerned discipline will be intimated by the concerned authorities to the eligible candidate through call letter.