

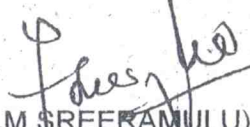
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Copy of Board's letter No.E(NG)II/2009/RR-1/10/Pt dated 12.03.2012 is forwarded for information, guidance and necessary action. Board's letters dated 18.07.2005 and 09.12.2010 quoted therein were circulated under SC Nos.126/05 and 186/2010, respectively. ***This circular is also available on the website and can be accessed at the address www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in.***


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SPO/Rules

Sd/- For Chief Personnel Officer

Copy of Board's letter No. No. E(NG)II/2009/RR-1/10/Pt dated 12.03.2012 [RBE No.31/2012]

**Sub: Recruitment to posts in Pay Band -1 of ₹5200-20200
(Grade Pay: ₹1800) on Indian Railways.**

In pursuance to instructions contained in Board's letter of even number dated 9.12.2010 enhancing the prescribed qualification for recruitment of staff from open market in Pay Band -1 of ₹ 5200-20200 (Grade Pay: ₹1800) from 8th Pass to 10th Pass or ITI or equivalent, it has been decided by the Board that para 7.2 of Annexure - I to Board's letter No.E(NG)II/96/RR-1/62 dated 18.7.2005 will henceforth be read as under:-

7.2. Question paper for the Written Test shall be based on 10th class standard consisting of 150 multiple (four) objective type questions aimed to assess general knowledge/ awareness, mathematics and reasoning etc. No question shall be asked for checking proficiency in language. Question paper should be entirely objective and shall be printed in Hindi, English, Urdu and regional language (s). The duration of the Written Test shall be 2 (two) hours.

2. It has further been decided that procedure applied in open market recruitment exercises conducted successfully recently be adopted in the forthcoming exercise also for open market recruitment to posts in PB-1 (Grade Pay: ₹ 1800). General Managers are to ensure that Railway Recruitment Cells are strengthened sufficiently by providing accommodation, equipment, vehicles, security, manpower etc. Also, adequate check and balances be ensured for smooth conduct of recruitment exercise without any problem.

Sd/-
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126/05 186/10	Recruitment to posts in Pay Band -1 of ₹5200-20200 (Grade Pay: ₹ 1800) on Indian Railways: Para 7.2 of Annexure-I to Board's letter dated 18.7.2005 [SC No. 126/05] has been modified : 1] the question paper for written test should be based on 10 th standard 2] the question paper should be printed in Urdu in addition to Hindi, English, and regional language[s].	31/2012