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Notice No. RRC/ER/Cultural Quota/ 2025-26/(Open Advt.) (407)

Date:25/11/2025

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**Cultural Quota (Open Advertisement) Recruitment.**

**Notification No: RRC/ER/ Cultural Quota /2025-26/(Open Advertisement)**

In continuation to **Employment Notification No. RRC/ER/Cultural Quota/2025-26/(Open Advertisement)** dated **15.07.2025**, applications for the said recruitment were earlier invited **through offline mode only**, wherein candidates were required to submit their applications physically in the **drop box** provided at the office of **Railway Recruitment Cell, Eastern Railway (RRC/ER)**. The process of receipt, scrutiny, and tabulation of these offline applications has already been completed.

1. In order to ensure **wider outreach and accessibility** to eligible candidates across the country, the **Administration has decided to provide another opportunity** by inviting applications **through online mode** for the same recruitment cycle.
2. Accordingly, a **continued Employment Notification for online applications** will be issued **shortly**, bearing the **same Notification Number and Recruitment Cycle** as mentioned above. The online notification will contain **detailed instructions**, including **link, schedule, and guidelines** for filling up the online application form.
3. The **eligibility criteria, age limits, educational qualifications, cultural achievements, and other terms and conditions** shall **remain unchanged** and as such the same criteria has been mentioned in the continued notification as well.
4. **Candidates who have already submitted their applications through offline mode in response to the Employment Notification dated 15.07.2025 and are provisionally eligible to appear in the written examination need not apply again through the online application process, as their applications will remain valid and will be processed as per the existing recruitment procedure. The list of such provisionally eligible candidates is available on the official website of RRC-ER (www.rrcer.org) vide Notice No. RRC/ER/Cultural Quota/2025-26/(Open Advt.) (406) dated : 21/11/2025.**
5. The facility of online application is being provided **only for those candidates** who could not apply earlier through offline mode due to physical submission limitations.
6. The **opening and closing dates** of the online application window will be mentioned in the continued notification (i.e. for online Applications) which will be published on the official website of **RRC/ER (www.rrcer.com)**. Candidates are advised to **regularly visit the official website** for updates and instructions.
7. Applications received through **both offline and online modes** will be **compiled and processed together** under the same recruitment cycle to maintain uniformity and fairness. Any case of **duplicate submission** (both offline and online) by the same candidate may result in **rejection of all applications** from that candidate.
8. No other modification in the **quota distribution, number of posts, or examination process** has been made. The **Stage-wise examination and selection procedure** will be **common for all eligible candidates**, irrespective of the mode of application.
9. Except for permitting submission of applications online, all other terms and conditions of Notification No. RRC/ER/Cultural Quota/2025-26 (Open Advertisement) dated 15.07.2025 remain unchanged.

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