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No.RC1/1800/2025/GA

Dated: 21.07.2025.

To

The Chairpersons of All Major Port Authorities (Except KPL)

CORRIGENDUM

Sub: **ESTT. – Filling up of the post of Chief Mechanical Engineer (HOD) in the scale of pay of Rs.100000-260000 (Revised) (Pre-revised R.43200-66000) by Composite Method of Recruitment in M. & EE Department, Chennai Port Authority – Regarding.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to our Vacancy Circular No.RC1/1800/2025/GA dated 16.07.2025, for filling up of the anticipated vacancy for the post of Chief Mechanical Engineer (HoD) (Class I) in Chennai Port Authority by Absorption through Composite Method. The last date of submission of Application in OAP for the said notification was fixed as **01.09.2025.**

It is intimated that the RR with respect to “**For Absorption through Composite Method**” mentioned at Column No.12 of the above notification i.e. “**In case of promotion / transfer / absorption / deputation, grades from which it should be made**” may be read as follows:

For Absorption through Composite Method

- Officers holding posts in the scale of pay of Rs.90000-240000 (Pre-revised Rs.36600-62000 / Rs.17500-22300) with two years regular service; or
- Officers holding posts in the scale of pay of Rs.80000-220000 (Pre-revised Rs.32900-58000 / Rs.16000-20800) with 3 years regular service in the Mechanical & Electrical Engineering Department and Marine Department (applicable to categories of Marine Engineers only) of a Major Port Authority shall be eligible.

The last date of submission of application in OAP is further extended upto **04.09.2025.** The application may be submitted through Online Application Portal (OAP) of the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways website. The administrative Ports are required to forward the applications of the candidates along with the documents mentioned in on or before **19.09.2025.**

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Officers / candidates already applied against the notification dated 16.07.2025 need not to apply again.

All the other terms and conditions mentioned in the Vacancy Circular No.RC1/1800/2025/GA dated 16.07.2025, shall remain unaltered, which may kindly be noted.

Yours faithfully,

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SECRETARY

Encl.: Copy of eligibility criteria duly incorporating
MoPSW guidelines dated 19.08.2019 & 19.11.2019

Copy to:

1. **The Secretary to the Govt. of India,** Kind Attn.: **Shri Devendra Kumar,**
Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Deputy Secretary (PHRD)
Waterways,
Ports Wing, New Delhi -110 001.
2. **All HoDs of ChPA** with the request to circulate among the
Officers of Chennai Port Authority

RECRUITMENT RULES FOR THE POST OF CHIEF MECHANICAL ENGINEER

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	No. of posts	Classification	Scale of Pay (Rs.)	Whether Selection or Non-Selection	Upper Age limit for direct recruitment (in years)	Educational and other qualifications prescribed for direct recruitment	Whether (a) age (b) Educational qualifications (c) experience for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotion / absorption / deputation	Period of Probation (in years)	Method of recruitment (whether by direct recruitment or by promotion / transfer / absorption / deputation)	In case of promotion / transfer/absorption / deputation, grades from which it should be made	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
5	Chief Mechanical Engineer (Category-I Ports)	1	Class I (HOD)	100000-260000	Selection	45	Essential:- i) Degree or equivalent in Mechanical / Electrical/Electronics & Communication Engineering/Naval Architecture from a recognized university/ institution or MOT 1 st Class Motor Certificate issued under Merchant Shipping Act, 1958. ii) Seventeen years experience in managerial capacity dealing with Mechanical / Electrical/Marine/ Electronics Engg Works, out of which 10 years experience shall be in workshops undertaking maintenance of cargo handling equipment/electrical installation/ship repairs in any Major Port Trust/Industrial/ Commercial/Govt. undertaking.	(a) No. (b) Yes (c) No	N.A.	By absorption through composite method of recruitment i.e. through promotion / transfer / deputation on absorption basis failing which deputation and failing both by direct recruitment. The promotion / transfer / on absorption will be from the officers from Major Port Trusts.	* For absorption through composite method, a) Officers holding posts in the scale of pay of Rs.90000-240000 with two years regular service; or b) Officers holding posts in the scale of pay of Rs.80000-220000 with 3 years regular service in the Mechanical & Electrical Engineering Department and Marine Department (applicable to categories of Marine Engineers only) of a Major Port Authority shall be eligible. For deputation, officers holding analogous posts or officers holding post of Chief Mechanical Engineer and equivalent posts in the Mech. & Elec. Engg Dept in the scale of pay of Rs.100000-260000 (pre revised Rs.43200-66000 / Rs.18500-23900) with 2 years regular service in the grade or officers holding in the post of Deputy Chief Mechanical Engineer and equivalent posts in the Mechanical & Electrical Departments in the scale of Rs.80000-220000 (Pre revised	Elevation of Pay Scale from Rs.10000-260000 to Rs.120000-280000 shall be granted in terms of Ministry letter dated 19.11.2019 subject to the following conditions: (a) Recommendation of the Port Chairperson. (b) The APARs of the officer for last five years should not be below bench marks of "Very Good". (c) The officer should be clear from Vigilance angle. (d) Approval of Ministry.



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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
											Rs.32900-58000 / Rs.16000-20800) and above with 5 years regular service in the grade in Govt. / Semi Govt./PSUs or Autonomous Bodies (** other than Major Port Trusts) will be eligible. The selection is by merit for which the bench mark in overall grading in the ACRs will not be below "Very good".	

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- * RR is yet to be notified
- * As per MoS letter No.A-12023 /15 / 2018-PE-I dated 19.11.2019.
- ** As per MoS letter No.A-12012/02/ 2019-PE-I dated 19.08.2019.