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To,

Bejoy Bhasker  
Director (Technical) & Appellate Authority  
Cochin Shipyard Limited  
Administrative Building  
Cochin Shipyard Premises  
Perumanoor, Kochi, Kerala  
PIN-682015

**APPLICATION UNDER RTI ACT, 2005**

Respected Sir,

1. Enclosed please find an Indian Postal Order Bearing No. 61F780688 drawn in favour of Cochin Shipyard Limited, as prescribed fee for this RTI application.

2. It is requested that the following information may be provided pertaining to the selection for the post of Assistant Fire Officer vide Notification Reference No. CSL/P&A/RECTT/PERMANENT/SUPERVISORS 2023/11 dated 02 October 2024.

(a) A photostat copy of the Rank List of selected/shortlisted candidates of UR and OBC in above mentioned post.

(b) The criteria adopted for preparation of the Rank List.

(c) The educational qualifications of the selected/shortlisted candidates and a photostat copy of the relevant certificates.

(d) Details of the experience obtained by the selected/shortlisted candidates in the relevant field and a photostat copy of the relevant experience certificates.

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(e) Whether Ex-Servicemen who acquired qualification and obtained work experience during their service period in the relevant trade/discipline (**Notification Para G(C)(VII)**) are considered equivalent to the course conducted by the National Fire Service College, Nagpur (**Notification Para A, Sl. No. 6**) or not.

(f) If not, please quote the reasons for non-equivalency of qualification attained by Ex-servicemen during their service period.

(g) Whether any selected/shortlisted candidates have previous work experience at Cochin Shipyard Limited. If so, please provide details of their work experience.

3. It is requested to provide the information on priority.
4. Thanking you,



CSL/SEC/CS/CORRESP/RTI/2024/7

May 30, 2025

## **Sub: Information Under Right to Information Act**

Dear Sir,

1. Please refer your RTI request dated April 26, 2025 and received by the undersigned on May 02, 2025. The reply to the information sought under the said request relating to the selection for the post of Assistant Fire Officer as per CSL Vacancy Notification Ref No. CSL/P&A/RECTT/PERMANENT/SUPERVISORS/2023/11 dated October 02, 2024, is given below:

- (i) A photostat copy of the Rank List of selected/shortlisted candidates of UR and OBC in above mentioned post.

### **Reply**

, was selected to the post of Assistant Fire Officer against the OBC category. The UR post is unfilled as there were no other candidates shortlisted for selection.

- (ii) The criteria adopted for preparation of the Rank List.

### **Reply**

The Rank list was prepared as per Clause F (I) of the Vacancy Notification, which is reproduced below.

Rank lists of candidates who qualified in all the phases shall be prepared based on the total marks secured by the candidates in Phase I & Phase II. In case, same aggregate marks are secured by more than one candidate, marks scored in the discipline part of the Objective type test shall be the basis of determining the order of rank list. In case of a tie thereafter, relative merit shall be decided based on seniority in age.

- (iii) The educational qualifications of the selected/shortlisted candidates and a photostat copy of the relevant certificates.

### **Reply**

The educational qualification of the candidate selected for the above referred post is pass in SSLC and pass in Sub-Officers Course.

The certificates pertaining to the educational qualifications of the candidates are personal information related to a third party, the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest. The disclosure of such information is exempt pursuant to Section 8(1)(j) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 and hence, cannot be furnished.



- (iv) Details of the experience obtained by the selected/shortlisted candidates in the relevant field and a photostat copy of the relevant experience certificates.

**Reply**

The experience details of the candidate including the certificates thereon are personal information related to a third party, the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest. The disclosure of such information is exempt pursuant to Section 8(1)(j) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 and hence, cannot be furnished.

However, it is informed that the selected candidate has met the experience criteria prescribed for the above referred post i.e., "Seven years post qualification experience in Fire Fighting and allied Operations."

- (v) Whether Ex-Servicemen who acquired qualification and obtained work experience during their service period in the relevant trade/discipline (Notification Para G (C)(VII) are considered equivalent to the course conducted by the National Fire Service College, Nagpur (Notification Para A, Sl. No. 6) or not.
- (vi) If not, please quote the reasons for non-equivalency of qualification attained by Ex-servicemen during their service period.

**Reply (v) & (vi)**

As per Clause G (C)(vii) of the Vacancy Notification, Ex-servicemen claiming equivalency of qualification should produce certificate of equivalency or endorsement in the Discharge Certificate of the same with authority (refer order issued by the Govt. of India), should produce certificates indicating qualification and work experience in the relevant discipline in the Armed Forces, as proof of experience and produce the same during certificate verification process. They should produce experience certificate from the authorities concerned, failing which their candidature shall not be considered.

- (vii) Whether any selected/shortlisted candidates have previous work experience at Cochin Shipyard Limited. If so, please provide details of their work experience.

**Reply**

The selected candidate does not have previous work experience at Cochin Shipyard Limited (CSL).

2. If you are not satisfied with the above reply, you may prefer an appeal within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter to Shri Bejoy Bhasker, Director (Technical) & Appellate Authority, Cochin Shipyard Limited, Administrative Building, Cochin Shipyard Premises, Perumanoor, Kochi – 682015.

**Thanking You,**



**Yours faithfully,**

**Syamkamal N  
Company Secretary & CPIO**