
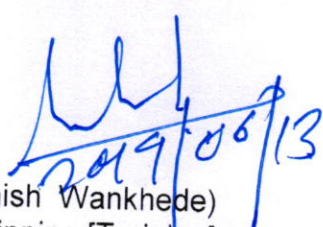


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|  | <u>DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF SHIPPING,</u> <u>GOVT.OF INDIA, MUMBAI</u> | IS/ISO Clause No.7.1 |
| Ref.:QMS - 7.0 Page 1 | Subject:-Age limits for admission in “Training for General Purpose Ratings” and “Certificate Course in Maritime Catering” | No. TR/Misc- 8(3)/2019-GP Rating |
| | Training Circular No. 10 of 2019 | Date : 13.06.2019 |

1. Whereas the minimum and maximum age limit for admission in “Training for General Purpose Ratings” course as per Section 3.1.2 of Training Circular 01 of 2018 dated 22 / 01 / 2018 is 17.5 years and 25 years respectively.
2. Whereas the minimum and maximum age limit for admission in “Certificate Course in Maritime Catering” course as per Section 2.2 of Training Circular 07 of 2010 dated 17 / 06 / 2010 is 17.5 years and 25 years respectively.
3. Noting that the minimum qualification for admission in the subject courses is tenth standard.
4. Noting that higher education and better skills shall improve the overall standards of Indian seafarers and improve their employability in the maritime industry.
5. The Directorate has decided to increase the maximum age limit for admission in “Training for General Purpose Ratings” and “Certificate Course in Maritime Catering” courses to 27 years for candidates holding a degree or a diploma. The Maritime Training Institutes admitting such candidates shall ensure that all these candidates are provided placement onboard for training within one year.

6. This Training Circular enters in to force with immediate effect.
7. This issues with the approval of the Director General of Shipping and Additional Secretary to the Government of India.


(Ashish Wankhede)

Deputy Director General of Shipping [Training]

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