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Sub: ADVERTISEMENT FOR ENGAGEMENT OF APPRENTICES
(Under the provisions of Apprentices Act, 1961, as amended in 1961, 1973 & 2014)

Format of advertisement of Engagement of Apprentices is placed in Para 2 below.

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CENTRE FOR HIGH ENERGY SYSTEMS AND SCIENCES (CHESS)

DRDO, MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

No. CHESS/75/75500/APPR/Advt-3/2025

ENGAGEMENT OF GRADUATE APPRENTICES (ENGINEERS)

(Under the provisions of Apprentices Act, 1961, as amended in 1961, 1973 & 2014)

Centre for High Energy Systems & Sciences (CHESS), Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), Hyderabad invites applications in process of engagement of apprentices for one year in the following disciplines/trades:

Sl. No.	Apprenticeship Category	Essential Qualification	Total Vacancies	Stipend (Per month)
1	Graduate (Degree) Apprentice	B.E / B.Tech in Computer Science & Engineering/ Communication & Computer Engineering / Computer Science & Information Technology / Computer Science & System Engineering / Computer Technology & Information Technology / Information & Communication Technology / Information Science & Engineering	02	9,000/-
		B.E / B.Tech in Electronics Engineering / Electronics & Tele-Communication Engineering / Instrumentation Technology / Electrical & Electronics Engineering / Electronics & Communication Engineering / Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering / Applied Electronics & Instrumentation / Control Engineering/ Electronics & Computer Engineering / Embedded System	03	
		B.E / B.Tech in Mechanical Engineering / Manufacturing Engineering / Manufacturing Process & Automation Engineering / Marine Engineering / Material Science & Engineering/ Mechanical & Production Engineering / Mechanical Engineering (Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning) / Mechatronics	03	
		B.E / B.Tech in Chemical Engineering / Chemical Technology	02	

2	Technician (Diploma) Apprentice	Diploma in Computer Science / Information Technology / Communication	05	8,000/-
		Diploma in Electronics / Tele-Communication / Instrumentation / Electrical & Electronics Engineering / Electronics & Communication Engineering	04	
		Diploma in Mechanical / Manufacturing / Production Engineering	05	
		Diploma in Chemical Engineering / Chemical Technology	01	

Application Procedure:

- (1) Before applying, the candidates should ensure that he/she fulfills the eligibility criteria and other norms mentioned in the advertisement.
- (2) Candidates for Graduate Apprentice (B.E / B.Tech) and Technician Apprentice (Diploma) are required to register in National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS 2.0) portal <https://nats.education.gov.in> , non – registered candidates will be rejected.
- (3) For downloading application form, candidates are advised to visit website link: <https://drdo.gov.in> and download the application form (Annexure-A).
- (4) The candidate may fill the application form (Annexure – A) complete in all respects and send it directly by email to hrd.chess@gov.in along with scanned copies of all the mandatory documents Incomplete application / documents will be rejected without any communication.
- (5) Candidates are required to bring a signed printout of the application along with the originals of the documents submitted online at the time of joining CHES, Hyderabad.
- (6) Reservation for SC/ST/OBC categories will be applicable as per provisions of Apprentice Act 1961, Apprentice Rules, 1992 and Apprenticeship (Amendment) Rules, 2015.
- (7) Last date for the receipt of application: 21 days from the date of advertisement in Employment News. Online Applications after the last date would not be accepted.

Terms & Conditions for selection of Apprentices:-

- (1) Selection will be made on the basis of Percentage of marks secured by candidates at essential qualification level.
- (2) Only pass-out candidates (passing their respective courses in 2022, 2023 & 2024) can apply. Candidates who have passed the qualifying examination earlier than 2022 are not eligible.
- (3) Candidates with post-graduate qualifications are not eligible to apply.
- (4) Those candidates who have completed the qualify examination as regular candidates are only eligible to apply.
- (5) Degree / Diploma holders, who had training or job experience for a period of one year or more after attaining the essential qualification, shall NOT be eligible for being engaged as an apprentice under the Act.
- (6) The period of training will be 12 months commencing from execution of the contract of Apprenticeship.
- (7) Applications belonging to SC, ST, OBC shall produce certificates in prescribed format issued by the competent authority.
- (8) Selected candidates have to submit the 'Medical Fitness Certificate' at the time of joining.
- (9) Verification of credentials shall be done for selected candidates prior to creation of contract only and incase of any deviation from or non-conformity with the desired qualification; candidature of the candidate shall be summarily rejected.
- (10) No TA/DA will be paid to the applicants called at any stage of the selection process.
- (11) Canvassing in any form will result in disqualification of candidature.
- (12) Suppression of facts will lead to disqualification at any stage of the selection process.
- (13) CHESS reserve the right to increase/decrease the number of seats for apprenticeship training.
- (14) CHESS reserve the right to withdraw/cancel the advertisement/selection process.
- (15) The apprentices will not be provided any quarters/hostel accommodations/transport by this establishment during the training period.
- (16) It may be noted that offer of training does not confer on trainees any right of absorption in DRDO.
- (17) Applicants are advised to visit website link: www.drdo.gov.in for any updates / changes.
- (18) All correspondence and query may be addressed to e-mail: hrd.chess@gov.in

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