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The Sr. General Manager/General Manager
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Sub. :- Clarification regarding Educational & others qualification for direct recruits in Semi-skilled grade.

Ref.:- OFB letter No. 570/A/I(PT)/54/Vol. IV/294 dated 06.01.11

Consequent upon the issue of revised guidelines for recruitment of Ex-trade Apprentices in OFs. vide OFB letter at reference, several factories have sought clarification regarding the educational qualifications for direct recruitment for the Annexure-A trades in SRO 185 of 1994.

- 02. SRO 185 of 1994 stipulates that the educational qualification for direct recruits for the trades at Annexure 'A', is National Council of Trades for Vocational Training certificates in the relevant trade failing which by ITI or equivalent Diploma/Certificate holder.
- O3. In view of the above said SRO provisions, the National Apprentice Certificate and National Trade Certificate issued by NCVT in the relevant trade can be accepted as the qualification required for direct recruitment to semi-skilled posts at Annexure 'A' to the said SRO. Further Degree and Diploma in Engineering cannot be accepted as qualification for Direct Recruitment to the semi-skilled posts. It is also clarified, that only when applicants with NCVT certificates as mentioned above are not available, then only applicants with ITI or equivalent Diploma/Certificate holders will be considered.

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