



KERALA MARITIME BOARD

(A Statutory Board of the Government of Kerala)

No.CMD/KMB/002/2024

24.07.2024

NOTIFICATION

In 2017, Government of Kerala enacted the Kerala Maritime Board Act 2017 and constituted the **Kerala Maritime Board (KMB)** by merging the establishments of Directorate of Ports, Kerala State Maritime Development Corporation Limited and Kerala Maritime Society. On behalf of the Kerala Maritime Board, the nodal agency for all maritime-related activities in Kerala, the **Centre for Management Development (CMD)** invites applications from qualified and competent candidates for appointment to the positions of **Chief Examiner (IV rule 2022), Examiner (IV rule 2022), Surveyor (IV rule 2022), Naval Architect, IV Exam Coordinator and Port Officer** on Contract Basis. Interested candidates may apply via ONLINE mode only by filling the prescribed application form given in the website of Centre for Management Development (CMD), Thiruvananthapuram (www.cmd.kerala.gov.in). The online application submission link will open on 24.07.2024 (10:00 AM). The last date for submitting online application is 08.08.2024 (5:00 PM).

The details regarding the qualification and experience required, number of vacancies, upper age limit, remuneration and mode of appointment are given below:

Sl. No.	Post	Qualification and Experience	Consolidated Monthly Pay	Upper Age Limit
1.	Chief Examiner (IV Rule 2022) (Vacancy: 01)	(a) Possesses a Ministry of Transport Master (Foreign Going) or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class I Certificate of Competency issued by Director General of Shipping with minimum 8 years experience as Certificated Officer on ships or State Maritime Boards or Director General of Shipping or Ports; Or (b) Possesses a Ministry of Transport First Mate (Foreign Going) or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class II Certificate of Competency issued by Director General of Shipping with minimum 10 years experience as Certificated Officer on ships or State Maritime Boards or Directorate General of Shipping or Ports; or (c) Possesses academic qualification of Secondary School Certificate (SSC) and above along with an Inland Vessel Master Class I or Inland Engineer Certificate with a minimum of 20 years of service onboard in inland vessels as Certificated Officer of	Rs. 75,000/-	58

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		<p>which at least 5 years shall be in the capacity of a Master or Chief Engineer.</p> <p>(d) Possesses a Master [Near Coastal Voyage Vessel (NCV)] or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class III (Near Coastal Voyage Vessel-Chief Engineer Officer) Certificate with a minimum of 20 years of sailing experience of which at least 5 years shall be in the capacity of Master or Chief Engineer.</p> <p>(e) Possesses qualifications as in (a), (b), (c) or (d) above and experience as a faculty or examiner in an Institute or Department approved by Competent Authority or Directorate General of Shipping or Mercantile Marine Department.</p> <p>Explanation - The tenure of experience as faculty or examiner may be counted towards shipboard or inland vessel experience required under clauses (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this sub-rule.</p>		
2.	Examiner (IV Rule 2022) (Vacancy: 01)	<p>(a) Possesses a Ministry of Transport Master (Foreign Going) or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class I Certificate of Competency issued by Director General of Shipping with minimum 5 years experience as Certificated Officer on ships or State Maritime Boards or Directorate General of Shipping or Ports;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>(b) Possesses a Ministry of Transport First Mate (Foreign Going) or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class II Certificate of Competency issued by Director General of Shipping with minimum 7 years experience as Certificated Officer on ships or State Maritime Boards or Directorate General of Shipping or Ports;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>(c) Possesses academic qualification Secondary School Certificate (SSC) and above along with an Inland Vessel Master Class I or Inland Engineer Certificate with a minimum of 15 years of service onboard inland vessels as Certificated Officer of which at least 5 years shall be in the capacity of a Master or Chief Engineer;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p>	Rs. 60,000/-	58

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		<p>(d) Possesses a Master [Near Coastal Voyage Vessel (NCV)] or Marine Engine Operator (MEO) Class III (Near Coastal Voyage Vessel -Chief Engineer Officer) Certificate with a minimum of 15 years of sailing experience of which at least 5 years shall be in the capacity of Master or Chief Engineer;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">And</p> <p>(e) Possesses qualifications as in (a), (b), (c) or (d) above and experience as a faculty or examiner in an Institute or Department approved by Competent Authority or Directorate General of Shipping or Mercantile Marine Department.</p> <p>Explanation - The tenure of experience as faculty or examiner may be counted towards shipboard or inland vessel experience required under clauses (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this sub-rule.</p>		
3.	Surveyor (IV Rule 2022) (Vacancy: 03)	<p>(a) Marine or Mechanical or Electrical Engineer or Naval Architect in possession of minimum First or Second-class Motor/Steam Ministry of Transport (MOT) Certificate issued by Director General of Shipping, Government of India or equivalent certificate recognized by the Government of India and 5 years of experience after first certificate of competency either in sea going regular vessels or Classification Societies or Ship Building yards or reputed International Shipping Companies or State Port Department or State Maritime Board or Directorate General of Shipping or Mercantile Marine Department</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>(b) Master Mariner (Foreign Going) with 2 years of sailing experience (shore experience will not be considered) in maritime training or marine survey after having obtained Master's certificate issued by Director General of Shipping, Government of India or equivalent international certificate</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>(c) Marine Engineer Operator Class III [Near Coastal Voyage Vessel (NCV) - Chief Engineer Officer] Certificate or Master (Near Coastal Voyage Vessel) certificate issued by the Director General of Shipping with minimum 10 years of sailing</p>	Rs. 60,000/-	58

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		<p>experience (shore experience will not be considered) of which at least 5 years' experience in the capacity of Master or Chief Engineer.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>(d) Inland Vessel Master Class I or Inland Engineer Certificate with a minimum of 15 years of service onboard inland vessels of which at least 5 years shall be in the capacity of a Master or Chief Engineer.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>(e) A basic Degree in Naval Architecture with 7 years' experience in sea going regular vessels or Classification Societies or Ship Building yards or reputed International Shipping Corporations or State Port Department.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>(f) Diploma in ship building with 15 years' experience in Sea going regular vessels or Classification Societies or Ship Building yards or reputed International Shipping Corporations or State Port Department.</p>		
4.	Naval Architect (Vacancy: 03)	<p>Degree in Naval architecture from recognised university with minimum 4 years' experience in ship/ boat/IVs/RSVs etc or Classification Societies or Ship building yards or reputed International Shipping Corporations or State Port Departments or Maritime Boards.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Should have 4 years experiences in preparing and approving design, drawing and experience conducting stability tests of vessels and proceed with the rest of the draft notification as it is.</p>	Rs. 60,000/-	58
5.	IV Exam Coordinator (Vacancy: 02)	MBA in any discipline with 5 years of experience.	Rs. 36,000/-	40

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6.	Port Officer (Vacancy: 01)	<p>A foreign going master's Certificate, granted by the Government of India or, its equivalent with command experience for one year.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>Must have served as Officer not below the rank of Lieutenant commander in the Indian Navy in the Executive Branch and must possess the certificate of service as Master (Foreign going) and not being in the active list thereof.</p> <p>Preferential: - Experience in piloting and/or dredging operation for one year or more.</p>	Rs. 75,000/- with perks such as Traveling & Daily Allowance, official transportation facility, staff quarters etc.	58

Instructions to Candidates

- Period of Contract to all Posts will be initially one year and are renewable based on Government Decision and Performance of the Candidates.
- **The Selected officials will be posted at any ports under KMB including the Head Quarters.**
- Cut-off date for calculating Age and Experience is on 24.07.2024.
- It shall be noted that admittance to various stages of the recruitment will be provisional only, and will not confer any claim unless various other conditions of selection processes are satisfied. Detailed scrutiny of the applications/credentials will be conducted before interview/appointment. Any discrepancy found during the detailed scrutiny will result in the rejection of candidature.
- Norms of selection will be as per those applicable for contract posts in the Government of Kerala.
- Age relaxation is applicable to SC/ST/OBC/PWD and other eligible category applicants as per Govt. of Kerala norms. Eligibility for age relaxation should be proven by producing necessary certificates from competent authority.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be intimated by email/SMS regarding further procedures. Hence, candidates must ensure that working email address and telephone/contact no. are being provided.
- The medium for all written tests if any will be English.
- KMB/CMD reserves the right to shortlist only a limited number of candidates for written test/technical presentation/technical interview/final interview, as the case may be for the post, based on marks secured in their qualifying examination and/or years of relevant experience. Candidates should clearly mention the marks scored in their qualifying examination in the application. The onus of proving the conversion from grade/CGPA to percentage of marks would rest with the candidate.
- Equivalency certificate of the respective University shall be produced for considering any other degree with reference to the notified degrees.

- Any type of canvassing for favouritism will be considered offensive and legal action will be taken against those who attempt to do so.
- In the event of any information provided by the candidate being found false or incorrect at any stage, their candidature/appointment is liable to be cancelled/terminated without any notice.
- KMB/CMD reserves the right to fill or not to fill the post advertised.
- Selected candidates should be ready to work in the offices/anywhere in Kerala, as required by the Chairman/CEO/Authorised Representative of KMB/CMD.

Authorised Signatory