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MAH-AR-CAT Notification

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COMMON APTITUDE TEST MAH-AR-CAT-2010 FOR ADMISSION TO FIRST YEAR OF FIVE YEAR DEGREE COURSE IN ARCHITECTURE

In pursuance of the Hon. Supreme Court of India, New Delhi in SLP (Civil) No 3964/2008 with Civil Appeal No. 364/2005, Dated 24/07/2008. Applications are invited from the eligible candidates for the admission to First Year of Five Year Degree Course in **Architecture** for the academic year 2010-2011 in Government, Govt. Aided, University Departments and Un-aided Institutes (Who have given consent to participate in CAP) approved by AICTE/COA in Maharashtra State.

Eligibility criteria for appearing to MAH-AR-CAT 2010

The candidates should be Indian National and must have passed the HSC (Std. XII) examination of Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education or its equivalent examination with **Mathematics** as the subject at HSC or Diploma (10+3 Level) or its equivalent examination and secured minimum 50% aggregate marks (45% aggregate marks for backward class category candidates from Maharashtra State only).

Eligibility criteria for Maharashtra State Candidate, J & K Migrant candidate, GoI nominee Candidate for admission to first year of degree course in Architecture through CAP :

Candidate should have obtained minimum 40% marks i.e. 80 marks out of 200 (minimum 35% marks i.e. 70 marks out of 200 in case of candidates of Backward class categories belonging to Maharashtra state only) at MAH-AR-CAT 2010.

Eligibility criteria for Admission to AIEEE Seats in Unaided Architecture Institutes

The Candidate must have passed AIEEE 2010 (Paper 2) Examination [both Maharashtra & OMS] with minimum 40% Marks in paper 2 are required to fill the online application form.

Scheme of MAH-AR-CAT 2010 Examination:-

The MAH-AR-CAT-2010 examination will consist of one common question paper of maximum 200 marks in the subjects of Aesthetic Sensitivity (100 marks) and Drawing (100 marks) to test the aptitude of the candidate for architecture degree course.

Availability of Information brochure along with Application Kit and other details

- Information Brochure along with Application Kit is available for sale at all designated Application Form Receipt Centres (ARCs) listed below.
- Prescribed Fees for application form is Rs. 700/- for all candidates and Rs. 500/- for reserved category candidates belonging to Maharashtra State only (i.e., Candidates having relevant backward class Caste Certificate issued by Maharashtra State authorities)
- Prescribed fees to be given in the form of D.D.(Demand Draft)/Pay Order only of any Nationalized/Scheduled/ Private sector commercial bank drawn in favour of "**Director of**

Technical Education, Mumbai” payable at Mumbai. No other mode of payment shall be permitted.

- It is mandatory for all candidates to procure the Information Brochure along with Application Kit and go through it carefully. The MAH-AR-CAT-2010 that will be conducted in pursuance of this advertisement is subject to the rules and regulations set out in this information brochure.
- This fee is non-refundable and non-transferable under any circumstances.
- Online Submission of the application form in response to this advertisement will amount to accepting the afore said rules & regulations unequivocally by the applicant and upon such submission it will be presumed that the **applicant agrees and accepts these rules & regulations as legal, valid and Correct.** It will not be open for any applicant, once having submitted the application form to Question the legality, validity and correctness of these rules & regulations.
- The Centralized Admission Process will consist of first 2 rounds of allotment and the third (i.e. last) round of counseling. Candidates are instructed to carefully read the Annexure-I of the Information Brochure to understand the eligibility criteria for participating in each round.
- The Maharashtra State Candidates belonging to VJ/DT, NT(B), NT (C), NT (D), OBC and SBC categories should produce **“Non Creamy layer Certificate”** issued by Sub Divisional Officer/Deputy Collector of the district in addition to the caste certificate. The “Non Creamy layer Certificate” should valid up to 31st March 2011. In case, if these candidates are not able to produce the Non Creamy layer certificate at the time of confirmation of admission form at ARC; then such candidates will be treated as **GENERAL** category candidates and such candidates will not be able to stake claim on reserved seats in the entire admission process.
- The Maharashtra State Candidates belonging to SC, ST, VJ/DT, NT(B), NT(C), NT(D), OBC and SBC categories should produce **“ Caste Validity Certificate”** issued by the Divisional/Regional caste Certificate Scrutiny Committee of the respective Division/Region & Social/Tribe Welfare Office at the time of confirmation of admission form at ARC; if any candidate could not produce Caste Validity Certificate then such candidate will have to give undertaking on the Non Judicial Stamp Paper of Rs. 100/- along with the receipt of application submitted to Caste Validity Scrutiny Committee.

Submission and Confirmation of online filled application form:-

- Aspiring candidates will be able to submit and confirm the Online Application form through the web site www.dte.org.in/arch through any computer connected to Internet.
- For the submission and confirmation of the online Application Form the candidates are required to use the Application ID and Password provided in the Application Kit. Candidates are also required to upload his/her photo and signature as per the instructions given in the Application Kit. Candidates are advised to preserve the Application Kit carefully and not to disclose the Application ID & Password to others to avoid impersonation.
- In order to take the printout of the Online submitted Application form and the printout of the Hall Ticket for the MAH-AR-CAT-2010, it is mandatory for all the candidates to confirm the Online submitted Application form and such applications only will be considered valid for further processing.
- It is mandatory for AIEEE Candidates to purchase application kit and confirm the Online Application form. Only such applications only will be considered valid for further processing.
- **Applications sent by Post/Courier etc. to ARCs/DTE office will be rejected and no communication in this regard will be done with the candidates.**
- **It should be noted that no documents are required to be submitted at this stage. Candidates are advised to keep the necessary documents ready at the time of Document verification stage as per schedule.**
- Candidate should report to the examination centre half an hour before the examination.
- Candidates may also approach designated ARC's to scan & upload photo, submit & confirm the Online Application Form. Candidates are required to pay facilitation/support charges of Rs. 50/- in cash towards scanning, printing etc. at these centers.

Schedule of Activities

Sr.No	Activity	Schedule	
		First Date	Last date
1	• Sale of Information Brochure along with Application Kit for all candidates at the designated ARC's	12/05/2010	20/05/2010 (Upto 5:00 PM)
2	• Submission and Confirmation of Online Application Form for MAH-AR-CAT 2010 through the web site www.dte.org.in/arch for Maharashtra State/AIEEE /OMS/J&K Migrants/ NRI /PIO/Foreign National /Foreign Students / Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries candidates • Candidates who have appeared for AIEEE (Paper 2) and aspiring to claim admission against AIEEE seats are also required to submit and confirm the online application form.		
3	Date & Timing of MAH-AR-CAT 2010	Sunday, May 30th, 2010 at 02.30 PM	
4	Declaration of result of MAH-AR-CAT 2010	15/06/2010 at 5.00 PM	

LIST OF APPLICATION FORM RECEIPT CENTERS (ARCs)

Sr.No	Name & Address of the Application form Receipt Centers
1.	St. Xavier's Technical Institute, Mahim Causeway Road, Mahim, Mumbai - 400016
2.	Vidya Prasarak Mandal's Polytechnic, Chendani, Bunder Road, Jnanadweep, College Campus, Thane- 400601
3.	Government Polytechnic, Near Thibaw Palace, Ratnagiri- 415612
4.	J J College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, Mumbai
5.	Marathwada Mitra Mandal's College of Architecture, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune - 411 004
6.	N.D.M.V.P.S.'s College of Architecture, Udoji Maratha Boarding campus, Gangapur road, Nashik
7.	S.S.B.T.'s College of Engineering and Technology, P.O.Box 94, C.O.E.T, Jalgaon- 425001
8.	Government College of Engineering, Osmanpura, Aurangabad- 431005
9.	Government Polytechnic, Veer Sawarkar Marg, Baba Nagar, Nanded- 431602
10.	Government Polytechnic, Vidyanager, Kolhapur- 416004
11.	Walchand Institute of Technology, Solapur- 413501
12.	Government College of Engineering, VMV Road, Near Kathora Naka, Amravati- 444604
13.	Government Polytechnic, Mangalwar Bazar, Nagpur- 440001

Late Submission & Confirmation of application form:-

The candidates who have failed to procure Information Brochure along with Application Kit, submit & confirm the online Application form on or before 20th May 2010 will be able to submit & confirm the Online Application form at following office by paying **Additional Late Fees of Rs. 500/- in cash** on **21st May, 2010** (Between 11AM-5PM), at the following address:

**Sir J. J. College of Architecture,
78/3, D. N. Road, (Near CST Railway Station)
Mumbai 400 001**

**Sd/-
(Dr. S. K. Mahajan)**
I/C Director, Technical Education,
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