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ADMISSION NOTIFICATION FOR FIRST YEAR OF ARCHITECTURE 2016-17

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (Mah. XXVIII of 2016), the Government of Maharashtra has notified the rules 'the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions to the Full Time Professional Undergraduate Technical Courses) Rules, 2016' to regulate the admissions to the First and Direct Second Year of Full Time Professional Undergraduate Technical Courses (Engineering and Technology, Pharmacy, Pharm D., Architecture, Hotel Management and Catering Technology). These rules are also applicable for admissions in Government and Government Aided institutions vide Government Resolution of Higher & Technical Education Department No. TEM-2016/CR 536/TE-4 Dated 15th March 2016.

This notification is being issued for Online Registration, Documents Verification and Application Form Confirmation at Facilitation Centers (FC) by candidates aspiring for admissions to **First Year of Full Time under Graduate Course in Architecture (B. Arch)** in the Government Aided and Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions for the Academic Year 2016-17 in the Maharashtra State. The Director, Technical Education shall act as a Nodal Officer to carry out the admissions under the supervision & control of the Competent Authority.

Aspiring candidates are hereby informed to read the aforesaid Act and Rules published on <http://www.dtemaharashtra.gov.in/arch2016>.

Eligibility Criteria for Admission according to various types of candidature:

Maharashtra State Candidates	Jammu & Kashmir Migrant Candidates	All India Candidates
(i) The Candidate should be an Indian National;		
(ii) Passed HSC or its equivalent with Mathematics and obtained at least 50% marks in aggregate (at least 45% marks in aggregate in case of candidates of Backward class categories and Persons with Disability belonging to Maharashtra State only) ; Or		
(ii) Passed (10+3) Full time Diploma examination recognized by All India Council for Technical Education or Central or State Government or its equivalent examination and obtained at least 50% marks in aggregate (at least 45% marks in aggregate in case of candidates of Backward class categories and Persons with Disability belonging to Maharashtra State only) with Mathematics as compulsory subject AND		
(iii) The Candidate should have obtained at least 40% marks at National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA), conducted by the Council of Architecture;		

Important Note:-

1. All types of candidates, including minorities, aspiring for admission under CAP seats, it is **mandatory** to get registered and get Documents Verified and Confirmed at Facilitation Center.
2. As per the Rule No 3 & 13 of the notified rules, candidates aspiring for admission for Institutional Quota, vacant seats after CAP, it is a **prerequisite & mandatory** to get documents verified and confirmed at Facilitation Centers.
3. Only those Candidates who have verified and confirmed documents at Facilitation Centers and having CAP Merit number shall be eligible for admission for all types of seats/quota.

Online Registration for Admission:- Availability of the Application Kit and Mode of Payment

- 1.1 It is mandatory for the aspiring candidates to purchase Application Kit form any Facilitation Center (FC) against the payment of Rs. 700/- in CASH for General Category & Outside Maharashtra State (OMS) candidates [Rs. 500/- for Reserved Category & Persons with Disability Candidates belonging to Maharashtra State only]. This fee is non-refundable and non-transferable under any circumstances.
- 1.2 The Application Kit consists of Application ID and Password, by which the candidate shall be able to fill the Online Application Form. It is necessary to get application kit online activated at FC from where it is purchased.

1.3 The candidates should apply online on www.dtemaharashtra.gov.in/arch2016 as per schedule

Schedule of activities

Sr. No.	Activity	Schedule	
		First Date	Last Date
For Maharashtra State/All India/J & K Migrant candidates			
1.	Sale & activation of Application kits at Facilitation Centers (FC) & Online registration of application for admission through computer connected to Internet on the website.	20-06-2016	27-06-2016
2.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documents verification, updating and confirmation of Application Form for Admission <i>in person</i> at FC. • J & K Migrant candidates should send the print of online filled application form & required documents by hand/speed post/courier for verification & confirmation to “Sir J.J. College of Architecture, 78 / 3, Dr. D.N. Road, Fort, Mumbai - 400001” (Candidates shall write on the envelope <i>“Application of J & K Migrant” for admission to Architecture</i>) 	20-06-2016	27-06-2016 Up to 5.00PM
3.	Display of the provisional merit lists on website.	up to 28-06-2016	
4.	Submission of grievance, if any, at FC	29-06-2016	30-06-2016 up to 5.00PM
5.	Display of the final merit lists for all types of candidates on website.	Up to 02-07-2016	

Important Instructions for candidate:

1. The List of the institutes identified as Facilitation Centers (FC) is available on the website.
2. The Information Brochure shall be given to the candidate free of cost at FC against the sale of application kit.
3. The candidates are required to produce the documents in original documents for verification and Confirmation of Application Form at FC.
4. Candidates are advised to keep the necessary documents ready and scan & upload all the documents.
5. If candidates fail to confirm online filled Application Form at FC, then such applications will be rejected and name of such candidates will not appear in the merit list(s) prepared for the purpose of Admission for both CAP as well as non CAP process.
6. The candidates belonging to SC, VJ/DT (NT (A), NT (B), NT(C), NT (D), OBC and SBC categories should produce “Caste Validity Certificate” issued by Scrutiny Committee of Social Welfare Department and the Candidate belonging to ST category should submit “Tribe Validity Certificate” issued by Scrutiny Committee of Tribal Department. All Backward Class candidates excluding SC & ST should produce Non Creamy Layer certificate valid up to 31st March 2017 at the time of verification of documents at FC, if these candidates are not able to produce the Non Creamy Layer certificate, then such candidates will be treated as GENERAL category candidates and such candidates will not be able to claim Reserved seats in the admission process.
7. Application received after the due date from candidates belonging to J & K Migrant will be summarily rejected and no correspondence will be entertained in this regard. Such Candidates will get the Receipt-cum-Acknowledgement through their login after verification & confirmation of application form.
8. Reserved category candidates unable to produce Caste/Tribe Validity Certificate are required produce Proforma H on Rs.100/- Non Judicial Bond Paper for verification.
9. Schedule for further activities like filling Online Options for Rounds, Allotment, Reporting for admission shall be declared later.. Refer Website : www.dtemaharashtra.gov.in/arch2016

General Notes:

1. Candidate can avail the facilities for filling online application form, scanning documents free of cost at Facilitation Centre (FC).
2. All FC's shall remain open on all days including holidays and Sundays for submission & confirmation of application form during the schedule.
3. The schedule displayed above is provisional and may change under unavoidable circumstances. The revised schedule, if any, will be notified on website. Please refer the website or contact the office of the Joint Director of Technical Education, Regional Offices or FCs or contact on helpline numbers 022-30233446 for further information.

Sd/-

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Commissioner & Competent Authority