ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA - ADMISSION TO SECOND YEAR B.E / B.TECH

A. Eligibility Norms:

Candidates satisfying the following rules alone are eligible for admission to Second year Lateral Entry B.E. / B.Tech. Degree Courses

i) Candidates claiming as belonging to Tamil Nadu will be considered under the respective community on production of necessary Community Certificate, provided they have qualified for the three year Diploma / B.Sc. in Tamil Nadu fulfilling the minimum eligibility marks criteria for the Community.

ii) Candidates claiming Nativity of Tamil Nadu but have qualified for Diploma / B.Sc. in other State (including Puducherry) should produce the Nativity Certificate along with the Community Certificate for consideration under the respective community. Such candidates should fulfill the minimum eligibility marks.

iii) Candidates belonging to "Other State" including Puducherry with Indian Nationality are eligible and treated as "OC" and such candidates should obtain the minimum eligibility marks prescribed for "OC".

iv) Foreign Nationals are "NOT ELIGIBLE" except Sri Lankan Tamil refugee candidates who have studied Diploma / B.Sc. in Tamil Nadu as per policy communicated vide G.O. (Ms.) No.143, Higher Education (J2) Department, dated: 14.6.2011.

B. Qualifying Examination:

Diploma Candidates

A pass with prescribed minimum eligibility marks in any one of the Diploma in appropriate branch of Engineering / Technology of the State Board of Technical Education and Training, Tamil Nadu / equivalent prescribed for admission to the Degree Course (Refer list of eligible Degree Courses for various Diploma Courses)

B.Sc. Candidates

A pass with prescribed minimum eligibility marks in any recognized Bachelor's Degree in Science of minimum 3 years duration with 10+2+3 years pattern and studied core Mathematics as one of the subjects at degree level.

Note: Candidates with Degree other than Bachelor of Science are not eligible.

C. Minimum Eligibility Marks:

Both Diploma and B.Sc. qualified candidates have to obtain the following minimum eligibility marks for admission to Lateral Entry as prescribed in G.O. (Ms.) No.263, Higher Education (J2) Department, dated: 30.6.2008 and as per directions issued in Government Letter No.5464 / J1 / 2011-1, Higher Education Department, dated:4.7.2011.

SI NO	Community	Minimum average marks in the Pre-Final and Final semesters put together or Final year
1	General Category	55.00%
2	Backward Class including Backward Class Muslim	50.00%
3	MBC & DNC	45.00%
4	SC / SCA / ST	Mere pass in the qualifying examination for Diploma examinations as stipulated by the State Board of Technical Education and Training, Tamil Nadu / B.Sc. Degree examinations / Equivalent.