# **Eligibility / Qualification for admission to DNS Course**

## A. **Oualification:**

(a) Pass in (10+2) or equivalent examination with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English as separate subjects with a PCM average of not less than 60%.

OR

B.Sc. in Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry or Electronics with Physics as individual subject in one of the year, with an average of not less than 50% of marks in the final year.

OR

B.E/ B.Tech. Degree from I.I.T. or from a college recognized by AICTE with an average of not less than 50% of marks in the final year.

#### AND

(b) The candidates should have obtained 50% marks in English language at 10<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> Std. or in the Degree course conducted by recognized Board or any University.

Relaxation: 5% Relaxation in eligibility marks to SC/ST candidates. No relaxation in English language marks.

#### B. Date of Birth

- (a) **Male Candidates** belonging to General (GEN) and Other Backward Classes (OBC-NCL) categories, the date of birth should fall **between 02-02-1992** and **02-02-2000**.
- (b) **Female Candidates** of General (GEN) and Other Backward Classes (OBC-NCL) categories the date of birth should fall **between 02-02-1990 and 02-02-2000.**
- (c) Male and Female candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes (SC) and Scheduled Tribes (ST), the date of birth should fall **between 02-02-1987 and 02-02-2000.**

## C. Physical Fitness

Candidates for admission to DNS course are required to produce certificate for medical fitness by authorities authorized by Director General of Shipping. Candidates with Disability (DA) are not eligible for admission to marine courses. List of approved doctors for issuing the certificate is available in DG website Shipping at http://www.dgshipping.gov.in/WriteReadData/userfiles/file/regular 2010201 6.pdf . The candidate must be physically fit and should meet the medical requirements as specified by DGS guidelines. Failure to meet the medical standards would disqualify a candidate for admission. In case of appeal, the same will be referred to a medical board appointed by the Indian Maritime University. The decision of such medical board shall be final. Cadets are subject to further medical examination by the respective shipping companies before joining ships.

# D. Eye sight

For DGS-approved course viz. DNS Leading to B.Sc., (Nautical Science), there shall be no evidence of any morbid condition of either eye or of the lids of either eye which may be liable to risk of aggravation or recurrence. Candidates must possess good binocular vision (Fusion faculty and full field of vision in both eyes). Movement of the eyeballs must be full in all directions and the pupils should react normally to light and accommodation.

### Nautical Department (Deck Department) includes GP Crew:

- (a) Distance vision (unaided 1.0 \*(6/6) in better eye and 0.67\*(6/9) in other eye;
- (b) Normal colour vision shall be tested by Ishihara test chart.