	विशाखपट्टणम पोर्ट प्राधिकरण यांत्रिक एवं विद्युत अभियंता विभाग प्रशासनिक भवन, पोर्ट क्षेत्र विशाखपट्टणम – 530035 (आ.प्र.)	VISAKHAPATNAM PORT AUTHORITY MECHANICAL & ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT Administrative Office Building, Port Area, Visakhapatnam – 530035(A.P)	SAGARMALA PORT-LED PROSPERITY

No. IM&EE/MOF/E-1/C/2025-26/ Dt: .11.2026

NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from the eligible candidates through online for engaging as Trade Apprentices under Apprenticeship Act,1961 (Ammended in 1973,1986 & 2019) for the year 2025-2026 in the following designated trades in the Mechanical & Electrical Engineering Department, Visakhapatnam Port Authority.

Sl. No.	Trade	No. of Placements	Period of Training	Qualification prescribed	Monthly stipend Rs. Ps.
1	Welder	04	01 year	Passed ITI in the trade of Welder.	8,344.60
2	Electrician	04	01 year	Passed ITI in the trade of Electrician	9,387.67
3	Fitter	04	01 year	Passed ITI in the trade of Fitter	9,387.67
4	Motor Mechanic (Motor vehicle)	04	01 year	Passed ITI in the trade of Mechanic Mechanic (Motor Vehicle)	9,387.67
5	Electronics Mechanic	04	01 year	Passed ITI in the trade of Electronics Mechanic	9,387.67
Total		20(Twenty)			

AGE: Should have completed minimum 14 (fourteen) years of age as on 03.12.2026.

RESERVATION: The reservation of training placements for the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes shall be as per Rule of reservation on the basis of total number of placements in terms of Apprentices Act,1961.

MODE AND CRITERIA OF ENGAGEMENT OF APPRENTICES:

a) Engagement of Trade Apprentices will be made purely on the merit basis of aggregate marks obtained by the candidates in ITI.
b) Preference will be given to the children of VPA Employees in the ratio of 4:1:1 i.e 4 for VPA, 1 for CHD and 1 for Outsiders. Again out of the ratio 4 for the children of port employees, the sub-ratio of 2:1:1 will be followed to the children of deceased employees / medically invalidated & superannuated employees / serving employees respectively.
c) Those who are short-listed basing on merit of marks secured in the qualifying exams will only be called for certificates verification.
d) The trades will be allotted to the candidates at the discretion of the Head of the Department.

TRAVEL EXPENSES : TA / DA will not be paid by VPA for attending certificate verification.

BOARDING/LODGING **:** No boarding or No lodging expenses are admissible

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS:

The Applicants should apply for engagement of Trade Apprentices through On-line (https://www.apprenticeshipindia.gov.in)
Step 1: candidates should register in NAPS Apprentice portal.

Step 2: The registered candidates go to find an apprentice opportunity "click and search Opportunity", select opportunity (trade), select course type as **designated**, select location as **Andhra Pradesh** , search Establishment as " **Visakhapatnam Port Authority**" , click "**Apply"** (https://www.apprenticeshipindia.gov.in) **Online Application starting date 04.11.2026 Last date for Applying 03.12.2026**
Contact No.08912873232

Note: VPA is not liable to provide any employment to the candidates applied for and on completion of their Apprenticeship Training in VPA.

for CHIEF MECHANICAL ENGINEER

Copy to: Joint Director R&P to display the above Notification in our website.
Copy to: FA&CAO/ Secretary /C.E/TM/D.C/CMO

Copy to: All section Officers under CME/VPA: It is requested to give wide publicity to the above said notification amongst the employees and display the same in the Notice Boards duly informing them to submit the applications through on-line (https://www.apprenticeshipindia.gov.in.) of the children of deceased employees / medically invalidated & superannuated employees/ serving respectively, along with certifying copy of the Section Officer (with specific remarks along with date of retirement of the employee along with nature whether superannuation/medically invalidated and date of death in case of deceased). Others will be summarily rejected.

Copy to: The General Secretary, VPA SC/ST Employees Welfare Association, behind DLB Building, Port Area, Visakhapatnam – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, VH & PW Union, Bhadramurthy Sarma Bhavan, D.No.26-26-27, Visakhapatnam – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, VPE Union, D.No.26-15-204, Dharma Sakthi Bhavan, Visakhapatnam – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, NPTE Union, D.No.3-15-18, Park Corner, Dabagarden, Visakhapatnam-20 – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, UP&DE ,CITU Office, D.no.28-6-8, Jagadamba Centre, Visakhapatnam -20 – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, Janata Port and Dock Employees Union, D no.21-30-18,Panja Junction, Changalraopeta, Visakhapatnam -01 – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, Visakhapatnam Port and Dock Mazdoor Sangh, Flat no. 302, 3rd floor, Gokul Vihar Apartment. Near RTC Colony, Midhilapuri colony, Madhurawada, Visakhapatnam - 48 – for information.
Copy to: The General Secretary, Visakhapatnam Port & Dock Workers Union, D no.28-6-8, CITU Office, Jagadamba Junction, Upstairs portion A, Visakhapatnam - 20
Copy to: Notice Board of C.M.E's Office