


वास्तुकला परिषद्
Council of Architecture

वास्तुविद् अधिनियम, 1972 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार का एक स्वायत्त सांविधिक निकाय
(An Autonomous Statutory Body of Govt. of India, under the Architects Act, 1972)

Ref: CA/5/Academic-Diploma-Lateral Admission
August 17, 2023

1. To All Secretaries of Higher/Technical Education in States/UTS of India
2. To All Directors of Technical Education in States/UTS of India
3. To All the Diploma Institutions approved by the Council for imparting 3-year Diploma in Architecture/Architectural Assistantship/Interior Design in the Country

Sub : Lateral entry to admission to 2nd year of 3-year Diploma in Architecture/Architectural Assistantship course-reg.

Sir/Madam,

It has been brought to the notice of the Council of Architecture that some institutions in the country have invited applications from the candidates for processing direct lateral admission to 2nd year of 3-year Diploma in Architecture/Architectural Assistantship/Interior Design course for the academic session 2023-2024.

In this regard, I have to state that the Council has prescribed the Council of Architecture (Minimum Standards of Architectural Education) Guidelines for Diploma Course, 2022 and in the Guidelines, there is no provision for lateral entry to direct admission at 2nd year of 3-year Diploma in Architecture/Architectural Assistantship/Interior Design course.

The eligibility criteria for admission to Diploma programme as per said Guidelines is as under:

4.0 Admission to the Architecture diploma program

4.1 No candidate shall be admitted to Diploma program unless she/ he has passed an examination at the end of the 10th Std. or its equivalent examination.

A copy of the said Diploma Guidelines 2022 is once again attached for your ready reference.

In view of the above, all the institutions and admission authorities are hereby directed to follow the above Guidelines for making admission to Diploma in Architecture/Architectural Assistantship programs approved by the Council and ensure that no lateral admission in the 3-year Diploma course is allowed at any stage of the course.

Yours faithfully,


R.K. Oberoi
Registrar

Encl. : as above.