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For circulation among members of the Governing Council, State Secretaries, Special Invitees, Advisors, Affiliates, Constituents of CBPRO and Members.

Dear Comrade,

Sub: Updates on the M.C. Singla case pending before the Supreme Court in regard to Pension Updation.

In our earlier Circular no: 114-25 dated 06.12.2025, we informed all concerned that the case might come up on 10th or 11th December, 2025.

Then on 10th December, 25, we sent a one- line message to all the General Secretaries of our Affiliates that the case got adjourned to 17th December, 2025.

It has been an order of the day to assume, speculate and then sell conclusive views without having full knowledge on the issue in the social media. The recent remarks made by different persons on the subject are no exception. Our members may keep in mind that our Affiliate ARISE of Indian Overseas Bank is only an Impleading Party in the M C Singla case and it has been made known time and again to all. The original petitioners are from PNB, e OBC, and PSB. ARISE our Affiliate took all the initiatives to consistently pursue this very important case of all Bank Pensioners in every way including the financial aspect of legal fees of Senior Advocates and Lawyers. Hon'ble Court proceedings do get postponed/ adjourned due to extenuating and Extraordinary circumstances placed inspite of our best intentions and efforts. We in ARISE and AIBPARC are more determined to ensure careful handling of the case through the Senior Advocates who are briefed properly by our Lawyers and Leaders of AIBPARC at Delhi. Presence of Petitioners' Senior Advocate and our Senior Advocate is also necessary during the Proceedings. The case has to be handled carefully as it is very delicate and involving far reaching consequences for all Bank Pensioners. We cannot decide the happenings in the Hon'ble Court as per our choice. We cannot and should not also hazard into any knee-jerk reactions to the ongoing proceedings in the Hon'ble Supreme Court. **Hence, Members are again requested to rely upon AIBPARC circulars only.**

The latest position will be evident from the message sent by Shri Sewaram, our Advocate which is reproduced hereunder;



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Quote:

The Supreme Court has declared the weeks from 15-19 Dec. 2025 and 5 Jan to 9 Jan 2026 as Misc. matters Week. Court shall be closed for winter vacation from 22.12.2025 to 02.01.2026. The week from 5.1.26 to 9.1.26 is again declared as misc. matters week. Hence normal daily hearings will begin from 12th Jan 26. Regular matters are heard on Wednesday Thursday but 14.1.26 is declared as holiday. Hence our MC Singla case may come up for hearing on 15th Jan 26 or in the list for 21-22 Jan 26 in the Regular List.

Sewa Ram Adv.

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With best wishes and regards,

Comradely yours,

K.V. Acharya.
President, AIBPARC
& Jt. Convenor, CBPRO

Suprita Sarkar
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