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Circular No :8/16-17  
**Circular to all Members**

Dated, : 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2016

Dear Comrades,

Sub: Pending Issues

We reproduce hereunder our Federation Circular No: 71,72/,73/,74/2015-18 on the captioned matter:

Comradely Yours,

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(Subrata Sarkar )  
General Secretary

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**All India Uco Bank Pensioners' Federation**

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No.cir.71/2015-2018

Dated 30th August,2016

To All units,

Dear comrades,

Re. Strike call on 2nd September,2016-Our role

We forward herewith full text of notice for strike dated 16<sup>th</sup> August,2016 given by AIBOC for observing strike by the members of its affiliates on 2<sup>nd</sup> September. The issues raised by AIBOC include issues pertaining to retirees also. As such we have to extend full support to the strike, if observed. Please circulate the information for general membership.

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With best wishes,  
Yours comradely,



(RAM PAL)  
General secretary  
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***“As per the declaration of National Convention of Workers, held on 30.3.2016, the strike call on 2nd Sept 2016, is mainly against Labour Law Reforms, unlimited FDI in Financial sectors, Rail, Defence and Retail Trade, and on an acceptable settlement to the 12 points Charter of Demands through discussion with the Government. Effective implementation forthwith the consensus recommendations of successive Indian Labour Conferences on minimum wage, on contract workers and the Scheme workers is crucial for the CTUs to prepare for dialogue with the Government.***

***Accordingly, the National Convention of Workers called upon the trade unions and working people irrespective of affiliations to unite and make the countrywide General Strike a massive success.***

***Meanwhile it can be observed here that AIBOC found referred retirees issues under Strike Notice for 2nd Sept 2016, to IBA as here under:***

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To,  
The Chairman,  
Indian Banks' Association,  
Mumbai.  
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions contained in sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the I.D. Act- 1947, We, hereby, give you notice that the members of ALL INDIA BANK OFFICERS CONFEDERATION (AIBOC) will observe strike on 2nd September, 2016 in support of issues not settled, inspite of UFBU strike on 29th July 2016, the 12 point Charter of Demands of the National Convention by all the Central Trade Unions and independent Trade Union Federations including our Confederation and in response to the call given by the said Convention held on 30.03.2016.

The main issues on which the strike will take place are as follows:

**OPPOSING**

- Privatisation of Public Sector Banks, Insurance and other units.
- Labour Law Reforms
- Unlimited FDI in Financial sectors, Rail, Defence and Retail Trade.

**DEMANDING**

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1. Immediate appointment of Non Workmen/Officers Nominee Directors on the Boards of all Public Sector Banks.
2. Resolution of all pending issues of the last Bipartite Settlement particularly:
  - a. DA Neutralisation**
  - b. Revision in family pension**
  - c. Pension updation/upgradation**
- 3. Extension of existing pension to all Officers/Employees who joined the Banking Industry after 01.04.2010 (covered under NPS).**
- 4. One more option of pension to resignees who were excluded when it was extended to VRS optees.**
5. To Stop outsourcing and cross selling which is killing the main business of the Banks.
6. Implementation of the Hospitalization scheme as agreed in the Xth Bipartite Scheme.
7. Change in laws and to take all other steps to recover mounting NPAs.
8. To Treat willful corporate loan defaulters as criminal offenders
9. Halt to unprecedented price hike.
10. Universal public distribution system.
11. Ratification of ILO Convention 87 and 98.
12. Rs, 18,000/- as minimum wage and social securities for all workers.
13. Job and bonus for all.
14. Strict implementation of labour laws for contractual workers.
15. T.U registration within 45 days.

The Declaration of the Convention is also attached.

Yours sincerely,

(HARVINDER SINGH)

GENERAL SECRETARY

Copy to:

1. CMDs/MDs/CEOs of All Member Banks. Chief Labour Commissioner, New Delhi
3. Secretary, Department of Financial Services"

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No.cir.72/2015-2018

Dated 30<sup>th</sup> August,2016

To All units,  
Dear comrades,

Re. **Meeting of CBPRO on 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2016.**

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We reproduce hereunder text of AIBPARC circular no.25/2016 dated 24.8.2016 for your information and further circulation.  
With best wishes,

Yours comradely,

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( RAM PAL )

GENERAL SECRETARY

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1) **Meeting of CBPRO on 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2016:**

Com. K. Chandrasekharan, General Secretary, T.N. State Unit welcomed all the members. The meeting was presided by Com. R.N. Benerjee, Jt. Convener and Com. K.V. Acharya, Jt. Convener. Com. Ramesh Babu could not attend the meeting because of personal reasons. Absence of Com. S.C. Jain, Jt. Convener from AIBRF was noted. Com. S.R. Sengupta, General Secretary, AIBPARC was also in the presidium. Besides, all other representatives from different organisations were present and made whole hearted participation in the discussion. The meeting took place at IOBOA academy for Skill and Research Development. The meeting started sharp at 11 a.m. and continued upto 1-30 p.m. The meeting took into account various issues pending with IBA for the pensioners and retirees as under :-

- a) Pension Updation,
- b) 100% DA neutralisation,
- c) Uniform Family Pension as obtaining in RBI and Govt. of India,
- d) Improvement in Medical Aid Scheme and Domiciliary Treatment,
- e) Leave Encashment to compulsorily retired people,
- f) Pension Option for all the left over people.

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The meeting also discussed about further consolidation of bank retirees organisations and court cases in respect of retirees. Further detailed deliberations the meeting decided the following course of action :

- i) Delegation to Governors of states,
- ii) Delegations to the Chairman of IBA,
- iii) To hold demonstrations before boards of public sector banks whenever they meet,
- iv) To hold demonstrations in all metros and in all the important centres of the country,
- v) To hold media publicity on the issues of pensioners and retirees,
- vi) To review the developments after 3 months and yet, if there is no progress, the CBPRO will decide about other action programmes.

2) **Meeting of Bank employees and retirees at Chennai on 19<sup>th</sup> August at 5 p.m.**

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Com. K. Chandrasekharan, Secretary, T.N. State Unit welcomed all the members . The German Hall was packed to the capacity. Nearly 500 people assembled at the meeting which was addressed, amongst others, by Com. S.R. Sengupta, General Secretary, AIBPARC, Com. K.V. Acharya, President, AIBPARC and the newly elected President and General Secretary of Indian Overseas Bank Employees' Organsiation. The speakers mentioned about the total unity amongst all sections of employeesa against the anti labour policy opf the present Government. The strike of 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016 all over the country by all setions of employees has to be a grand success and the speakers gave a call accordingly. Com. Murli Sundararajan, President, Com. Srinivasan, General Secretary of IOB Employees' Union were present and addressed the members. We advise our affiliates and members to come out on 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016 in large numbers and demonstrate on the day along with all other units in the industry. The message should be loud and clear. Let 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016 be a red letter day of the history of trade union in the industry.

With best wishes,

**( S. R. SEN GUPTA )**  
**GENERAL SECRATARY"**  
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No.cir.73/2015-2018

Dated 30<sup>th</sup> August,2016

To All units,  
Dear comrades,

**Re.2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of Managing Committee (Extended)of AIBPARC at  
Chennai on 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 :**

We reproduce hereunder text of AIBPARC circular no.26/2016 dated 24.8.2016 for your information and further circulation.

With best wishes,

Yours comradely,



( RAM PAL )

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GENERAL SECRETARY

QUOTE “ 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of Managing Committee (Extended) at Chennai on 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2016:

The meeting was held at IOBOA Academy, Chennai. The meeting started sharp at 10 a.m. with Com. K.V. Acharya, President in the Chair. Com. K. Chandrasekharan was not present as his mother fell sick previous night. The house expressed for her speedy recovery. Com. K. Ananda Kumar, Senior Vice-President, AIBPARC welcomed all members of Governing Council and invited the office-bearers to the dais. Com. Acharya, in his initial remarks welcomed all the participants and hoped that the meeting would be time bound with avoidance of repetition as much as possible. Com. S.R. Sengupta, General Secretary, also joined the President in welcoming the participants. He requested the President for help of Com. K.B. Ballur, Senior Vice-President, to help him in reading out the notice, minutes of the meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> March at Hyderabad and also the Report of the General Secretary placed at Chennai on 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2016. Accordingly, Com. Ballur read out the papers as mentioned by Com. Sengupta. Members appreciated the efforts of Com. Ballur. Com. S.R. Sengupta, General Secretary, mentioned that though the report was as much exhaustive as possible, something is always left out which is generally tabled at the meeting. Accordingly, Shri S.R. Sengupta congratulated, on behalf of all the participations the first woman Silver Medal Winner Olympian Sm. P.V. Sindhu and Bronze Medal Winner Wrestler Sm. Sakshi Malik. He also mentioned about the startling performance of Sm. Dipa Karmakar from Tripura, who won the hearts of millions of Indian. All the participants gave a standing ovation to all of them. The meeting paid reach tribute to late Com. Bihari Patel, Com. K.A. Appalaraju,

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Com. Sushil Ghosh of AIBEA and also lives lost in terrorist attacks in different parts of the globe and also the lives lost because of natural calamities. One minute silence was observed in their memories. Shri K.V. Acharya, President, thereafter invited the members of the Managing Committee for deliberations on the reports of the General Secretary. Detailed deliberations followed thereafter. In initiating the discussion Shri S. Kupuswami of IOBOA mentioned about the need for improvement in the Medical Insurance Scheme and more particularly about the adoption by those members who did not do it so far. The following members participated in the discussion :

Com. P. Vijaykumar (SBBT), Com. K.M. Shastry (SBH), Com. Ramaiya (KVB), Com. J. B. Bansal (UCO), Com. Rajkumar ((Syndicate), Com. R.P. Saxena (SBBJ), Com. P.V. Thomas (Union), Com. P.K. Malhotra (PNB), Com. T.D. Khurana (SBBJ), Com. Gangadhar Yadav (Syndicate), Com. Govinda Rajan (Union), Com. N.K. Pareek (Central), Com. Rampal (UCO), Com. Ramanathan (LVB), Com. T.T. Natarajan (Indian), Com. Gopinath Rao (ARISE), Com. Raghav Rao (BOI), Com. S. Nagraj (BOI) After deliberations Shri Sengupta classified the problems raised by the members as under :-

- a) The role of AIBRF towards bank pensioners and retirees movement as a whole,
- b) Apprehension by representatives of Associate Banks regarding the facilities available to them after merger,

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- c) IBA communication for formation of Grievances Cell at different banks level not implemented as yet,
  - d) Medical insurance scheme,
    - 1. Non availability at domiciliary facility,
    - 2. Extension of the scheme by 30<sup>th</sup> September – details to be circulated by IBA.
  - e) Massive NPA and implications thereof,
  - f) Formation and a committee to compile the progress of the court cases,
  - g) Formation of state committees in states where it has not been done as yet,
  - h) Studying of Provident Fund and Pension Funds by the representatives of employees and officers in different banks and to send reports of those to AIBPARC.

The General Secretary assured the members that all the problems as raised would be looked into by the organisation. Where actions are demanded AIBPARC will take up with IBA. Shri A.N. Krishnamurthy, the newly elected General Secretary of Canara Bank Retirees Association proposed vote of thanks to the house. He especially mentioned about the hospitality extended by IOBOA Academy for making the stay comfortable and atmosphere congenial. The meeting came to an end sharp at 5 p.m. with vote of thanks to the Chair and to all concerned.

With best wishes,

**(S. R. SEN GUPTA )**  
**GENERAL SECRETARY"**

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No.cir.74/2015-2018

Dated 30<sup>th</sup> August,2016

To All units,  
Dear comrades,

**Re. CBPRO meets Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha and Additional  
Secretary,Department of Financial Services, Govt. of India.**

We reproduce hereunder full text of AIBPARC Circular No. 27/2016 dated 29.08.2016 for your information and further circulation.

With best wishes,



(RAM PAL)  
GENERAL SECRETARY

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"The CBPRO delegation availed the opportunity of meeting Smt. Sumitra Mahajan, Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha, on 23.08.2016 who gave a very patient hearing to our submissions. We sought her Good Offices and requested her to impress upon the concerned authorities to come

out with a comprehensive justice rendering exercise to Bank Pensioners and Retirees who have been requesting for the full implementation of the provisions of the Pension Regulations in regard to all the issues which we have raised in our memorandum submitted to Hon'ble Santosh Kumar Gangwar Ji, MOS Finance. We had a very encouraging response from her and we are confident with her special stature in the Government and the Parliament and the great respect she commands from everybody, we definitely stand to gain. In pursuance to the decision taken in the CBPRO meeting at Chennai on 19.08.2016 a meeting was arranged to apprise the Hon'ble Santosh Kumar Gangwar Ji, MOS Finance in respect of all our pending issues. The meeting was scheduled for 23.08.2016 at 4 p.m. But few hours before the scheduled meeting the Hon'ble Minister had to suddenly leave for Patna on some important assignments. However the Hon'ble Minister asked us to meet Shri Girish Chander Murmu the Additional Secretary, Dept of Financial Services, Government of India and submit the memorandum and other relevant papers to him and also represent our issues before him. COORDINATION OF BANK PENSIONERS' AND RETIREES ORGANISATIONS Flat No. 1103, Block-3B, S.M.R. Vinay Fountainhead, Culvary Temple Road, Hydernagar, Hyderabad – 500 049.

The CBPRO delegation had a very meaningful discussion with Shri Girish Chander Murmu, Additional Secretary, who was not only well aware about the details of our issues but also was proactively responding to our issues. To sum up we can only say that it was quite a reassuring exercise and we hope for favourable developments in view of our discussions with Shri Murmu, a top ranking official of the Ministry.

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The CBPRO delegation consisted representatives of various constituents: Shri P.K.Pathak of SBI Pensioners' Federation, Shri D.K. Hans of AIBPARC, Shri D.D.Maheswari and Shri Shyam Kishore Sikka of RBONC, Shri A.N. Madhusudan, Shri B.G. Manakeshwar, shri S.V.Chaudhari and Shri Sharad P Sathe of FORBE and Shri K.V.Acharya, Joint Convenor CBPRO. We specially thank leaders of FORBE for organising the above meetings.

As per the decision of CBPRO meeting at Chennai our delegation will also meet the Chairman of IBA during the first week of September and urge upon the IBA to fulfill the assurances given to us when we met the IBA officials in May 2016. We request all our constituents to coordinate at every level and carry out all the programmes of CBPRO as decided in Chennai meeting and keep up the momentum so that we achieve success.

With warm greetings,

Yours comradely,

Sd/-  
(A.Ramesh Babu)

Joint Conveners"

Sd/-  
(K.V.Acharya)

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MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO SUBMIT STANDING INSTRUCCION TO THEIR PENSION PAYING BRANCHES FOR PAYMENT OF MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION OF RS 10/- IN THE PRESCRIBED FORM AVAILABLE WITH THE DISTRICT SECRETARIES