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AIBRF

**RALLY CUM DEMOSTRATION
OF**

ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES' FEDERATION

TO BE HELD AT HYDERABAD

ON DECEMBER, 2nd, 2014

RESOLUTION

All India Bank Retirees' Federation is the national organisation of bank retirees which was formed 18 years back to protect interest of retirees and ensure dignity and respect for them in the post retirement scenario. Today, it represents more than one lakh twenty five thousand bank retirees coming from public sector banks, private and foreign banks. AIBRF is the largest and oldest organisation of bank retirees.

AIBRF has been fighting and struggling for last more than one and half decade to resolve the long pending demands of the bank retirees which mostly relate to the pension related issues. These demands are based on the assurances given while signing pension settlement in 1995, the subsequent improvements made in the pension schemes applicable to the government/ RBI pensioners and significant change in the economic environment of the country. Pension payments to the bank retirees in particular those who retired before 2002 is very low and inferior compared to payments to the government/ RBI pensioners. This situation has made life of lakhs of past bank retirees highly challenging in high inflation environment affecting their health and life style adversely. Despite introduction of one more pension option under 9th wage settlement thousands of past retirees belonging to compulsory retired category, resignees etc continue to be deprived from pension scheme. Health management is another area of challenge and concern for the bank retirees in the absence of any uniform medical scheme available to them. These core demands are summarised below

(1) UPDATION OF BASIC PENSION ON THE LINES OF PAY COMMISSIONS FOR PAST RETIREES

(2) UNIFORM DEARNESS ALLOWANCE TO ALL PENSIONERS INCLUDING PAST RETIREES

(3) IMPROVEMENTS IN FAMILY PENSION ON THE LINES OF RBI

(4) UNIFORM MEDICAL SCHEME TO ALL RETIREES

(5) PENSION OPTION TO LEFTOVER PAST RETIREES

(6) GOVT/ IBA MUST HOLD DISCUSSION WITH THE RETIREES ON THEIR ISSUES

Retirees under the banner of AIBRF have been agitating and struggling for resolution of the above demands for last several years. However it is matter of great concern and regret that the authorities have not cared to take notice of these guanine and logical demands and any step to resolve them. Our several representations submitted to IBA/ Govt. In last 5 years have not evoked any response and the issues remain pending. The IBA is not ready to meet representatives of retirees to discuss their problems. This attitude of IBA/Govt towards senior citizen is highly deplorable. It is matter of regret that large number of retirees have left this world in the intervening period without getting justice from the authorities.

AIBRF SUPPORT UFBU DEMANDS

It is matter of great disappointment that wage settlement for bank employees remain inconclusive even after prolonged discussion and several rounds of negotiation in last 2 years due to rigid attitude of IBA. Bank unions under the banner of UFBU has launched organisational action programme in support of their demands. Bank retirees fully support the demands of bank employees. Today on 2nd December, 2014 there is total strike in banks in the southern part of the country. AIBRF has

already given call to its 1,25,000 members to participate in various agitational programmes organised by UFBU from time to time.

We today here by resolve that we shall fight shoulder to shoulder with our brethren in banks to ensure successful wage settlement for bank employees as well as bank retirees.

This rally conveys solemn assurance to the leadership of UFBU that AIBRF and its Comrades will not sit silent till we win this struggle for respectable and honourable settlement .

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**OFFICE BEARERS, CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS
AND
1,25,000 MEMEBERS
ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES FEDERATION
(A.I.B.R.F.)**

DATED 2ND DECEMBER,2014

HYDERABAD