

ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES' FEDERATION (REGD.)

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6th Conference Slogan- Pension Updation is Right of Bank Retirees

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The Office Bearers/ Central Committee members/ State Committee Chiefs A.I.B.R.F

Dear Sir,

Re: Action Programs of AIBRF in support of Updation of Pension

As you are aware, as per the decision taken in the 6th Triennial Conference, AIBRF is continuously on struggle path in support of pension updation and has carried out several action programs in the month of May, 2023 and which have been reported to you from time to time through our various communications.

2. Action programs are continuing and AIBRF State Committees/ Affiliates whenever get opportunity meet M.Ps./ VIPs in delegation to seek their support on demand of updation. In this direction, we are happy to inform that Shri S. B. Butolia, local convenor of Maharashtra State Committee of AIBRF called on RSS Chief and one of the most influential persons of the country, **Shri Mohan Bhagwat** in RSS headquarter in Nagpur on 28.06.2023 and submitted memorandum on updation of pension and held discussion with him on 28.06.2023. We below reproduce the report received from him on this visit

Meeting with RSS Chief Shri Mohan Bhagwat on Updation Issue on 28.06.2023

"After one month waiting, today at 6.30 pm, I met R.S.S. Chief Sri Mohan Bhagwat at Nagpur. I raised the issue of Pension updation and submitted a precise note on the matter. He gave a very patient hearing and acknowledged the plight of the bank pensioners. In his words," This should have been settled quite earlier." He however assured that he will take up the matter of Pension updation at the "appropriate level" and assured us relief as early as possible. This is an assurance from the 'power center' in India today. I am convinced the matter will now get proper momentum. Photography is prohibited in the entire RSS H.Q. S.B. Butolia, President, Eastern Maharashtra Bank Retirees Association."

AIBRF Delegation from North West State Committee submitting Memorandum to BJP All India President & Members of Parliament Shri J.P. Nadda on 14.06.2023 in Hamirpur (Himachal Pradesh)

20 Comrades from North West State Committee of AIBRF met in delegation Shri J. P. Nadda, All India President of BJP and Honorable Member of Parliament, Shri J. P. Nadda in Hamirpur (H.P.) on 14.06.2023 and submitted

memorandum on updation to him. He assured the delegation to take up the issue with the concern authorities for early solution. He was very sympathetic on this pending demand of bank retirees

Photo of AIBRF delegation from North West State Committee honoring BJP All India President Shri J.P. Nadda and submitting Memorandum on Updation in Hamirpur on 14.06.2023



Core Committee Meeting Held on 24.06.2023 through Video Conferencing to discuss and decide on issue of Updation of Pension and improvement in Group Medical Insurance Scheme

Core Committee meeting was convened on 24.06.2023 through video conferencing. All 11 Members of Core Committee were presented and participated in the discussion. The General Secretary apprised in detail the various action programs carried out by AIBRF in support of updation including meeting Honorable President of India in Rashtra Pati Bhawan on 31.05.2023, issuance of two notifications by Government of India on updation in SBI & RBI and its ramifications on pending issue of updation in banks and proposed strategy to pursue Updation in view of the above developments and AIBRF efforts at CLC level on the issue of improvement in Group Medical Insurance Scheme. After discussion on the issue presented by GS, the following unanimous decisions were taken

(1) AIBRF shall continue its action programs in support of updation including submission of memorandum in delegation to M.Ps., Central Ministers and VIPs. seeking their support on updation and raising the issue before the government for early solution. State Committees/ Affiliates are called upon to take appropriate action in this regard on continuous basis.

- (2) AIBRF to write suitable letter to FM with the request to expedite approval on updation on the lines of notification issued in case of SBI/RBI.
- (3) AIBRF will seek appointment from RBI Governor to apprise him status of Updation issue in banks and to request him to use his good offices for early resolution as has been done in RBI
- (4) AIBRF delegations will seek appointment to meet UFBU Convenor and leaders of its constituents to apprise them the anxiety and ager growing among 5 lakh bank retirees due to undue delay taking place in resolution updation and their issue of updation has been left out while issuing two notifications and seeking UFBU support for early resolution
- (5) It was decided to ask to State Committees and Affiliates to further highlight monumental organizational efforts made by AIBRF in highlighting issue of Updation in last 7 years with commitment before the membership. It was felt that more publicity and projection needed at the organizational level.
- (6) On group medical insurance scheme, AIBRF would approach CLC to convene early meeting to take view on IBA Committee report with an object to reduce premium for retirees in next renewal
- (7) Office bearers Committee would be convened shortly for wider discussion on the above issues.

ACTION TAKEN SO FAR ON DECISIONS OF CORE COMMITTEE

The following steps have been taken so far on the decisions taken in the core committee

- (a) AIBRF had written letter to FM on updation which has been circulated earlier. AIBRF letter has been acknowledged by the office of FM with assurance to take appropriate action on it.
- (b) Letter has already been written to Convenor ,UFBU and leaders of other constituents with the request to give appointment for AIBRF delegation meeting them to apprise retiree stand on updation. We hope , at least this time UFBU would respond to our request.
- (c) Letter has been written to CLC with the request to convene Joint Meeting as agreed earlier on group medical insurance scheme for retirees.

With Warm Greetings.

Yours Sincerely matas

(S. C. JAIN) GENERAL SECRETARY