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Ref No. 2026/0227

Date: 30.09.2026

Office Bearers / Central Committee Members / State Committee Chiefs

A.I.B.R.F.

Dear Sir,,

Re: Writ Petition No. 2007/2026 filed by All India Bank Retirees' Federation (Regd.) & Others vs. Reserve Bank of India & Others – Bombay High Court

We wish to inform you about the latest development in the above matter, which was listed today before the Division Bench of the Hon'ble Chief Justice in Court Room No. 46 at Sr. No. 16, after 13 matters on the Supplementary Board.

When the matter was called out, Advocates representing all the Respondents appeared before the Hon'ble Court.

The learned Advocate appearing for **Respondent No. 2 – Indian Banks' Association (IBA)** informed the Hon'ble Court that, owing to his personal difficulty, he was unable to file the Reply and requested that the matter be adjourned until after the Diwali vacation to enable him to file the same.

Our Advocates **strongly objected to such a long adjournment**, highlighting the urgency and importance of the matter and requesting that the proceedings should not be unnecessarily delayed.

After hearing the submissions, the Hon'ble Division Bench directed the Respondents to file their Reply, if any, and **adjourned the matter by three weeks.**

Additional Affidavit taken on record

It is also significant that, at our request, the Hon'ble High Court directed the Department to **take on record the Additional Affidavit dated 18.08.2026 filed on behalf of the Petitioners.**

This is an important procedural development in the ongoing proceedings and ensures that the additional submissions and material placed before the Court by AIBRF form part of the record of the case.

Next Date of Hearing

The matter will now come up after approximately three weeks. The **exact next date of hearing will be communicated to all concerned as soon as the same is uploaded on the Bombay High Court website.**

We shall continue to monitor the proceedings closely and take all necessary steps to ensure that the matter is pursued effectively before the Hon'ble Court.

The Federation remains fully committed to pursuing the matter with determination and protecting the legitimate interests of bank retirees. All our Office Bearers, Central Committee Members and State Committee Chiefs are requested to keep the members informed of the developments and maintain unity and confidence in the legal course being pursued by AIBRF.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'malas', written over a horizontal line.

(S. C. JAIN)
GENERAL SECRETARY

