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Ref: 2015/180

Date: 17.05.2015

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

Dear Sir,

Re: 10th Bipartite Settlement

As you are aware that after coming to know 10 days back that unions are proceeding to sign the 10th Bipartite Settlement without addressing the retirees demands and with zero allocation for past retirees, we have so far taken the following steps to safeguard the interest of our members.

(1) Our Comrades in Chennai submitted memorandum to AIBEA on the date of their Office Bearers Meeting Viz: 11.05.2015 with the request to pursue retirees' issues and not to sign the settlement till our issues are resolved.

(2) We met in delegation to the Finance Minister Shri Arun Jaitley in his office in Parliament on 12.05.2015 and submitted memorandum seeking his immediate intervention on our issues and asking IBA to hold discussion with us.

(3) We met some Members of Parliament (MPs) in Delhi on 13.05.2015 and submitted the memorandum with the request to forward to FM / DFS with favourable comments/ recommendations for necessary action.

(4) We met Economic Advisor, DFS who is handling our representation on 13.05.2015 with request to ensure approval on long pending proposal of 100% DA Neutralisation, who assured us for early action from his side.

(5) We wrote Letter No.40 dated 12.05.2015 to UFBU Convenor with the request to hold discussion with us to understand UFBU stand on retiree issues, ask IBA to call us for discussion and not to sign the settlement till our issues are addressed in the settlement.

(6) We wrote Letter No41 dated 15.05.2015 to UFBU Convenor with the request to ensure allocation of Rs.1000 crores for the past retirees in the settlement, put organisational weight on retirees demands and persuade IBA to call the retirees for discussion before signing of the settlement.

(7) We have held several rounds of discussion with the leaders of UFBU constituents over phone in pursuance of our issues in the last 10-15 days.

(8) We are carrying out daily review of outcome of our above efforts to decide our future plan of action. We are yet to receive response from UFBU Convenor or any of its constituents on our request except the one which has come from AIBEA and which is in public domain.

FUTURE ACTION PROGRAMME FOR THE COMING DAYS:

To pursue our demands further, we have given call to carry out the following action programmes:

(1) Our affiliates are requested to submit the representation as per the enclosed draft on their letter head to the Chairman & Managing Director of the respective bank seeking their intervention in calling retirees for discussion by IBA. This may be submitted in deputation by our affiliates after incorporating the required changes at the earliest and confirm to us having done so. Simultaneously, it may be sent by e-mail on CMD address.

(2) Individual members should write letter as per draft enclosed to Banking Secretary requesting his intervention to ask IBA to call us for discussion. We request to mobilise the members on urgent basis with the request to send maximum number of letters with minimum 1000 per day in the country. The letter may be sent preferably by Speed Post after filling all particulars.

(3) We are planning to meet some more MPs including the Lok Sabha Speaker in next few days to submit the memorandum seeking their support on our demands.

(4) Our affiliates may consider organising some action programmes at local level for achieving our demands.

At this stage, we wish to congratulate and convey our sincere thanks and gratitude to our Members, Central Committee Members, Office Bearers, our Affiliates & their Office Bearers and Activists for wholehearted support in responding to our calls despite advancing age and taking all pains in this very hot summer. We are overwhelmed with your commitment and conviction shown towards our Organisation and the retirees movement. We are also grateful to our well wishers and friends who are extending all support for the cause of retirees from outside.

With Warm Regards,

Yours Sincerely,



(S.C.JAIN)

GENERAL SECRETARY

**BANK RETIREES UNITY
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Draft Letter to be sent by individual retirees:

To:

Date:

Dr. Hasmukh Adhia,
Secretary (DFS) Banking Division,
3rd Floor , Jeevandeep Building
Sansad Marg, New Delhi – 110001

Dear Sir,

1. I am a bank retiree and senior citizen. My major source of income is the pension from my bank.

2. I understand that at present bank unions and IBA are negotiating for wage revision of bank employees and also pension related issues and settlement is likely to be signed shortly. In all fairness, my pension should also be revised as it is very low compared to the pension of present day retirees in banks and also in central government despite healthy financial position of pension funds.

3. I have to bring to your notice that IBA is not ready to call All India Bank Retirees' Federation to which I belong to for discussion on pension related issues despite instruction given by your department earlier in this regard and periodical follow up by AIBRF.

4. I shall be much obliged, if you kindly arrange to issue suitable instruction to IBA once again to call my apex level National Organisation AIBRF for discussion before signing the settlement with the Unions, which we believe, will avoid litigation.

With Regards,

Yours Sincerely,

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Name of Bank:
Pension A/c No:
Mobile/LL No:
Address: