## ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES' FEDERATION(REGD.)

D/1/ Sector C Scheme No. 71 Indore 452009



**SILVER JUBILEE YEAR (1994-2019)** 



Ref. No 019/288 16.06.2019

Deputy General Secretaries. A.I.B.R.F.

Dear Sir,

Re: Action Programs on pending demands of bank retirees

As you may be aware that talks on wage negotiation will resume after gap of 3months on 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019. We hope and expect that pending issues of retirees will also come for discussion during various rounds of talks on wage settlement in coming months. At apex level we are in touch with UFBU and its constituents to persuade them to take our issues forcefully and effectively for favorable solution. We have taken note that AIBOC has decided not to participate in the talks of 19<sup>th</sup> June as the mandate issue for officer are yet to be resolved and its likely consequence on retiree issues.

- 2. At the organisation level, in coming months we have to take various steps to keep our issues alive and launch swift and effective action programs as and when needed.
- 3. As per the unanimous decision taken in the  $5^{th}$  Nation Conference held in March, 2019 , we have identified the following 3 major demands to be taken up for solution during the forthcoming wage settlement
  - (a) Updation of pension as per RBI formula
  - (b) Improvement in family pension at per with RBI
  - (c) Reduction in insurance premium for group insurance for retirees.
- 4. After the conference, Core committee meeting was convened in Delhi on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019 to draw strategy to achieve the above demands. We have circulated proceedings of the meeting vide circular no. 2019/69 dated 8.5.2019.

- 5. One of the decisions taken was to do geographical allocation of the area among Deputy General Secretaries to ensure effective implementation of organisational decisions in the area and coordinate activities of state committees/ affiliates.
- 6. In view of the above developments, now time has come to carry out the following action programs during the months of June & July and DGs are requested to take the following steps in this regard
- (a) To hold meetings of members at the identified centers to create awareness among members on retiree issues in particular on updation issue and its details. You are therefore requested to identify such centers in consultation with state committees/ affiliates
- (b) Kindly arrange the meetings and explain in detail RBI formula on updation and other issues and make them to be ready for Dharna and Rallies as and when needed.
- (c) In such meetings suitable resolution as per the enclosed format may be passed under the signatures of the members present.
- (d) This resolution may be submitted to the following authorities (i) Commissioner/ Collector of the city/ area in delegation with the request to forward to PMO (ii) Local Member of Parliament in delegation (iii) to send by post to Chairman IBA Mumbai (iv) to send PMO Delhi by post
- (e) To organize Dharna during such meetings wherever possible.
- (f) You may invite UFBU leaders/leaders of sister retiree organisations of the of the area to seek their support on pending issues of retirees.
- 7. We request you to advise names of the centers once finalized and details of the meeting once held.
- 8. We have recently submitted representation on updation to IBA. Copy of the same is enclosed for your information and record.
- 9. It may be mentioned that first meeting of this nature was organized in Kolkata by Bengal Provincial State Committee on 13<sup>th</sup> June 2019 where about 900 retirees were present and the hall was overflowing. It was addressed by the President AIBRF & the undersigned. It was highly successful meeting.
- 10 It may also be mentioned such meetings are scheduled to be held in Indore (M.P.) on 18.06.19, Jabalpur (M.P.) on 30.06.2019 & Bhopal M.P. in second week of July 2019.
- 11 Any suggestions from you in this regard are welcome.

## With Revolutionary Greetings

Yours Sincerely,

GENERAL SECRETARY

C.C. to Office Bearers/ Central Committee Members/ State Body Chiefs.