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Smt. Nirmala Sitaraman Honorable Finance minister Government of India, New Delhi

Respected Madam,

## Re: Government approval for increase in family pension in banks

We are extremely happy to learn that Government of India has accorded in-principle approval for increase in family pension in banks to 30 per cent. This decision of the government has brought cheers and happiness among thousands of family pensioners, most them are female. Need for increase in family pension was being felt for long time to provide much needed financial security to this venerable group. This is very right decision of the government.

- 2. AIBRF, its 44 affiliates and its more than 2.5 lakh members convey their highest gratitude and thanks to you for taking care of this weaker section among pensioners. You and your government deserve all compliments for this right step. It indicates that your government is committed to take required decisions to implement the policy of "SAB KA SATH SAB KA VIKAS".
- 3. On this occasion, We would request you to recollect that during your visit to Bangalore a few months back delegation of woman wing from AIBRF met and requested you to look into pending demands of bank pensioners and accord approval for them. You were kind enough to issue necessary instructions to concerned officials instantly in this regard. Our membership is today really thrilled to see that you kept your promise in according approval on one of the issues. We are confident that approval will follow on other pending issues too. We are also grateful and convey our sincere thanks to Honorable Member of Parliament Shri Teasvi Surya for arranging meeting of women delegation with you and thereby supporting cause of bank retirees.
- 4. We are also grateful and thankful to the **honorable Minister of State for Finance Shri Anurag Thakur** for extending his support and blessings whenever we had occasion to approach him in this regard.
- 5. We also take this opportunity to convey our thanks to Finance Secretary, Secretary (DFS) and to entire team of officials from DFS for extending their valuable support in ensuring final approval in the matter.

## With Respectful Regards,

Yours Sincerely,

(S.C.JAIN)
GENERAL SECRETARY

## C.C. to

- (1) Honorable Minister of State for Finance ,Shri Anurag Thakur
- (2) Honorable Member of Parliament, Shri Teasvi Surya.
- (3) Department of Financial Services
- (4) The Chairman, Indian banks Association
- (5) The Constituents of United forum of bank Unions.