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Dear Comrade,

**Sub : AIBPARC, DELHI STATE COMMITTEE HOLDS ITS FIRST TRIENNIAL
GENERAL BODY CONFERENCE ON 10TH OCTOBER, 2017
IN THE MIDST OF ENTHUSIASM AND GRANDEUR**

We have much pleasure to inform the membership that the first General Body Conference of AIBPARC, Delhi State Committee took place at the auditorium of Tamil Sangam at R.K. Puram, on 10th October, 2017. Before commencement of the proceeding, more than 500 people gathered from different parts of Delhi and adjoining areas to make the house a full one. The principal highlights of the proceedings are mentioned hereunder :-

- The dais was formed with comrades A.K. Nagar, D.K. Hans, Harvinder Singh, K.V. Acharya and S. Sarkar. The programmes were anchored by com R.K. Sharma.
- Smt. Meenskshi Lekhi, Member of the Parliament remained present in the conference as the chief guest.
- After observance of 1 minute silence in memory of the deceased members, Shri A.K. Nagar welcomed all delegates, observers, leaders and guests.
- Shri D.K. Hans, Secretary, submitted his written report before the house which was unanimously approved by the audience.
- Before the address of the Hon'ble Member of the Parliament, Com. K.V. Acharya, President, AIBPARC, offered an introductory lecture in which he explained the principal demands of the retirees which are logical and legal and submitted a memorandum to Smt. Meenakshi Lekhi along with supportive papers.
- Com. Harvinder Singh, former General Secretary of AIBOC, appealed to the Member of the Parliament for her active support to the cause of retirees. He points out the discriminatory treatment meted to the retirees by the bank management. He explained that the existing and retired manpower of the banking industry are not responsible in any manner for large scale provisioning of NPAs. The honesty and efficiency of the workforce is amply reflected in the operating profit of the banking industry.

- Smt. Meenakshi Lekhi, Member of the Parliament, started her speech in the midst of a standing ovation by the audience. She observed that the demands propagated by the organisation appeared to her to be logical and just. As a representative of the people, she would carry forward the aspiration of the bank retirees to the persons and authorities concerned. She recalled the glorious role played by bankers (past and present) in the transformation of the society. She also felt that she would study the papers and in case any clarification is needed, she would talk to the persons. Audience was highly moved at the straight forward approach of the speaker.
- Com. S. Sarkar, Acting General Secretary, assured the house that AIBPARC was doing everything possible to resolve the long pending demands of the bank retirees. He explained that the organisation was in constant touch with components of UFBU, IBA, bureaucracy and political personalities including ministers to make them aware about the agonies and aspirations of the bank retirees. He profusely thanked leaders and members of Delhi state committee for lending active support to the dharna programmes organized by AIBPARC in the past and also to the morcha organized by UFBU in recent times.
- Com. K.V. Acharya, President, AIBPARC was the last speaker of the day. He touched upon different activities undertaken by leaders of Delhi state committee at different points of time. He observed that NPA-creation cannot be the liability of the retirees. The retirees are not demanding any new rule or regulation. They are insisting that existing provisions of Pension Regulation on updation be implemented immediately. He expressed serious concern at the highly inflated premium of mediclaim for bank retirees. He felt that it was a distortion of original government guidelines in this regard. He appealed to members to hold patience and keep faith in activities of AIBPARC/CBPRO in days to come.
- Com. D.K. Hans, Secretary, thanked all members, guests and leaders for making it a historical conference.
- Panel of names was proposed and seconded for the formation of the body of state committee for next 3 years and it was accepted by the house unanimously. Com. A. K. Nagar, was the President and Com. D.K. Hans was the Secretary. We congratulate the team of office bearers and hope that the state committee will grow from strength to strength in days to come.

With best wishes,

(SUPRITA SARKAR)
ACTING GENERAL SECRETARY