



## UCOBANK RETIREES' ASSOCIATION KARNATAKA (Regd)

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To All Members of our Unit.

Dear Comrades,

**Sub: AIBPARC (Karnataka Unit)**

**Ref: General Body Meeting held on 22/05/2017**

Please find the minutes of the General Body meeting of AIBPARC (Karnataka Unit). Some of our members had attended the meeting. The large gathering of more than 800 retirees from various Banks made the function a grand success. Our members who chose not to attend the meeting missed a rare opportunity to get first hand information from the Persons who are spearheading the cause of Banking Retirees in India. We expect more number to attend such meetings and show to the leadership strength of our Unit and our commitment to the cause of retirees .

Yours faithfully,

Ravindra Krishna

THE GENERAL BODY OF AIBPARC  
(Karnataka State Unit)  
held on 22/05/2017

The General Body of AIBPARC(K) was held at Shikshakara Sadana, Opp.Kaveri Bhavana, K G Road, Bangalore today the 22nd May, 2017. The General Body was attended by more than 800 members. The skylines of Bengaluru were clear without any speck of cloud and this paved the way for a large number of people to participate in the Conference.

Com.K B Ballur, Secretary, AIBPARC ( K) welcomed the Guests, Special Invitees from fraternal organisations and the Members who had assembled in large number.

The very presence of such large number of people was indicative of the deep anguish, frustration, pain in the hearts of Bank Pensioners. Com.K V Acharya, President, AIBPARC was the Chief Guest. Com.Shantharaju and Com.G D Nadaf, General Secretaries of AIBOC and Conveners of UFBU, were the Guests of honour. Sri S K Srinivas, General Secretary, AIBOC ( Karnataka State Unit) was another Guest of Honour, Com.Sukumaran, President, RBONC and Com.K L N Rao, the Office bearer of FORBE were the Guests of Honour. The Representatives of our fraternal organisations I.e Com.K Vishwanath Naik, Secretary, AIBRF, Com. Abdul Jaleel, Syndicate Bank Retirees' Union, Com.Prasad, General Secretary, SBM Retirees Union participated in the General Body as guests

The General Body was given a flying start with rendering of a melodious invocation song sung by Com. Shreelaxmi of Canara Bank.

Com Shantharaju, President, SBI Pensioners' Association ( Karnataka State) explained in detail as to how Pension Scheme in Banking Industry was evolved and how it has helped the Bank Retirees to live a life of self-respect and dignity. The anomalies in Pension payment for the V, VI and VII Bipartite Settlement have been set right and the credit for this must go to CBPRO. Stressing the need for unity among Retirees, he gave a call to all retirees to create a nuisance by going on strike. The State Bank Retirees got the benefits of the V, VI and VII Bipartite Settlements very recently though the proposal to extend the benefits was pending with the Central Government right from 2010. It took more than 7 years to clear the same.



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It has brought some relief to all the retirees pertaining to the Settlements. This is the beginning of good times for the retirees of Banking Industry. He wished the General Body all success.

Com.G D Nadaf, speaking in his own inimitable style, informed the house, how the second option for Pension which had become an emotional issue, was settled. He gave a Clarion call to all affiliates of AIBPARC agitate on the legitimate demands of the retirees till the same are realised. He wished the Conference all success.

Com. K V Acharya explained in detail as to how Bank retirees have been subjected to all kinds of harassment and suffering. Because of the relentless efforts of AIBPARC, the Government, has now come to appreciate the issues of Bank retirees in the right perspective. He informed the house the legitimacy of the Bank Retirees' demands which have been denied to them in a totally unjustified manner. Explaining the role played by CBPRO leadership in convincing the Govt. officials about denial of legitimate dues of Bank retirees. Our efforts under the banner of CBPRO have resulted in bringing the required relief to all of them. Days are not far off when our hopes and aspirations will be met within a short while. Giving a Very spirited speech, he stressed the need to wage a unified struggle. He expressed his happiness for holding the General Body of AIBPARC(K) in a systematic manner. Assuring the Pensioners and Retirees of Banking Industry that CBPRO leadership will not rest until the legitimate, demands, hopes and aspirations are fulfilled. Owing to the indefatigable efforts of AIBPARC, CBPRO we are likely to realise very soon the 100% DA Neutralisation issue, Improvement in family Pension. Today those who have been denied the benefit are the most suffering lot on account of old age and age related health problems. Our fight for clinching the issue is on and we will not rest until all the legitimate demands are realised.

Com.Sukumaran, President, RBONC, congratulated the State Unit of AIBPARC and wished the General Body all success. Com.K N L Rao, FORBE felt extremely happy to participate in the Conference. He expressed the hope that the fight for settling the issues of pensioners and Retirees in the Banking Industry will continue and the same will be resolved soon. He wished the Conference all success.

Com. S K Srinivas, General Secretary, AIBOC (Karnataka State Unit) felt extremely happy to participate in the Conference and to be amidst elders who have contributed immensely for the growth of the Banking Industry. It is in fitness of things that the legitimate demands are considered favorably by the Government/ IBA. All the issues of pensioners are dear to his heart and it shall be the endeavour of AIBOC to support your cause and all out efforts will be made to settle the issues. He wished the General Body all success

Com. Gopinatha Rao, Chairman, AIBPARC summarised the day's proceedings. He thanked Com. K V Acharya for his never say die approach in resolving the issues of the pensioners. He appreciated the participation of Com. Shantharaju and Com.G D Nadaf in the General Body and thanked them for the very informative speeches. He expressed the hope that under the leadership of CBPRO the long pending issues of pensioners / retirees will come to fruition. The good wishes of Com Sukumaran and Com K N L Rao should embolden the leadership to intensify the campaign till such time all the hopes and aspirations of the retirees are settled / realised.

Com. S Nagaraj, General Secretary, Bank of India Retirees' Association, proposed vote of thanks.

The General Body concluded by singing of our National Anthem.

The occasion proved yet again that all our members are Retired but not tired. It is heartening to observe that many of our Seniors attended the Conference although they are not in a position to attend such Conferences. Their ardent commitment was visible across the audience. After hearing the leaders, all the doubts were cleared and clarifications were of convincing nature. All the participants returned with the spirit if AIBPARC / CBPRO enlivened and with the hope that we are on the right path for realising their long pending legitimate aspirations.

With the participation of a large number of members from all banks, the Conference was a thunderous success.

With best wishes and Regards.

Yours sincerely,  
K B Ballur,  
Outgoing Secretary,  
AIBPARC(K)/ CBPRO(K).