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To all members of our unit.

Dear Comrades,

Sub: EC meeting of the Federation at Ahmadabad on 02.02.2020.

The All India UCO Bank Pensioners' Federation held its second EC meeting at Ahmadabad on 02.20.2020. The following EC members of our unit attended the meeting.

Com.S.Hariharan

Com. Appaiah Nagaraj and

Com.B.Lakshminarayana.

The reporting of the General Secretary of the Federation is attached for the benefit of the members.

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REPORTING OF OUR 2ND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING (2018-21) HELD ON 2ND FEBRUARY, 2020 AT HOTEL ROYAL HIGHNESS, NEAR LAL DARWAJA, AHMEDABAD

Comrades,

We feel immense pleasure to intimate our members across the country that our 2nd Executive Committee Meeting for the term 2018-21 was held on 2.2.2020 at Hotel Royal Highness, LalDarwaja, Ahmedabad- 380001 with full enthusiasm and zeal of Office Bearers and Senior Bankmen of All India UCO Bank Pensioners' Federation. Most of the Office Bearers and leaders of our Federation from various state units attended the EC Meeting and through their active participation and deliberation the said Meeting was a **grand success**.

The Inaugural Session started at about 10.30 am with a prayer (meant for our beloved Bank) 'humkomonme Shakti dena'. In the said session, following honoured guests attended:

1. **Sri SuvankarJha**, Ex General Manager of the Bank.
2. **Sri A.S.Sekhawat**, former Deputy General Manager of the Bank.
3. **Sri Jayes Parikh**, former General Secretary, Association of Officers of UCO Bank, Gujarat Unit.

On behalf of All India UCO Bank Pensioners' Federation, Com. Rampal, President welcomed all the participants most sincerely and cordially to Ahmedabad, historic city of Gujarat at the 2nd EC Meeting (2018-21) of the Federation. He said that the Meeting was being held at a time when the world is restless. He further said that as senior Bankmen, all of us will have to apply our mind on the pending issues of Bank pensioners and retirees for our interest and also for the interest of our country. He welcomed all the honoured guests Sri S.Jha, Sri A.S.Sekhawat, Sri J.Parikh for their valuable presence in the Meeting. He said that their valued presence and deliberation will add inspiration to all of us. He urged upon all the Office Bearers of the Federation to actively participate in the EC Meeting for concrete decisions about our future course of action.

Each member of the House then offered self introduction for himself. In this context we like to mention that many senior UCOmen of Ahmedabad also attended the meeting with an object to form UCO Bank Pensioners' Association for Gujarat Unit. They also offered their self introduction in the meeting. Com. Rampal, President of our Federation also welcomed these senior Bankmen of Ahmedabad who had assembled with a noble mission to form the Unit of UCO Bank Pensioners' and Retirees in Gujarat.

Sri SuvankarJha, former General Manager of the Bank felt pleasure to attend this august gathering and he also wished for the coming new Gujarat Team for Bank Pensioners and Retirees. He remembered his past experience in UCO Bank and he said that such an excellent gathering for the interest of the Bank Pensioners and Retirees always make him delighted.

Sri SuvankarJha hoped that with the guidance and direction of Com. Jayes Parikh, the new Body of UCO Bank Pensioners' Association, Gujarat will successfully work for the welfare of UCO Bank Pensioners and Retirees in Gujarat. Sri Jha ensured the House that in case of any need in future for the good of the Bank Pensioners and Retirees, he will be ready to offer himself as one dedicated person for the Bank Pensioners and Retirees.

Sri A.S.Sekhawat, former Deputy General Manager of the Bank also remembered his past glorious days in UCO Bank. He spoke that coming newly formed Gujarat Team for UCO Bank Pensioners and Retirees would definitely serve the pensioners and retirees of the Bank and the step to form such an Unit for Bank Pensioners and Retirees in Ahmedabad is one praiseworthy attempt.

Veteran Leader Com. Jayes Parikh, former General Secretary of Association of Officers of UCO Bank, Gujarat welcomed all the office Bearers of All India UCO Bank Pensioners Federation who had come from various parts of the Country. He also welcomed the senior Bankmen of Ahmedabad who had assembled to form their own Unit for Bank Pensioners and Retirees. He said that for a long time, they had been cherishing to form one Unit for Bank Pensioners and Retirees in Gujarat. He thanked the leaders of All India UCO Bank Pensioners Federation who had created such an excellent opportunity for the Ahmedabad people to form their own Unit in Ahmedabad. He offered his heartfelt gratitude to Sri S.Jha, former GM of the Bank and Sri A.S.Sekhawat, former DGM of the Bank for their glorious presence in this House. He also assured the House that he would try his level best to strengthen the coming new Unit of UCO Bank Pensioners and Retirees in Gujarat.

Next Agenda was formation of Gujarat Unit of UCO Bank Pensioners Association. Com. P.B.Chhaya proposed the following names as Office Bearers of UCO Bank Pensioners' Association, Gujarat Unit:

1. CONVENOR: COM. S.JHA.
2. ASST. CONVENOR: COM. A.S.SHEKHAWAT.
3. PRESIDENT: COM. JAYESH PARIKH.
4. VICE PRESIDENT: COM.BHARAT A. DHAMI.
5. GENERAL SECRETARY: COM. YOGESH RAVAL.
6. ASST. GENERAL SECRETARY: COM.K.R.MODI.
7. TREASURER:COM. J.B.SHAH.

All the above names were seconded by Com.K.G.Shah.

The 1ST Session ended with vote of thanks given by Com. KanakMalkhandi, Office Bearer of All India UCO Bank Pensioners Federation. As a token of gratitude, small mementoes were given to all honoured Guests, UCO Bank Pensioners of Ahmedabad and all Participants in the EC Meeting.

The Second Session was scheduled for EC Meeting of UCO Bank Pensioners Federation. Office Bearers of the Federation from various parts of the country attended the EC Meeting. One minute silence was observed by the EC members present in the meeting in memory of all those members, friends, Comrades, leaders of the Federation, eminent persons of trade unions and other fields who passed away during the period under review. Minutes of the last EC Meeting (held in Kolkata on 29.8.2018) was read out by Com.S.Sarkar, GS of Federation and since adopted by the House. Com.Sarkar,GS then placed his written report for consideration in the House. Receipts and Payments Accounts of the Federation up to December, 2019 was also placed. The report placed by GS, covered the following salient points:

1. Important happenings in the country and outside.
2. Federation Top Up Policy with United India Insurance Co, Ltd.
3. Membership Strength of all State Units.
4. DA merger at 1684 Points.

5. Benefit of additional notional service as per Regulation 26 of Bank (Employees') Pension Regulation, 1995.
6. Bank Merger.
7. Grievance Cell Meeting between Federation and the Bank.
8. Federation Fund Position.
9. Dharna Programmes of Bank Pensioners in the country during November, December, 2019 for settlement of long pending issues of Bank Pensioners and Retirees.
10. Clarion Call by UFBU for agitational programmes in the country including strike call on 31.1.2020, 1.2.2020, 11.3.2020, 12.3.2020, 13.3.2020, and indefinite Strike from 1.4.2020 for settlement of various issues of serving employees and retirees.

Following Office Bearers took part in the discussion in connection with the report placed by GS, Federation:

1. Com.S.Hariharan (Karnataka)
2. Com.ArvindAgarwal (MP)
3. Com. Lakshminarayana (Karnataka)
4. Com.A.K.Vig (Chandigarh and Haryana)
5. Com.S.L.Bohra (MP)
6. Com.A.K.Verma (Bihar)
7. Com. L.N.Sharma (Chandigarh and Haryana)
8. Com. J.B.Bansal (Punjab)
9. Com. Venkatachalapathy (TN)
10. Com.R.K.Sharma (HP)
11. Com. N.Rammohan (AP and Telengana)
12. Com. B.K.Banerjee (WB)
13. Com. A.G.Deshmukh (Maharashtra and Goa)
14. Com. Sheetala Prasad (UP)
15. Com. S.N.Pandey (Jharkhand)

All the points raised by the above speakers were taken up by GS, Federation and replied to by him suitably. He requested all the EC members present in the meeting to take effective steps to increase membership of our Organisation and to take proper role for strengthening our beloved Organisation. He further said that initiative should be taken by us for redressing the issues of Bank pensioners and retirees including redressal of the pending mediclaim bills of our members.

GS, Federation thanked Com.K.C.Parmar (Rajasthan) and Com. T.N.Pareek (Rajasthan) for successfully helping the arrangements of Federation EC Meeting in Ahmedabad.

President of the Federation Com.Rampal proposed that one Action Programme should be organised before our HO for proper consideration/redressal of our long pending issues. He also urged the EC members to come forward for strengthening our Organisation and to take care of the pending issues of Bank pensioners and retirees.

Following decisions were also taken in the meeting:

1. To meet urgent expenses of the Federation, each State Unit will remit Rs.20/- per member to the Federation and this decision will be ratified in our next General Body Meeting.
2. For affiliation with AIUCBOF, one suitable reply will be given by the Federation to AIUCBOF in connection with the points raised by them.
3. Com. Arun Kumar (Bihar) is included as Special Invitee of the Federation Central Committee.

Com.A.K.Vig (Chandigarh and Haryana) proposed vote **of thanks**.

Thanks and Regards,

Sd/-

/SubrataSarkar/

General Secretary

Place: Kolkata.

Dated 5th February, 2020.