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#### To All Members (Please Circulate)

We reproduce hereunder the Circular No. 65 dated 13.06.2017 issued by General Secretary, All India State Bank Officers' Federation, the contents of which are self-explicit.

With revolutionary greetings,

Soumya Datta (General Secretary)

To all our Affiliates / Members:

## 1<sup>ST</sup> GENERAL BODY MEETING OF THE STATE BANK OF INDIA OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION - JAIPUR CIRCLE HELD AT JAIPUR ON 10.06.2017

Deep Smriti Auditorium, Jaipur was jam packed with the enthusiastic members of SBIOA Jaipur Circle who witnessed the historic 1st General Body meeting. The new Circle Association was to be born due to the creation of SBI Jaipur Circle. The Chief Guest of the meeting was Sh. A K Chowdhury, General Manager Network- II, A & BU, Jaipur. Com. D T Franco Rajendra Dev, President, AlSBOF and Com. Y Sudarshan, General Secretary, AlSBOF were the guests of honour. After the floral welcome of the guests, the inaugural session commenced with lighting of lamp by Chief Guest Sh. A K Chowdhury, Com. Sushil Kundra, President & Com. Deepak Sharma General Secretary of SBIOA, Chandigarh Circle and other dignitaries present on the dais.

- 2. Com. S D Bali, General Secretary, SBIOA, Jaipur Circle welcomed the distinguished guests and the members in a traditional way. In his address he raised several issues of member's interest such as Regulated working hours, Five Day Week, Updation of Pension, Tax Exemption on leave encashment at the time of retirement/superannuation with enhancement in ceiling from 240 days to 300 days as available to Central Government Employees etc.
- 3. Shri Vijay Ronjan, Chief General Manager could not be able to present in the meeting due to his pre-occupation outside Jaipur, however, he sent his wishes for the success of General Body Meeting. He also appealed to the officers to rise to the occasion and work towards the business development of the Bank. Thereafter, as a responsible organisation 10 Jaipur Foots were presented to Differently abled persons by the Association under Social Activities. Also an officer of our bank Ms Shatabdi Avasthi was felicitated on her qualifying for London Para Athletics Championship. Ms Avasthi has recently won three gold medals in National Championship and Silver medal in FAZZA Para Athletics Championship held in Dubai.
- **4.** Sh. A K Chowdhury, General Manager, NW II, A&B U Jaipur in his address said that "after the merger of Associate Banks with SBI, we are proud and have become one SBI family". He assured that there will be no discrimination. He requested the gathering to provide good customer service so that together we could take this new circle to number one position among all the circles. He wished that the deliberations that take place in the conference would be beneficial for all the officers and will help in augmenting their knowledge in further growth and development of the Bank. He wished the conference every success.
- **5.** Com. Y Sudarshan in his keynote address covered almost all the aspects of banking industry. He said that this is the historic day as after very very long time a new circle association is taking birth. He congratulated all the members for the same. With regards to the progress of XI<sup>th</sup> bipartite settlement, Com. Y. Sudarshan described the nitty gritty of bipartite and also informed the members and explained in detail the Charter of Demand submitted to IBA. He assured and five days week, will be a reality. He also asked the management not to call the officers on Saturday/ Sunday/ Holiday to maintain work life balance.
- 6. Thereafter, Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, Sr. Vice President of Working Committee proposed the vote of thanks.

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- 7. In the afternoon Business Session Com. Rajesh Bhargava, President called the meeting to order and requested the Secretary to proceed further as per the agenda. The business session commenced with the adoption of agenda as per notice of the meeting:
- 8. General Secretary Sh. S D Bali presented the amendments in Bye-laws and Rules of SBIOA Jaipur Circle, which were unanimously approved. Thereafter Sh. Bali presented the Resolutions with a request to adopt them.
- 9. The following Resolutions were moved and passed unanimously:
  - 1. Self-lease/ 5 Days week in the Banking Industry/ Regulated working hours for the employees.
  - 2. Early XI th bipartite settlement
  - 3. To protect trade union rights and working class community.
  - 4. For recruitment of adequate staff.
  - 5. For recruitment of Sports persons
  - 6. To resolve issue of DA neutralisation/ Pension updation / Revision in family pension/ Pension in lieu of NPS.
  - 7. For appointment of Officer Nominee Director in Bank's Boards
  - 8. For enhancement in Gratuity Ceiling
  - 9. For lesser use of paper & more use of information technology communication devices to proceed towards save the earth and environment
- 10. Com. S D Bali, then introduced the new Executive Committee of SBIOA Jaipur Circle consisting of elected members of e-Associate Banks and SBIOA Delhi circle (working in Rajasthan) Com. Rajesh Bhargava as President, Sh Ramavatar Singh Jakhar as Sr. Vice President, Nawal Khanna, P K Sogani & Sh Mukesh Popli as Vice Presidents, Sh S D Bali as General Secretary, Sh Vinay Bhalla as Dy. General Secretary, Sh Sanjeev Gupta as Organizing Secretary & Sh Ravi Prakash Gupta as Treasurer were co-opted unanimously for the Adhoc body which will conduct the elections in a free and fair manner within the stipulated time.
- 11. Newly elected General Secretary Com. S D Bali expressed his heartfelt thanks to the entire membership for extending their full faith and confidence. Com. Bali assured the house that he and his team members would try their best to come out to the expectations of the members.
- 12. After the business session, Com. D T Franco Rajender Dev, President, AISBOF in his address dwelt upon the upcoming challenges for banking industry such as move of the government to privatise the banks, merger of banks to create big banks and simultaneously issuing licenses for opening of small banks, pending HR issues on account of merger etc.
- 13. Sh Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, newly elected Sr. Vice President gave vote of thanks. Thus, the newly formed SBIOA, Jaipur circle came into existence to serve the members with dedication and devotion.

With greetings,

(Y.SUDARSHAN) GENERAL SECRETARY