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To All Members (Please Circulate)

We reproduce hereunder the Circular No. 104 dated 12.10.2017 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:

2ND GENERAL BODY MEETING OF THE STATE BANK OF INDIA OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION JAIPUR CIRCLE HELD AT JAIPUR ON 1.10.2017

The 2nd General Body Meeting of the State Bank of India Officers' Association, Jaipur Circle was convened at 10.30 a.m. on 01.10.2017 at Deep Samriti Auditorium, Tagore International School, Jaipur.

2. The Deep Samriti Auditorium was jam packed with the enthusiastic members of SBIOA Jaipur Circle to be part of their historic 2nd General Body meeting after the recently held Triennial Election 2017-2020.

3. Chief Guest of the meeting was Shri. Vijay Ronjan, Chief General Manager, State Bank of India, Jaipur Circle and Com. D T Franco Rajendra Dev, President, AISBOF & General Secretary, AIBOC was the Guest of Honor. Com. Harshvardhan Madabhushi, Advisor - AIBOC & Sr. Vice President, AISBOF was the special invitee with Com. Sanjeev Mishra, General Secretary, SBIOA - Bhopal Circle, Com. Sushil Ahuja, President (SBIOA - Delhi Circle). Com. Sunil Dutt Bali the Former General Secretary of SBIOA Jaipur Circle and Former President of ABOA who retired from Bank's service on 30.9.2017 was also among special invitees.

4. After the floral welcome of the guests, the inaugural session commenced with lighting of lamp by the Chief Guest Shri. Vijay Ronjan, Com. D.T.Franco Rajendra Dev, Com. Harshvardhan Madabhushi, and Com. S.D. Bali, Com. Sanjeev Mishra, Com. Sushil Ahuja and other dignitaries on the dais including Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar - President & Com. Vinay Kumar Bhalla - General Secretary - SBIOA Jaipur Circle.

5. Thereafter Com. Sanjeev Mishra, General Secretary, SBIOA, Bhopal Circle and Com. Sushil Ahuja President, SBIOA, Delhi Circle; Com. Jainkrishan, Secretary General, SBIOA - Kerala Circle and Com. Umakant Tiwari the Federation EC member from Bhopal Circle were felicitated. SBIOA Jaipur Circle took the initiative to felicitate the veteran leaders of the ABOA who have led the foundation of the Association strong in the past. The senior leaders Com. B. L Rathore, the former General Secretary ABOA Unit SBBJ, Shri. J.N. Sharma- Chairman of ABOA Unit SBBJ, Com. R.K Shah- Former President and General Secretary of ABOA Unit SBBJ and Com. Rajesh Bhargava- President of ABOA Unit SBBJ were felicitated by Com. D.T.Franco Rajender Dev, General Secretary, AIBOC, Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, and Vinay Kumar Bhalla, President and General Secretary of SBIOA, Jaipur Circle respectively.

6. Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar President, SBIOA Jaipur Circle welcomed the guests and the gathering in a traditional way. In his address he raised several issues of member's interest such as calling of officers on Holiday/Sunday, Accidental Insurance Policy for members. He also appealed the member's to work whole heartedly for the Bank and raise the flag of the Circle high among other circles.

7. Com. Vinay Kumar Bhalla, General Secretary of SBIOA Jaipur Circle then addressed the gathering and touched upon issues pertaining to the need for cohesive working conditions for officer's in the state of Rajasthan so that, officers can deliver their 100%, he also requested the CGM to kindly look into the issues and wherever required the necessary steps be taken to improve the working conditions. He also impressed upon the membership to now leave behind the difference of officers of Associate Banks & SBI as after merger we all are now officers of SBI and now it is our bounded duty to work together for the growth of the Bank. With the merger of Associate Banks with SBI we are only & only one SBI family.

8. He also spoke about Com. Sunil Dutt Bali the former President, ABOA and former General Secretary SBIOA Jaipur Circle who retired from Bank Service on 30/09/2017. He told the house about his contribution to the Association for which he will be remembered for long period and his name will always be there when the history of the Association is written. Com. Bali was a mature leader and under his leadership the Association has grown very strong year after year and is considered a vibrant Association.

9. Shri. Vijay Ronjan, Chief General Manager addressed the gathering and informed the house regarding recently conducted survey by an international agency which has rated the SBI as the top three places to work with apart from Google and BHEL. He thanked the entire officer's community in the circle for the smooth transition after merger and gave full credit to all. He then advised the house that he also do not believe in working on Holiday/Sunday as it impacts the work life balance. He impressed upon the officers to ensure that they should complete the work during the working days only to avoid the work during holidays.

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10. He also announced that the Circle has decided to start the Non Public Working day on every 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesday of the month for single officer branches on selected days to complete the work and ease the pressure of work. He also thanked the newly elected Team under the leadership of Com. Jakhar and Com. Bhalla and assured that the circle will grow with the joint efforts.

11. Com. D.T. Franco Rajender Dev while delivering his keynote address covered almost all the aspects of banking industry. He said that this is the historic day as after very long time a new circle association which was created on 1.4.2017 with merger of Associate Banks with SBI and their Triennial elections process was just completed and this is our youngest SBIOA among all circles. He then congratulated the new President Com. Jakhar and General Secretary Com. Vinay Bhalla and assured to extend all support to strengthen the new circle association in all its endeavors. He also congratulated all the members of new team. He then touched upon the save Public Sector campaign, salary revision progress, 5 day week, Service Charges, CDS, Prosper and working on Sunday/Holidays. He also impressed upon the need to involve the young officers in the Association activities so that the young officers are also groomed to take forward the Association activities. He also discussed the successful conduct of youth convention in Kolkata held in August 2017. While deliberating on the salary revision he assured the house that unless the IBA agrees to discuss the salary revision for officer's upto Scale VII the UFBU will not go forward. Thereafter, Com. Harsavardhan Madabhushi, Advisor - AIBOC and Sr. Vice President, AISBOF gave his address. He especially spoke about Com. Sunil Dutt Bali the Former President- ABOA and Former General Secretary SBIOA - Jaipur Circle who retired from Bank Service on 30/9/2017. He told the house about his contribution to the officer's fraternity, he was not only leader of ABOA but his contribution to SBIOA - Jaipur Circle, AIBOC and AISBOF is unforgettable. He has given lot many good things to the officers of e-Associate Banks through his negotiation skills in various bipartite meetings with the Management. He said that Com. Bali is a cool, calm and a hard negotiator and possess all the qualities a human being.

12. In the afternoon there was a business session following agenda was discussed:

- a) To read and confirm the minutes of the previous General Body Meeting held on 10/06/2017;
- b) Passing of resolutions if any
- c) To install the newly elected Office Bearers and other elected members to various post of the Executive Committee,
- d) To transact such other business as may be brought forward with the permission of the Chair.

13. Com. Bhalla read the minutes of the 1st General Body Meeting dated 10/6/2017 and the same was approved by the General Body. Thereafter Com. Bhalla presented the Resolutions with a request to adopt them. Resolutions were moved and passed unanimously calling for:

- 1) 5 Days week in the Banking Industry
- 2) Timely Salary Revision
- 3) For recruitment of adequate staff
- 4) No working on Sunday/Holiday in any case
- 5) For recruitment of Sports persons
- 6) Self-lease facility for officers
- 7) For appointment of Officer-Director on the Bank's Board.

14. Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, newly elected President proposed the vote of thanks.

15. We congratulate and compliment Com. Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, President and Com. Vinay Kumar Bhalla, General Secretary, SBIOA (Jaipur Circle) and the large number of volunteers for arranging a historic General Body of SBIOA (Jaipur Circle).

With greetings,



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GENERAL SECRETARY