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## To All Members (Please Circulate)

We reproduce hereunder the Circular No. 85 dated 08.08.2017 issued by General Secretary, All India State Bank Officers' Federation, the contents of which are self-explicit.

With revolutionary greetings,

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Soumya Datta (General Secretary)

#### To all our Affiliates / Members:

## OPENING OF EXCLUSIVE SECOND WING OF NATURE AT PATIALA

129<sup>TH</sup> TRAINING PROGRAMME ON DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS FOR 3 DAYS FROM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY TO 2<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST, 2017

It was a historic day on 30th July, 2017 when SBIOA Chandigarh Circle added one more jewel in the crown of AISBOF by starting exclusive second wing of **NATURE** in the northern part of the country which was inaugurated at Patiala in the Guest House of erstwhile ABOA, Unit Patiala situated at # 590, S.S.T. Nagar, near Chardikala Time TV Office, Patiala for all the members' affiliates of AIBOC and AISBOF.

2. The function started with Bhog ceremony of Shri Sukhmani Sahib at 10:00 a.m. on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2017 and the Chief Guest Shri Sanjay Kumar, General Manager Network-I, Chandigarh Circle and Com Y. Sudarshan, General Secretary, AISBOF unfurl the inaugural plate NATURE. Shri D. B. Singh, DGM & CDO Chandigarh Circle, Mrs Nishi Bhatnagar, DGM (B&O), Patiala Module, Com Sushil Kundra, Circle President, Com Deepak Sharma, General Secretary, Com Charanjit Singh, Sr, Vice President and veteran leaders Com Amar Pal, Com M. K.Virmani, Com Virender Bhatt, Com. Vijay Magan, Com D. P. S Chabra and veteran leaders from erstwhile ABOA, Patiala Unit Com Chaman Singla, and the faculty of NATURE graced the occasion.

3. Com. Deepak Sharma, the General Secretary, SBIOA Chandigarh Circle extending a warm welcome to Com Y Sudarshan, General Secretary, AISBOF, Sh Sanjay Kumar, General Manager, Sh D B Singh, DGM & CDO and other dilatoriness present on the occasion. He thanked the Federation for acceding to his long pending demand of creation of second wing of NATURE in Chandigarh Circle. He also welcomed the faculty members, veteran leaders, Office Bearers and Central Committee Members of SBIOA, Chandigarh Circle. He impressed upon the need of understanding the Service conditions/ Knowledge updation on regular basis and assured that the wing of NATURE will act as a resource for imparting the training and education in the management of trade union activities and will keep them abreast with day-to-day developments in the trade union field on an ongoing basis.

**4.** Speaking on the occasion Shri Sanjay Kumar, General Manager, Network-I, Chandigarh Circle appreciated the activities undertaken by the Federation and the Circle Association at Chandigarh. He also took the advantage of the presence of large number of leaders from the various parts of the country. He also appreciated the role played by the Circle Association in extending total co-operation to the Management in achieving the corporate goals.

5. Shri D. B. Singh, DGM & CDO, Chandigarh Circle praised the Federation leadership and greeted the Circle leaders for taking initiative in creation of NATURE wing in Chandigarh Circle. He said that the Circle Association is undertaking the task of training the Defense Representatives to effectively defend their colleagues in the enquiry. He also wished the candidates that they would make use of the opportunity and get all their doubts cleared and equip themselves in the art of defense.

6. Com Y Sudarshan in his address said that he is pleased to see the facilities available in the guest house of erstwhile ABOA. He expressed his happiness that Federation has taken the right decision to create the second wing of NATURE in Chandigarh Circle. He said that Com. Deepak Sharma has time and again enjoined upon to open the wing in Chandigarh Circle. He told that the NATURE responded to the request of the leadership of the Circle Association, in particular the General Secretary, who has an excellent vision and aptitude to identify the leadership at the grass root level and mould them for taking up the responsibility of running the organization and also to ensure that the officers are defended in an effective manner in the disciplinary proceedings.

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7. The members of the faculty who were entrusted with the responsibility of handling various sessions included senior comrades such as Com. Y. Sudarshan, General Secretary, AISBOF, Com.G.D.Nadaf, the former General Secretary of the Federation and Confederation, Com.G. Muthuswamy, the former Senior Vice-President of the Federation and also General Secretary of SBIOA(K) apart from Com. Shantha Raju, former General Secretary of the Federation and Confederation, Com. Shyam Sundar Rao, the former Dy.General Secretary and President of SBIOA(K), also handled sessions as a faculty of Nature in their own eloquent style, which was well received by the participants. Com. Deepak Sharma and Com D P S Chabra also handled a session each during the programme and provided an excellent support for the successful conduct of the program.

### Valedictory Function on 01/08/2017

8. Com. Y.Sudarshan, the General Secretary of the Federation was the Chief Guest on the valedictory function. He also took sessions apart from participation in the valedictory function. He advised the members to use the knowledge that they have learned in the training for the benefit of the charged officials. He also wished all the participants all the best. He also utilized the occasion for deliberating at length on various issues concerning the banking industry with particular reference to the State Bank of India and the preparedness of the Federation to take forward the efforts in resolving all the long pending issues. Com. Ravinder Gupta and Com Sushil Ahuja, General Secretary and President of SBIOA Delhi Circle respectively along with other veteran leaders of eABOA were Guests of Honor.

9. The three days program concluded on 02.08.2017 with a valedictory function. The candidates spoke highly about the contribution of the NATURE and the involvement of the faculty with their tremendous experience and practical approach in conduct of all the sessions. They also paid rich tributes to the leadership of the Federation in providing an excellent forum for training the leadership and appreciated the role of Circle as well as Patiala Module leadership. Thereafter, the candidates were awarded with memento and Certificates by the dignitaries on the dais for their participation in the 3 day's programme.

10. Comrades, yet another mile stone has been achieved by the NATURE through this wonderfully organized program by our Chandigarh Circle Association. A word of appreciation for the facilities and infrastructure provided by the SBIOA, Chandigarh Circle with an excellent ambience and other arrangements. We acknowledge the services rendered by Com Harinder Gupta, Zonal President, Com Rajiv Sirhindi and Com Harbagh Singh, Regional Secretary in an exemplary manner. The NATURE will now move forward by conducting series of programs in coming days.

11. In yet another development, the world famous channel looked after by a veteran Parliamentarian and the Press Secretary in the Parliament, Shri. Jagjit Singh Dardi a very popular personality of Patiala and highly respected in the Parliament and held in high esteem by the Central Ministers for his valuable contributions invited our leaders both Com. Y.Sudarshan, the General Secretary of the Federation and Com. Deepak Sharma, the General Secretary of the Circle Association in their popular slot in the evening and covered live very exhaustively on all the issues connected with the Banking, the role of the Trade unions, the contributions made by the banks to the economic development of the country. It was not only telecasted in the various parts of the country but also covered abroad, covering even countries like, Canada, USA and other several countries where the people of Haryana and Punjab have their valuable presence. The interview was hosted by Miss. Sahiba who is very popular on the channel for her effective conducting of live interview.

12. Shri. Jagjit Singh Dardi thereafter invited our leaders and spent considerable time with them discussing various issues connected with the country including the need for continuing the efforts of public sector banks in reaching out to the masses. He assured his support for all the initiatives taken up by the Federation as well as the Chandigarh Circle Association. The leadership of the Circle Association and Federation expressed their gratitude and assured him our co-operation and support to the efforts of the Government in ensuring that the banking facilities are extended to the masses of the country.

With greetings,

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