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To All Affiliates/State Units/Members

Dear Comrades,

AIPNBOA HOLDS ITS 23rd GENERAL COUNCIL WITH FULL GRANDEUR

The 23rd Triennial General Council of the AIPNBOA held on 13th September, 2015, at Jaipur, was a glittering affair. The auditorium with 1360 seating capacity was brimming with the mammoth gathering of the members, having come from length and breadth of the country.

The venue was beautifully decorated and the Volunteers attired in traditional dress were present to welcome all. In the backdrop, band from Rajasthan Rifles played welcome tune. The Chief Guest, Guests of Honour and other guests were escorted to the hall, in Rajasthani traditional welcome with 'Turai Vadan' 'Dhol' 'Chanwar' and 'Mangal Geet' in a procession. The Chief Guest on the occasion was Ms. Usha Ananthasubramanian, MD & CEO of PNB. Com. Y Sudarshan, President AIBOC and Com. P. R. Mehta, General Secretary AIPNBEF were the Guests of Honour. Many Executives of the Bank and leaders from the sister Organisations as well as the Confederation were also present on the occasion.

The programme started with the prayer and welcome song. Before the Chief guests and others were invited to the Dais, musical performance by students of Sawai Mansingh Sangeet Academy, and famous 'Ghoomer' folk dance of Rajasthan were performed. The inaugural function started with the Saraswati Vandana along with lighting of lamp by the Chief Guest and other dignitaries on the dais. Com. Swadesh Saxena, Chairman, Reception Committee on behalf of entire officers in the state of Rajasthan welcomed the Guests, Dignitaries, Delegates and Observers to the Triennial General Council.

Com. B L Goyal, the convener of the General Council while welcoming the Guests, Dignitaries, Delegates and Observers proudly announced that AIPNBOA commands over 90% membership. Shri Rakesh Shukla, Circle Head Jaipur congratulated Com. Goyal and his team and welcomed new elected office bearers of the Association and expressed faith that AIPNBOA will climb to further heights under leadership of Com. Dilip Saha. The Working President of AIPNBOA, Com. Ajay Jaitly, expressed that the members of the Association shall continue to work with commitments towards bank and Organization in future as well. Subsequently AIPNBOA, presented a cheque for purchase of Water Coolers & Musical Instruments to Sawai Mansingh Sangeet Maha Vidyalaya, Jaipur which is engaged in imparting music lessons to visually impaired. Com. P. R. Mehta, General Secretary, AIPNBEF addressed the gathering and reiterated the necessity of solidarity and coordination between AIPNBEF and AIPNBOA. Shri S K Wadhwa, Field General Manager Jaipur in his address emphasized to concentrate for development of our bank in all fields by quality lending, hard work and sincerity despite all odds. Com. Y Sudarshan, President AIBOC, in his speech said that he is thrilled to witness such a marvelous gatherings of

the comrades assembled from length and breadth of the country giving it a festive look. He congratulated the lady comrades who came in large number to attend the meeting. He elaborated the role of AIBOC in the present wage revision securing holiday for 2nd & 4th Saturdays and elaborated finer details. He congratulated AIPNBOA, the largest Officers association amongst the nationalized banks, for making all out efforts in achieving various benefits to the Officers in PNB in the recent past and congratulated Com. Dilip Saha for creating history by compelling the management to form a model Accountability policy finest in the Industry. The dignitaries on the dais then released the Souvenir brought out on the occasion to commemorate the General Council.

General Secretary Com. Dilip Saha in his address welcomed all participants of the General Council and congratulated MD & CEO on her appointment in PNB. He assured that officers of Punjab National Bank are determined to retain the no. 1 position for which management should ensure to continue the positivity. Urging the management to increase long pending petrol limit, he also demanded that management should desist from calling officers on hard earned holiday of 2nd & 4th Saturday, Sunday and other holidays, ensure proper compensation for working for CTS clearing & other real exigencies on declared holidays, not to open branches in make shift premises without infrastructure and ensure uninterrupted hardware & technology support which is hindrance to better customer service in spite of spending crores of rupees on AMCs.

Ms. Usha Anantasubramanian, MD & CEO expressed her immense pleasure for this programme which offers an important platform of togetherness. She emphasized on the need to accelerate the digitalization to improve productivity and efficiency. She opined that human resource is the most important pillar on which an organization can bank upon and the best place to bank for our customers starts from creating the best working environment for our employees. She stressed the need to give top most attention to soaring stressed assets in the Bank, improve recovery efforts, enhance the qualitative credit growth and Grooming of new recruits and up-skilling of the staff. She agreed to look into issues raised by the General Secretary.

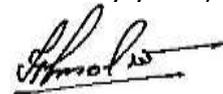
While proposing vote of thanks, Com. Pradeep Kumar, President of AIPNBOA raised the issue of Circle Authorities creating unreasonable pressure on the field staff and demanded to stop such practices immediately.

In the delegate session, the General Secretary presented his report to the General Council covering all developments of last 3 years and the house paid homage to the departed souls. After detailed deliberation on the Secretary Report, Audited Statement of Accounts and appointment of Auditors were adopted. Number of resolutions including the amendments to the Constitution of AIPNBOA also unanimously passed in the meeting. Subsequently, the Returning officer announced the results of the newly elected office bearers of the Central Executive Committee of AIPNBOA for the three year period 2015-2018 who were installed in the Office.

We convey our heartiest congratulations to the new team headed by Chairman Com. B.L. Goyal, President Com. Pradeep Kumar, Working President Com. Ajay Jaitly, General Secretary Com. Dilip K. Saha and Treasurer Com. S.K. Khajanchi, and convey our best wishes for the wonderful and cohesive working.

With warm greetings,

Comradely yours,



(HARVINDER SINGH)
GENERAL SECRETARY