



**ALL INDIA BANK PENSIONERS' & RETIREES' CONFEDERATION
(A.I.B.P.A.R.C.)**



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**(For circulation among members of the governing council of AIBPARC,
State Secretaries, Special Invitees and Advisors.)**

Dear Comrade,

**Sub:12th Triennial General Council of AIBOC held on 23rd to 25th January,2021
at EZCC, Kolkata named as Com. S R Sengupta Nagar and Com. Anil Kumar Jana Mancha.**

We have much pleasure to inform all that AIBOC, true to its long established traditions, held the above meeting in real colours in the midst of massive participation and enthusiasm.

*On the day of inauguration, a long procession accompanied by a bike rally with colourful posters on various demands including updation of Pension moved through different streets of Salt Lake and gathered at the tastefully decorated Conference Hall. After hoisting of flag and offering of floral tributes to the INA Martyrs column (it was the birthday of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose), the inaugural session started at the fully packed Hall.

*Shri Raj Kiran Rai, Chairman, IBA was the inaugurator and the Chief Guest. The Guests of honour had been S/Shree Suprita Sarkar, GS, AIBPARC, S.Nagarajan, GS,AIBOA, P.K.Makker, GS,INBOC , V V Tikekar, GS,NOBO and Dr. Prosenjit Bose, an eminent Economist and social worker.

* Com. Sunil Kumar, President, in his initial address warmly welcomed all delegates, observers guests and former leaders to the conference. He offered in a nutshell the schedule of proceedings that would take place in next two days. He praised the solidarity among all the Officers organizations at the time of negotiation on wage revision.

*Com Soumya Datta, General Secretary, observed that the emergence of women power and the youth power is the greatest gain of this General Council. He praised the rock like solidarity that all the Officers Organizations have displayed during bilateral talks with IBA/Govt. He expressed gratitude to all his colleagues, especially the senior ones, for the cooperation at crucial time. He also praised the roles of certain key personalities in the management team who made positive contribution to arrive at the settlement.

*Com. Sanjay Das, Secretary, State unit greeted the conference and praised the untiring efforts of volunteers to make it flawless.

*Former Presidents and General Secretaries of AIBOC (who remained present),former Presidents and General Secretaries of different Affiliates who retired during the period and different guests were felicitated by the Organisation.

* Chairman, IBA could not attend the Conference physically because of last moment cancellation of flight. He appeared on a giant screen and spoke on various issues which include, inter alia, Indian economy, present situation in Banking Industry, great service rendered by Bank people during pandemic days, constructive role of AIBOC and other organizations in Bipartite talks on wage revision, the technological upgradation which is yet to come, challenges of merger of Banks etc. He offered tributes to the glorious contribution of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose. As regards issues of Retirees, he told: Family Pension is under process. IBA is expecting approval of Government. It is a matter of formality.

*Com. S. Sarkar, GS, AIBPARC, while greeting the Conference, recalled the ideals and values for which AIBOC stood since inception. He congratulated the Organisation for signing the settlement for the entire community of Officers. He requested the leadership to recirculate the policy resolution taken by AIBOC at the time of formation of AIBPARC so that younger members might be apprised about it. He conveyed gratitude to all the organizations for achieving improvement in Family Pension and urged upon all concerned to demand Updation of Pension with courage and conviction. He cited relevant provisions of Pension Regulations before the house.

* Com. K.V. Acharya, President, sent an elaborate message to the President and General Secretary of AIBOC which is reproduced hereunder for information of members.

*Business session took place on 24th and 25th January 2021. Com. T. Murali Soundara Rajan (IOB) and Com. Somya Datta (SBI) have been unanimously elected as President and General Secretary of the organisation respectively. We congratulate the leaders and wish that AIBOC would move from strength to strength in days to come.

With best and regards,



(SUPRITA SARKAR)
GENERAL SECRETARY

QUOTE:

Dear Comrades Sunilji and SoumyaDattaji ,

Hearty Congratulations on the Occasion of the Conference of our beloved AIBOC in the Revolutionary City Kolkata. I wish the Inaugural Function and the General Council Meeting all success and deliberations very meaningful and significant in laying the roadmap for carrying on the movement strongly to take on the formidable Challenges emerging on the scene.

I had the proud privilege of attending almost all AIBOC Conferences since 1990 till the last Conference at Jaipur either as Office bearer or as a Well Wisher of AIBOC or as Representative of AIBPARC. But I had to deny myself that pleasure this time due to the obvious health conditions.

I am extremely happy and thankful to you and AIBOC for inviting our General Secretary Com Supritha Sarkar to address the Open Session along with other Dignitaries. You have honoured not only AIBOC but the Entire Bank Officers Movement and AIBPARC and Bank Pensioners and Retirees Movement also by decorating the Conference Venue and Hall with the names of our Legendary Leaders Comrade S R Sengupta and A K Jana . This will certainly take our memories to the early days of AIBOC led by Visionaries like Comrades R N Godbole and S R Sengupta who brought about a Vibrant, Independent and Value based Officers Trade union movement in the Banking Industry.

I am very certain and confident that AIBOC will continue to be the Torch Bearer of Bank Officers Movement and will also play a crucial role in the Bank Pensioners and Retirees Movement resolving the Long Pending Issues of Bank Pensioners and Retirees.

I once again wish the Conference All Success.

With Warm Regards,

Yours Comradely,



K V Acharya,
President, AIBPARC.
Camp GURUGRAM.
Date 23rd January 2021.