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For circulation among members of the Governing Council, State Secretaries, Special Invitees, Advisors, Affiliates and Members.

Dear Comrade,

Sub: Group Medical Insurance Scheme for Bank Retirees for the year 2022--23.

We reproduce hereunder the text of our letter written to The Chairman, IBA on date on the above subject.

This is for information of members.

With best wishes and regards,

Comradely Yours,

Suprita Sarkar General Secretary.

Quotel: :As stated.

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Date: June 02, 2022.

The Chairman, IBA, Mumbai.

Dear Sir,

Sub: Group Medical Insurance Scheme for Bank Retirees for the year 01.11.2022 to 31.10.2023.

We came to know that IBA formed a committee comprising of the Chief General Managers/General Managers handling HR of several Banks to review the medical insurance scheme for the year 2022--23 and a meeting has been arranged between the members of the said committee and the Constituents of UFBU on 8th June,2022 at IBA office, Mumbai.

In view of the above development, We request you to consider the following demands of our organization on a priority basis:



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- 1. As the Scheme is for the serving employees as well as the Retirees of the Industry, the views of the Retiree organizations should also be heard and be given due cognizance. As one of the major stakeholders, We demand consultative status and expect to be called soon.
- 2. Our organization has already submitted a comprehensive paper on the subject before you on 6th April, 2022 and we can reasonably expect that the same has received due importance it deserves. We once again request you to have a look at the paper and get apprised about the agonies and aspirations of the senior citizens of the industry.
- 3. Our demands include, inter alia, full/ substantial subsidisation of the insurance premium by the Bank otherwise the astronomical hike of premium over a few years has made the scheme almost unaffordable by the Retirees. As per an open declaration by the Hon'ble Union Finance Minister in the 73rd AGM of IBA, the Retirees of the Industry should be treated by the Banks as members of the same family. We request that the discriminatory treatment towards the older citizens should be put to an end.

With kind regards,

Yours faithfully,

Suprita Sarkar General Secretary