

ALL INDIA BANK PENSIONERS' & RETIREES' CONFEDERATION

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(For circulation among all the members of the Managing Committee as well as the Governing Council of AIBPARC, Special Invitees, State Secretaries and Advisors of AIBPARC.)

Dear Comrades,

Sub: Group mediclaim of IBA for retirees.

Today we have written a letter to convener of UFBU on above subject. The same is reproduced for information of members.

With best wishes,

(SUPRITA SARKAR) GENERAL SECRETARY

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Com. Sanjeev K. Bandlish, Convenor, UFBU, C/o. State Bank of India, LHO, Plot 1, sector 17A, Chandigarh.

Dear Comrade,

Sub: Group Medical Insurance Scheme of IBA

We have learnt that UFBU would be meeting soon to discuss the present situation and future line of action. We shall be earnestly requesting you to kindly find some time to discuss the following issues:

Only a few months of time are left before the date of expiry of the present scheme and discussion should be initiated to arrive at a retiree-friendly mediclaim policy. Although we have been regularly reminding IBA about this, it has not been made known to us as to what will be the future pattern. From different communications we have known that UFBU demanded that the serving employees and retirees should not be asked to go to the TPA or the insurance company. They would be approaching their present or past

employer for their cashless arrangement and reimbursement which has to be arranged by the bank. The banks may have their own arrangements if need be. We have known that IBA appreciated the suggestion.

We shall be requesting you and to all components through you to finalise the issue well in advance. Any hasty decision at the fag end of the tenure of the group mediclaim policy might jeopardize the interest of retirees. We have started hearing several rumours/suggestion about what would be IBA's final stand in this regard. We require to have clarity in this regard and that is why seek your kind intervention into the subject.

With best wishes,

Comradely yours,

(SUPRITA SARKAR) GENERAL SECRETARY