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## **Sub:** State Body formation in Uttar Pradesh

Dear Comrades,

The fury of the pandemic has not yet abated, and it already has taken a heavy toll on almost every aspect of our lives. My fellow officers, you have been battling all odds to keep all our RRB branches fully functional. It is indeed a great achievement and is a glorious tribute to your dedication, tenacity and your sense of duty and responsibility towards the nation. I also gladly mention that numerous units of our Federation have written to me about the donations made by them to PM CARES FUND and to the Chief Minister's Relief Funds of the concerned states, and about relief programmes organized by them for distribution of food and other essentials to the poor and needy, whose lives have been thrown into turmoil owing to the COVID-19 pandemic. It speaks volumes about their social commitment. On behalf of the Federation I congratulate each and every one of you. You have truly made us proud.

On this note, I would like to inform you Comrades that, In order to further consolidate our Federation and to make it monolithic, it has been decided to form state bodies of our affiliated units in states having more than one RRB. These bodies will facilitate coordination and co-operation among our units and will also function as extended arms of the Federation. Our organizational activities are now greatly hampered owing to the raging pandemic. These bodies will therefore function as ad hoc bodies. According to the bye-laws of the Federation, these state bodies will be regularized through General Body Meetings to be held when the situation stabilizes and organizational activities may be pursued once again without let or hindrance.

We are glad to inform you that our units in the state of Uttar Pradesh have already come together and have formed the following Adhoc State Body. We congratulate them for taking the lead in this regard.

- President Shri Anand kumar (Aryavart Bank)
- Senior Vice president Shri Manoj Sinha (Prathama UP Gramin Bank)
- Vice President Shri Bholendra Pratap Singh (Aryavart Bank)
- State Secretary Shri Santosh Tiwari (Baroda UP Gramin Bank)
- Treasurer Shri Kumar Pal (Baroda UP Gramin Bank)
- \* Joint General Secretary Shri Sanjeev Patel (Aryavart Bank), Shri Vikas Pathak (Prathama UP Gramin Bank), Shri Rajesh Srivastava (Baroda UP Gramin Bank)
- Co-Ordinator (Women's Wing) Smt. Shailja Singh (Aryavart Bank)
- Organisational Secretary Shri Rajesh Jaiswal (Baroda UP Gramin) Bank), Shri Ajeet Singh (Prathama UP Gramin Bank)

**Comrades,** at this time our nation is passing through a very critical phase. The economy, which had been partially derailed owing to lockdown, has been showing visible signs of revival, but is yet to pick up full steam. Meanwhile, our unprincipled and **expansionist neighbour China is flexing its muscles most menacingly** and is hell-bent on making inroads into our territories along the northern and north eastern borders, flagrantly violating all international laws and principles and even their own earlier agreements. Our nation and our brave soldiers are determined to defeat their satanic and evil designs at all costs. Already, twenty of our brave soldiers have laid down their lives to foil their attempts to occupy our territory in the **Galwan** sector. **We salute the martyrs** and shall forever treasure their supreme sacrifice in our hearts.

With warmest regards,

(Srijan Kumar Pal) General Secretary