



## ALL INDIA REGIONAL RURAL BANK OFFICERS' FEDERATION (Affiliated to AIBOC)

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### **Interface Programme between AIRRBOF & AIPNBOA – A Grand Success**

Dear Comrades,

An Interface Programme of AIRRBOF and All India Punjab National Bank Officers' Association was held in Mumbai at Ramee Guestline Hotel, Dadar on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Most of you may be aware that in an endeavour to strengthen our organisation as also for raising the issues of the officers of Gramin Banks with the leadership of Sponsor Bank Units, the undersigned had initially proposed an Interface between our Federation and unit level leadership and AIPNBOA leadership to our respected and beloved leader Com. Dilip Saha, General Secretary AIPNBOA. He, at the first instance, most eagerly assented to our proposal at the earliest opportunity and thereafter made all arrangements for holding such a novel yet immensely important meeting. The meeting accordingly materialized on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022 in Mumbai.

The programme commenced at 11:30 am. AIRRBOF was represented by Com. B L Khandelwal and Com. Srijan Kr. Pal, President and General Secretary respectively and four other Office Bearers, besides nine unit level leaders from four RRBs sponsored by PNB. AIPNBOA was represented by Com. Dilip Saha, General Secretary, Com. Suman S Jha, Com. Nitin Kamath and Com. Suryakant Londhe.

After brief self-introduction by the participants Com. B L Khandelwal addressed the house and requested General Secretary Com. Srijan Kr. Pal to briefly deliver an outline regarding the need and purpose of the Interface. Com. Pal warmly welcomed the assembled leadership and highlighted the various issues which have cropped up in the concerned RRBs and the need for intervention of AIPNBOA for time bound and effective resolution of the issues .

Thereafter Com. Nitin Kamath, Office bearer of AIPNBOA, Maharashtra Unit addressed the house., Com. B L Khandelwal, President of AIRRBOF, requested General Secretary AIPNBOA, Com. Dilip Saha to address the house. Com. Saha welcomed everyone and drew attention to the unique nature of the Interface. He regretted that in RRBs, our membership position is not very satisfactory and it was necessary to bring the bulk of officers who still remained outside our fold, under the banner of our Federation. AIPNBOA, on its part, will extend full support for the formation of units of AIRRBOF where such units did not exist. He also proposed the formation of a coordinating body comprising leadership of units of RRBs sponsored by PNB and representatives of AIPNBOA. Four RRB units were present in the meeting and participated in the discussion, highlighting the problems encountered by them at sponsored Bank level. Thereafter Com. Saha, General Secretary, AIPNBOA, declared the



formation of a coordinating body to impart an organised structure and permanence to the endeavour. Accordingly the house anonymously resolved to nominate the following members from the RRB units.

<b>Proposed Committee Members</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Unit Name</b>
Debasis Mahapatra	Bangiya Gramin Bank Officers' Association
Samiran Biswas	Bangiya Gramin Bank Officers' Association
Koushik Ghosh	Bangiya Gramin Bank Officers' Association
Tamal Debnath	Tripura Gramin Bank Officers' Association
Md. Jabir Akram	Tripura Gramin Bank Officers' Association
Biplab Kumar Nath	Assam Gramin Vikash Bank Officers' Federation
Pratik Shukla	Prathama U P Gramin Bank Officers' Federation
Ajay Kumar	Prathama U P Gramin Bank Officers' Federation

One member from Assam Gramin Vikash Bank Officers' Federation will be intimated later on. AIPNBOA would nominate their members shortly. General Secretary AIPNBOA also declared that he will invite our members (in PNB sponsored RRBs) for attending their training programmes on Disciplinary Proceedings to be held in various States.

Friends, we intend to organise more such Interface Programmes in the near future. We are fortunate to be under the protective umbrella of AIBOC with the full organisational support of the mighty Confederation. The General Secretary of AIBOC is our revered leader, mentor and well-wisher. We also have a dedicated band of soldiers – our members, who, with their unflinching loyalty and commitment have made us proud. We firmly believe that with your active involvement and participation we will definitely further expand and consolidate our Federation and forge ahead in our struggle to secure and safeguard our rights.

With warmest greetings,

Comradely Yours,

With greetings,

(Srijan Kumar Pal)  
General Secretary