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Dear Comrades,

Non-Release of PF accumulation of staff of RRBs

We reproduce hereunder the full text of our Letter with Ref No. AIRRBOF/27/2022 dated 07.07.2022 originally addressed to Shri Bhupender Yadav, Hon'ble Minister of Labour & Employment, Government of India, along with the subsequent reply from the office of The Minister of Labour & Employment. This is for your information.

With revolutionary greetings,

(Srijan Kumar Pal) General Secretary

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Shri Bhupender Yadav

Hon'ble Minister of Labour and Employment Government of India Shram Shakti Bhawan Rafi Marg New Delhi 110001

REMINDER

Respected Sir,

Re: Non-Release of PF accumulation of staff of RRBs.

We had earlier addressed communications to your good office on the 8th and 24th of June, 2021, on the subject of exclusion of the staff of RRBs from the ambit of Employees' Provident Fund Act of 1952 consequent upon the verdict of the Supreme Court on the 25th of April, 2018, declaring them eligible for pension as prevalent in nationalised commercial banks.

We had further appealed to your good self for kind intervention for ensuring that the PF accumulation of the staff of the RRBs, hitherto retained with the RPFCs, was expeditiously released to the individual RRBs for refund to the staff, etc.

We would like to draw your kind attention the plight of the staff of the RRBs, who, on retirement, are not receiving the PF dues, and moreover, have to refund upfront, the sums they would have received as employers' contribution, for release of pension as per banking industry norms. This double jeopardy is a devastating blow to the retirees.

May we urge upon your good self to look into this humanitarian issue and arrange to instruct the RPFCs to remit the PF accumulation of RRB staff forthwith and thus extricate the hapless retirees of RRBs from this grim ordeal.

With regards,

Yours faithfully, Sd/-(Srijan Kumar Pal) General Secretary

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Reply from the Office of the Minister of Labour & Employment Government of India



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Cc: AMAR SINGH <pstominister-mole@gov.in>

8 July 2022 at 11:02

Ma'am/Sir,

We hope this email finds you in good health.

We would like to confirm the receipt of your email. It has been forwarded to the concerned team.

Best Regards,

Office of Minister for Labour & Employment, Government of India

From: airrbofskpal@gmail.com

To: "LEM Minister Office" <minoffice-mole@nic.in>
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