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Organisational Issues

A meeting of the Executive Committee of State Bank of Patiala Retired Officers Association (Regd.) was held on 8th August 2022 to discuss the following items :

- i) To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting
- ii) To consider strategy to improve collection of subscription for 2021-22 & 2022-23
- iii) To discuss latest bipartite talks on pension
- iv) To discuss progress of enrollment of fresh membership
- v) To discuss organizational issues including reconstitution of EC and to fill up the vacancy(ies)
- vi) Any other issue with the permission of Chair

The meeting was held under Presidentship of Shri Rakesh Jasra, Senior Vice President in absence of Shri Harish Walia who could not attend meeting due to illness. While welcoming the members, Shri K.S.Sandhu General Secretary appreciated and thanked the members for making the General Body meeting a grand success. Two minutes silence was observed remembering the persons who left us during the intervening period.

The House unanimously wished early recovery to Shri Harish Walia, President. Thereafter, minutes of the last meeting were read out which were confirmed by the Executive Committee and meeting started discussing issues as per agenda circulated.

a) Expenditure incurred during the intervening period and in holding the conference was confirmed.

b) Review of subscription was done. Lists of overdue were handed over to all unit secretaries. It was decided to extend benefit of one time payment of Rs.2100/- (Rs.1400/- for previous years + Rs.700/- for current year 2022-23) from all such persons who could not pay their subscription for the last years.

c) Balance sheet for the current year is under preparation and income tax return will be filed shortly.

d) It was decided to create new units at Amritsar & Sangrur.

e) All the existing EC members have been co-opted again in the EC for the period 2021-25. Further the following persons were co-opted against the vacancies mentioned against their names.

Sr No.	Name	Designation
1.	H.S.Bhasin Patiala	Asstt. Finance Secretary
2.	D.K.Dhawan, Ferozepur	Organising Secretary to look after Moga, Faraidkot, Ferozepur, Kukatsar, Malout Fazilka area
3.	S.K..Bharti Solan	Organising Secretary to look after entire Himachal Pradesh
4.	Banarsi Lal Sharma	Unit Secretary Amritsar (incl Gurdaspur, Pathankot etc
5.	Davinder Gupta	Unit Secretary Sangrur (incl Sunam, Dhuri, Malerkotla, Barnala
6.	Sham Dev Sharma	EC Member to look after Karnal, Kurukshetra, Panipat & nearby area
7.	D.P.Singh Delhi	EC Member to look after Delhi & Gurgaon

- f) It was unanimously decided to vigorously launch campaign for left out retiree officers for enrolment as members of SBPROA.
- g) Shri B.C.Bassi and Shri R.C.Dhand apprised the house about various developments regarding pension updation. Shri J.P.S.Kalra told the house about his talks with Shri C.N.Prasad on various issues during his stay at Bangalore.
- h) In principal approval to incur expenditure on repairs/white wash of Association Building and publication of supplementary directory was accorded by the EC,
- i) It was decided to celebrate Bank's foundation day jointly with other retirees union of eSBP employees.
- j) General Secretary informed that the members residing at Patiala, Rajpura, Nabha, Ambala etc. may avail medical facilities from LHO Chandigarh where the doctors have consented to check up and to provide free medicines as per bank scheme.
- k) The meeting ended with Vote of Thanks by Shri R.C.Jasra who requested the members not to criticise members on social media. Instead they can discuss their issues to clear any misunderstanding.

On-line Memorandum to be sent by members for submission to the Hon'ble Union Finance Minister, the Secretary, DFS, MOF, GOI and the Chairman, IBA for various long pending demands of Bank Retirees.

We give below text of AIBPRAC Circular No. : 49-22 Dated 17th August, 2022 for information.

“ Reference may please be made to our circular no : 46-22 dated 10th August, 2022 on the above noted subject wherein detailed advice was issued about how to participate in the month-long campaign. We have much pleasure to inform all concerned that the response so far has been very encouraging. Several thousand members have already taken active part in this campaign. Initially, there had been certain problems. When there was congestion in the line, some erratic messages came. While many members succeeded in sending the on-line memorandum by following the prescribed procedure, some of our members had difficulties in sending. Messages received from them were instantly brought to the notice of the website Manager and in most cases, the difficulties were sorted out. Now the situation has largely stabilized. We call upon all our leaders, activists, veterans, affiliates and intending retirees of the country to employ fullest possible endeavour to ensure total success of this very effective campaign. We have still a fortnight in hand and this time is to be fully utilized. The senior and super-senior members who might have some problem in handling the procedure may please be suitably guided. We have a sincere hope that the number of members participating in the present phase of campaign will be much higher than the figure arrived at in the year 2020. With best wishes and regards, Sd/- Suprita Sarkar
General Secretary “

With greetings to all of you and your family members.

(K.S.Sandhu)
General Secretary