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<u>Circular No.01/2018</u> <u>To all Units, Office Bearers, CC & GC Members</u>

Dear Comrade,

## HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

On behalf of our Federation we extend hearty New Year greetings to all the bank employees and officers. Let us all renew our vow to strengthen our movement against the pernicious anti-people policies of the Central Govt. and in defense of public sector banks. We are confident that bond of unity, under the banner of United Forum of Bank Unions (UFBU), will be able to carry the movement of bank employees and officers to further heights.

## Signature Campaign against FRDI Bill

Proforma for collecting signatures, as per specimen given by UFBU, from employees and common people as well, have already been sent to all state units and they are to be on the streets by now. State units have to monitor the progress of signature collections from all centres of respective states and collate the signed copies with them till further instruction.

As per decision of last Office Bearers meeting held in Chennai, all state units are to organise day long **DHARNA** in all state capitals on **24<sup>th</sup> January 2018** in protest against FRDI Bill. All units are to ensure successful implementation of this independent programme of ours.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> TU Workshop

As intimated earlier, our 2<sup>nd</sup> TU Workshop for the states of Andhra, Maharashtra, Kerala, Tamilnadu and Telengana will be held on 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at Bengaluru. Our Karnataka state unit is all set to host the

event. This is part of our central programme in celebration of Birth Centenary of Com. Naresh Paul.

The workshop is meant for new entrants who have joined the banking service during the period of last ten years. Concerned state units are to nominate young activists as per the following arrangements:

Andhra and Telengana – 20, Eastern Maharashtra- 5, Western Maharashtra – 10, Karnataka - 20, Kerala - 40 and Tamilnadu - 30. Accommodation arrangements for all participants have been made at **HOTEL MOTI MAHAL**, **2<sup>nd</sup> Main, Gandhi Nagar, Bengaluru – 560009** which is 1 Km away from Main Railway Station. Workshop session will commence at 10-00 A.M. on 10<sup>th</sup> and will be concluded by lunch on 11<sup>th</sup> February 2018. Journey schedule has to be so arranged that all participants can join the session sharp at 10-00 A.M. on 10<sup>th</sup> and none has to leave before lunch on 11<sup>th</sup>.

## Women Sub-Committee

Our new Women Sub-Committee has been elected from our 3<sup>rd</sup> National Convention of women bank employees held in Chennai last month. To facilitate updating of our mailing list all units are requested to send to us complete postal address with pin code, mobile no. and e-mail ID of all the members of the Sub-Committee nominated by them at the earliest.

With greetings,

Yours comradely,

(PRADIP BISW **GENERAL SECRETARY**