

THE FEDERATION OF BANK OF INDIA OFFICERS' ASSOCIATIONS

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Dear Comrade,

We reproduce hereunder Circular No. 2013/61 issued by General Secretary, AIBOC for your information.

QUOTE:

XVI BIENNIAL CONFERENCE OF CANARA BANK OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION HELD AT CHENNAI ON 23RD NOV. 2013 -25TH NOV. 2013

The XVI Biennial Conference of Canara Bank Officers' Association held between 23rd and 25th November 2013 at Chennai was a historic success.

The venue of the Conference wore a festive look with flags, banners, and stalls. The afternoon of 23rd November saw scores of cheerful delegates, observers and other Officers swarming the venue from all over the country. Everyone exhibited affectionate comradery as it was also an occasion to meet old friends, rewind the nostalgic moments of togetherness and exchange pleasantries. The hall was overflowing with excited members and 'CBOA Zindabad' and 'AIBOC Zindabad' reverberated the air continuously.

The function was inaugurated on 23rd November by His Excellency, Dr. K. Rosaiah, Governor of Tamil Nadu. Shri R. K. Dubey, Chairman & Managing Director of Canara Bank delivered the Key Note Address. Shri P. Ramachandran, Chairman, Reception Committee welcomed the gathering. Shri K. S. Singh, President, CBOA delivered the presidential address.

VIP and celebrity clients were honored - Padmashri Kamal Haasan, Sahitya Akademi Awardee Shri S. Ramakrishnan, were among the noted clients who graced the occasion. The following Sports persons (now working with Canara Bank), who have done India proud in their respective fields were also honoured.

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| 1. Ms. Shantha Rangasamy | - | Cricket |
| 2. Ms. Sudha Shah | - | Cricket |
| 3. Ms. Sumathy Hariharan Aiyar | - | Cricket |
| 4. Mr. Beny Coonghe | - | Volley Ball |
| 5. Mr. R. R. Vasudevan | - | Chess |

Shri K. S. Singh, President commenced the official proceedings on 24th Nov., followed by the reading of the Report of the General Secretary. The report covered the global and national scenario under different heads such as socio-political, economic, banking, etc. Bank's performance, challenges for Trade Unions, wage settlement, achievement of CBOA, activities undertaken by various regions of CBOA etc., were dealt with elaborately in the report. Three visual presentations depicting the following were interspersed during the reading of the report.

- a. Comparative position of banks – all scheduled commercial banks, PSBs, SBI & its associates, Nationalized banks, Private Sector banks – old and new, Foreign banks and Parent Bank.
- b. Disintegrated details of Officers – Scale I, II and III – across the country.
- c. Wage Revision – charter of demands and developments

The second day concluded with the delegates' session, wherein around 145 delegates expressed their views on various issues.

On the last day of the Conference i.e. 25th November the General Secretary replied to all the issues raised by the delegates. In the reply, the achievements of the Association in getting an array of facilities to officers in the past couple of years were covered duly underlining that the Association will continue to take up with the Management for many more benefits in the years ahead. Reminding the members that the strength of the Bank is its workforce, the continued support of all officers in putting forth their best efforts were sought for taking their beloved Bank to greater heights of glory.

The Conference came to an end with the unanimous **election** of new office bearers of the Association. The list of prime office bearers is furnished below:

- a. Sri A. N. Krishnamoorthy - Chairman
- b. Sri K. S. Singh - President
- c. Sri G. V. Manimaran - General Secretary
- d. Sri Manmohan Singh - Treasurer

During the Conference, a free Health Checkup and Blood Donation Camp was organized at the venue. Many members got benefitted from the Health Checkup. Around 30 officers donated blood and need to be saluted for their humane gesture.

For the first time in the history of Biennial Conferences, there was a strong, enthusiastic and assertive participation of young officers from various regions.

Shri G. V. Manimaran, General Secretary proposed the vote of thanks and the Conference came to an end with the delegates leaving Chennai with fond memories and a sense of satisfaction.

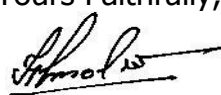
We convey our heartiest Congratulations to CBOA for their wonderful show of unity and solidarity.

With comradely greetings,

Yours Comradely,
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(HARVINDER SINGH)
GENERAL SECRETARY

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With warm greetings,

Yours Faithfully,

(HARVINDER SINGH)
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