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Dear Comrades,

10th TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE OF AIBOC

The detailed account of the Inaugural Session of 10th Triennial Conference of AIBOC held on 8th March, 2014 has already been circulated to all the members.

The Business Session held on 9th & 10th March 2014 was conducted very smoothly and effectively. The auditorium was brimming with nearly 1200 delegates, having come from the length and breadth of the Country, for active participation. As many as 67 delegates came to the dais for expressing their views and seeking information on various issues concerning the banking industry, its officers and staff, trade Union Movement/ policies of RBI & Government/ problems of common man. The deliberation lasted for almost 6-7 hours. The replies to all queries/issues were given in a very crisp, concise and lucid manner by the General Secretary, Com. Harvinder Singh. All present were spell bound and listened with rapt attention. The members got enlivened and enriched by getting clear perspective on all the issues raised, by him.

The business session of the Triennial Conference concluded with election of a new team of office bearers for the term 2014-2017.

We feel happy and proud that Com. Harvinder Singh – The General Secretary of our Federation was the only choice for the post of General Secretary and was elected unopposed amongst thunderous applause. The unique recognition of our Federation is not something new as we have rich legacy of past leaders like Com. S.R. Sengupta who was the founding President and led the Confederation for approximately 16 years as its President and General Secretary. Then after a gap of six years Com. V. Eswaran, earlier General Secretary of our Federation, once again led the organization as its President from 01/06/2007 till 31/05/2009 .Com. Harvinder Singh, after having adorned various posts in the Confederation, was co-opted unanimously as its General Secretary on 28th June, 2013 in the ECM of Confederation held at Kolkata in view of the resignation by Com. Rishabadas.

In a short span of 7-8 months the mettle of his leadership was once again proved and all affiliates small or big in one voice desired him to lead the Confederation at this crucial juncture and he has been entrusted with the post of General Secretary. Hopes that built up at the time of co-option turned into reality.

It is remarkable that after a long gap in the history of Confederation, a decision so vital of forming a new team entrusted to him and the newly elected President, Com. Y. Sudarshan

(AISBOF) was done smoothly in shortest possible time. Understanding between the two leaders was instant and was evident from the fact that the whole team of office bearers was formed to the satisfaction of all Sectoral federations and affiliates within no time. Comrades, we feel extremely happy to have a leader like Com. Harvinder Singh, leading the Trade union movement of the Banking Industry at this crucial juncture. His maturity, clear perceptions, foresightedness, unparallel vision and understanding of the delicate issues confronting the Industry, officers as well as the nation combined with dedication, selflessness and ability to take all in one fold would sure go a long way in showing the cadre a right path in fulfilling and achieving our goals and dreams.

The prestigious position of the Treasurer of the Confederation has been entrusted to Com. Bharat Bhushan Kaul (Secretary). Other Federation leaders who are part of the new team are as follows:-

| Name | (Position in FBOIOA) | | (Position in AIBOC) |
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| Com. Sunil Kumar | (President) | _ | Vice President, |
| Com. Shekhar Kadam | (Working President) | _ | Deputy General Secretary, |
| Dr. V. Chidambara Kumar | (Vice President) | _ | ECM |
| Com. Ameetaa Sharma | (Treasurer) | _ | Secretary |
| Com. Pankaj Kapoor | (AGS, Delhi Unit) | _ | Secretrary. |

Comrades, since the leader of our Federation is at the helm of affairs, lot of expectations are there from each one of you. We request the General Secretaries and the leaders of all Units of our Federation to join hands together and prove that we are the beckoning lights. Onus to share challenging task of leading the largest supervisory organization of the world is on the shoulders of all of us. I exhort you all to prove that we are the leading force in real sense, in all the corners of the country, by strengthening the trade union movement and make our presence felt and clearly visible through our visions and actions.

Long Live Our Unity!
With Revolutionary greetings,

Yours sincerely,

(SUNIL KUMAR)
PRESIDENT