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**GENERAL SECRETARY VISITED HYDERABAD – NEW UNIT
IN TELANGANA GRAMEENA BANK GOT AFFILIATED TO AIRRBOF/AIBOC**

Telangana Grameena Bank, earlier named as Deccan Grameena Bank, was renamed with the birth of the new state of Telangana in May, 2014. Efforts were being made by our Federation to establish one officers Unit affiliated to our Federation/AIBOC. The new unit Telangana Grameena Bank Officers' Union (TGBOU) was formed in the Foundation Conference held at Nizamabad on 5th April 2016 and it resolved to get the new born Union affiliated to AIRRBOF/AIBOC. The Unit also sought our affiliation by sending due letter to our Federation.

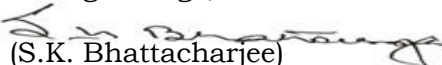
With prior arrangement with Associate Bank Officers' Association, General Secretary of ABOA as well as that of Unit, State Bank of Hyderabad which is the Sponsor Bank, General Secretary of the Federation reached Hyderabad on 7th June, 2016 evening. A team of Office Bearers of TGBOU reached Hyderabad on 8th June. General Secretary of our Federation first visited ABOA office along with TGBOU leaders and held discussion how to make the organisation stronger. Thereafter, it was decided that a team consisting of ABOA, General Secretary, AIRRBOF, General Secretary along with President, General Secretary & other leaders of TGBOU shall visit on the day and held discussion with Chairman. However, the Chairman was at State Bank of Hyderabad, H.O. for video Conference with DFS and confirmed that he shall walk down to ABOA office for discussion. With the Chairman, Shri B.R.G. Upadhyay arriving at the ABOA office discussion took place on extending immediate check off facility to TGBOU and its recognition thereafter. Chairman was found to be very positive and assured that he shall extend necessary cooperation.

In the afternoon, Com. S.K. Bhattacharjee, General Secretary, AIRRBOF along with the team of leaders of TGBOU visited H.O. of Telangana Grameena Bank. He held extensive discussion with Chairman of the Bank who was accompanied by two General Managers on various developmental issues as well as on organisational matters. The entire team of leaders of TGBOU also was present. Com. Bhattacharjee stressed on immediate grant of check off facility to the members of TGBOU and starting the process of recognition. The discussion was lively and is expected to bear fruit.

An impromptu meeting was organised in the Board Room of the Bank thereafter. Every officer of H.O. attended the Meeting. With the initial remarks by Com. B. Vilas Reddy, General Secretary of TGBOU, Com. S.K. Bhattacharjee spoke extensively on all contemporary issues including Pension. He explained in detail the intricacies of the Pension issue and the approach adopted by the Federation. The audience listened with rapt attention. Vote of thanks was proposed by Com. B. Venkateshwarlu, President of the Association.

A new star of the Federation has been born. Let us all hail the new affiliate, Telangana Grameena Bank Officers' Union. We pledge to extend full support to the new affiliate.

With greetings,


(S.K. Bhattacharjee)
GENERAL SECRETARY