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NEW STAR WAS BORN IN DEVBHUMI UTTARAKHAND – AIRRBOF ADDED ONE MORE AFFILIATE – UTTARAKHAND GRAMIN BANK OFFICERS' FEDERATION

The day of 70th year of Indian Independence is an auspicious day. The day is remembered for the sacrifices & dedication of our valiant soldiers of the freedom movement. AIRRBOF dips its banner in the memory of such great martyrs.

On this auspicious day, in the capital of Devbhumi Uttarakhand, took place the General Body Meeting of Uttarakhand Gramin Bank Officers' Federation (UKGBOF) at the Banquet Hall of Hotel Drona, Dehradun. The hall was packed to the capacity by the officer members of the Bank. A sizeable section of the participants were ladies hailing from different parts of the one of the most picturesque yet in accessible State of our country. The demography of the State spans over the valleys, hills, springs and turbulent giant rivers of Ganga, Jamuna and Alaknanda.

President and General Secretary of our Federation, Com. R.G. Makhija and Com. S.K. Bhattacharjee respectively were the Chief Guests in the General Body Meeting. With the Welcome address the meeting got underway. The introductory remarks were made by Com. A.S. Negi, the Founder General Secretary of the Organisation. The Meeting was also felicitated by Com. Anil Dobhal, Founder President. Com. P.K. Sharma, the present General Secretary apprised the members of the developments leading to invitation extended to AIRRBOF leadership to attend the Meeting and address on recent developments as well as role of AIBOC/AIRRBOF.

Com. General Secretary of the Federation, Bhattacharjee in his imitable style shared with the audience the entire gamut of the situation affecting Banking Industry, the role of AIBOC/ AIRRBOF and the future road map. He also appraised the officers the latest position on extension of other allowances & benefits to officers & employees of RRBs and the background for withdrawal of three days strike. Com. General Secretary also shared the AIRRBOF proposal of Pension Payment to all and the action of filing affidavit with application before Supreme Court in regard to the workability of Pension Scheme. He narrated the details of NPS and assured the new officers recruited after 01.04.2010 that they would be much benefited with the introduction of NPS against the present anarchic PF/Pension Scheme.



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Com. R.G. Makhija, President of AIRRBOF in his brief but spirited address highlighted the achievement of AIRRBOF and shared the future road map. He told the audience that AIBOC/AIRRBOF is the symbol of RRB Officers' Movement and the officers of Uttarakhand should be a part of the Federation.

Thereafter, the General Body unanimously adopted the resolution to affiliate UKGBOF with AIRRBOF and AIBOC with thunderous applause. Com. S.S. Ravat, President of the Organisation gave his presidential address as well as extended vote of thanks to the leadership of AIRRBOF as well as the membership. The meeting was a great success.

In the Moring of 16th August leadership of AIRRBOF and UKGBOF visited the Head Office of Uttarakhand Gramin Bank and met all the officers & staff working at HO and RO, Dehradun. The leadership called on the Chairman of the Bank, Shri S. Aggarwal and held detailed discussion on all problems affecting RRBs both at macro and micro levels. Com. Bhattacharjee urged the Chairman to undertake fair play and extend the facilities to officers possible for him. Shri Aggarwal assured that he shall be proactive for development of the Bank and the officers of the Bank also.

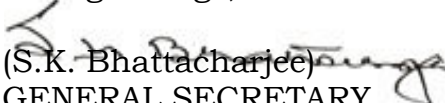
Thereafter, the President and General Secretary, AIRRBOF accompanied by President Com. S.S. Ravat and General Secretary, Com. P.K. Sharma visited umpteen numbers of Branches of the Bank located in Dehradun, Tehri and Pauri Districts. The leadership interacted with the members to appraise their problems and take up with Management for resolution.

The visit to Uttarakhand was a great boost to the membership of UKGBOF and launching of formal relationship with of the officials of the Bank.

LONG LIVE AIRRBOF

LONG LIVE UKGBOF

With greetings,


(S.K. Bhattacharjee)
GENERAL SECRETARY