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NATIONAL YOUTH CONVENTION SUCCESSFULLY HELD IN KOLKATA ON 26TH & 27TH AUGUST, 2017

Under the auspices of AIBOC, the first ever National Youth Convention took place at the Auditorium of EZCC, Salt Lake, Kolkata on 26th & 27th August, 2017. The officers under the age limit of 35 were permitted as delegates. Large number of delegates from all over India participated in the convention. As many as 34 delegates from different affiliates of AIRRBOF participated in the conference enthusiastically.

The inaugural session of the Convention started with ushering in the Dias of leaders of AIBOC namely Com. D.T. Franco, General Secretary, Com. Prakash Karotya, Vice-President, Com. S. Roy Choudhury, Advisor, Com. S.K. Bhattacharjee, Advisor, Com. Rajendran, Vice-President, Com. Manoj Wadnekar, Vice-President along with Com. Soumya Dutta, President and Com. Sanjay Das, State Secretary, AIBOC, WB Unit. Welcome address was rendered by Com. Sanjay Das followed by felicitation by Com. Prakash Karotya. Thereafter, Com. Franco elaborately spoke on the challenges before the officers, the chosen path, the objective of the Youth Convention and the task ahead Dr. Rohit, Centre for Economic Studies & Planning, JNU delivered his well spelt out inaugural address.

The inaugural session was followed by Panel Discussion on 70 years of Independence and its pros and cons. Different panelists viz. Ms. Mahua Moitra, Com. Dipankar Mukherjee, Com. Srijan Bhattacharya, Shri Arunangshu Paul delivered their arguments vociferously. The Panel discussion was moderated by Dr. Shantanu Basu.

Post lunch group discussion of 16 groups drawn from delegates took part.

On the 2nd day of the Convention in the pre lunch session spanning over 5 hours the 16 Groups who held group discussion amongst themselves day before made their elaborate presentation summarising the views of the group. The presentation brought out the commitment, Zeal and determination of the group members on the following topics.

1. NPS – Myth, Reality & Future
2. Privatisation – End to Social Responsibility or Panacea?



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3. Synergising Technology, Banking and Unions – generation Yway
4. Decoding Non Performing Assets
5. Cost of Company – Benefits and Perils
6. Performance Based Incentive – What the Z generation thinks?
7. Inclusive and Sustainable Unions – Steps ahead
8. Train the brain of young cadre- connect the Dots
9. Ethical Banking and cross Selling
10. How to move out of NPAs
11. Work Life Balance – How?
12. New and Alternative ways to resistance
13. Demonetisation – net Result
14. RBI-IBA-BBB-DFS-Consultants – Autonomy for Banks?
15. New ways of Banking – A blue print for future
16. Decoding Banking Sector Reforms

It was an wonderful exercise.

In the 2nd Panel discussion held in the afternoon session of the 2nd Day eminent speakers dealt out the focus on contemporary topics related to Public Sector Banking and its future. In the last session witnessed beautiful conclusions on the lessons learnt followed by valedictory and oath taking. The first ever National Youth Convention came to an end with rendition of the National Anthem.

In the side lines of the Convention, an emergent meeting of available State Secretaries & EC Members of AIBOC took place at Hotel Monotel. Elaborate discussion took place in regard to our strategies in the face of Govt. offensive of Merger, Amalgamation and Privatisation. Several important decisions took place. The next Meeting of the Executive Committee shall be held at New Delhi on 30th August, 2017.

With greetings,


(S.K. Bhattacharjee)
GENERAL SECRETARY