

ALL INDIA BANK PENSIONERS' & RETIREES' CONFEDERATION
(A.I.B.P.A.R.C.)
C/O BANK OF INDIA OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION
(EASTERN INDIA BRANCHES)
BANK OF INDIA, KOLKATA MAIN BRANCH
23A, NETAJI SUBHAS ROAD, KOLKATA – 700 001
Mobile: 9674188524, E-mail:aibparc@gmail.com

=====
Circular No. 103-19

Date: 11.12.2019

**(For circulation among members of the governing council of AIBPARC,
State Secretaries, Special Invitees and Advisors.)**

Dear Comrades,

**Sub : Dharna cum demonstration by pensioners and retirees at different parts of the country at the call of
CBPRO/AIBPARC – reports from some of the state capitals in east and north east**

Demonstration at Guwahati

A dharna cum demonstration by pensioners and retirees was organised by Assam state committee of AIBPARC at Panbazar, Guwahati on 27th November, 2019. More than 200 retirees from different public sector banks took part in the demonstration. The leaders of SBIPA and AIBPARC addressed the gathering. The programme of the organisation has got a very good publicity. Reporters of 5 local newspapers have made news items on the demonstration and 2 local news channels had made telecast of the programme on the same day. The local leaders have thanked the print and electronic media for this. The programme has also attracted public notice in a very busy commercial area of the city. It has enthused the community of the bank retirees.

Demonstration at Bhubaneswar

At the call of CBPRO/AIBPARC, a well attended protest demonstration was organized on 20th November, 2019 in front of the Red Cross Bhawan, Sachibalaya Marg, Bhubaneswar. The members of SBIPA and affiliates of AIBPARC attended in large numbers. This was a welcome development that the leaders and members of AIBRF also took part in the programme. More than 700 people participated in the agitation. The leaders who addressed the gathering are Comrades N. Jogania, State Secretary, A.K. Motayed state President, Upendra Kumar Dash, state secretary, SBIPA, Niranjan Mishra, state secretary, AIBRF, Ganesh Mishra, President, SBIPA and leaders of different other banks. The leaders narrated in detail different issues confronting the interest of retirees and demanded honourable resolve of all such demands. A fervent appeal was made to common man of the society to be responsive to the demands of bank retirees and members of print and electronic media were requested for a good coverage of the programmes organized by the senior citizens of the industry.

Demonstration at Patna

A mass dharna programme was organized by CBPRO/AIBPARC on 25.11.2019 before Buddha Smriti Park, Patna pressing the demands of Bank retirees and asking both GOI & IBA to make a quick resolve of all the issues. A large number of retirees mainly from AIBPARC, SBIPA and RBONC participated in the demonstration. The leaders who addressed the gathering are Comrades : Umesh Tiwari, VP AIBPARC, H.N. Agarwal, Secretary, AIBPARC, state Unit, H.K. Verma, Convenor, CBPRO, Arun Akhouri, V.P. AIBPARC, Sudhir Kr. Sinha, JGS, AIBPARC and Kameshwar Puri, SBIPA. The shouting of slogans for a long time and staging of dharna for a couple of hours attracted the notice of common man. The publicity part was good and the event got adequate press coverage.

Report from Jharkhand State Unit – Ranchi :

We have been reported by the state unit that since the state is in the process of elections, it will be very difficult to get permission of authorities for holding demonstration cum dharna in an open place. As a result, they have taken a decision that the state unit will hold a well organized press conference at Ranchi within the month of December, 2019 where all the issues confronting the interest of bank retirees will be highlighted.

The next circular will be issued on holding of mass demonstration at Kolkata.

With best wishes,
(Suprita Sarkar)
General Secretary