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TO ALL STATE COMMITTEES / AFFILIATED UNITS:

Comrades,

**ATTACK ON AN INDIVIDUAL  
AMOUNTS  
TO ATTACK ON THE COMMUNITY**  
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“Trade Unions are considered as an instrument for Social Change”, the saying goes. Right from the pre-independence period till today, the social well- being of the Nation and also of the work- force in our Industry have been duly recognized and achieved by the trade unions only. Due to patriotic fervour, the Nationalisation of the banks (14) was achieved on 19<sup>th</sup> July 1969 in the first phase and in (6) the second one on 14<sup>th</sup> April 1980. It was secured by single handedly with a clear vision to make the finance available to people across the country by the founding fathers of the **first trade union of bank** union established on **20<sup>th</sup> April 1946**.

2. It is often expressed every now and then that a man once **declared dead**, with him all his actions of bad and good comes to end. One such inadvertent slip sparked into an instrument to divide the trade unions, which should have been totally avoided. However, bank management has stepped in, in the avoidable controversy.

3. In order to secure the respect the standing of the banking trade union and also the representatives of the bank wise organization, a national Strike on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2024 has been given by the **first trade union of Bankmen -AIBEA-** founded on 20<sup>th</sup> April 1946, in the pre-independence India.

4. While we extend the fraternal support to the workforce in the Banking Industry for participating in the proposed Strike Call on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2024, call upon our officer comrades not to handle the clerical work and also not to accept the keys of the departments in all offices.

With fraternal greetings,

Yours Comradely,

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