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To:

ALL STATE COMMITTEES / AFFILIATED UNITS

Comrades,

## **An attack on the individual is the attack on the Entire community TOGETHER WE RISE**

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We are repeatedly getting the informations from the States that the amount of work pressure is mounting leaps and bounds in the Bank branches. While the Bank branches are starving for the human assets as well as lack of system support from the various authorities from the controlling offices. Bank branches are directed to deliver the services to the people at large by the Government's at the centre and also from the States.

2. The Branch head is the brand ambassador of the Bank. Recently the Bank manger was beaten by the local representatives in the matter of granting of loans. In the past also, a farmer who committed suicide due to heavy debt, the family attributed that the cause for his death was on account of the Branch Manager requesting for "acknowledgement of debt" for the loan availed by the borrower. The end result of the situation was suspension of the Branch Manager and on our taking up with the State Government the suspension was revoked and the Branch Manager was transferred out of the State. The Institution did not stand with the Branch Manager, to restore his dignity and also reputation.

3. There was a halt on the attacks, but from the second week of August 2024 till second week of October 2024, the Branch Managers in the interior part of the Maharashtra are the targets for the common people of the particular area. As there is no visible respite in the situation, the unions functioning in the State of Maharashtra have decided to resort to programs of actions culminating in a day's strike in the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of November 2024, in midst of the Assembly elections declared by CEC to be held on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2024.

4. The Central office of AIBOA, while extending solidarity for the programs of actions, has already taken up with the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Maharashtra to ensure "safety and security" to the workforce in the Bank branches and urged upon him to take appropriate positive actions against the individuals who are responsible for stumbling blocks in discharging the duties in the Bank branches.,

Comrades of Maharashtra, "**TOGETHER WE RISE**"

Yours comradely,

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