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Kodialbail, Mangalore-3
06.07.2016

Dear Members,

**THWART THE DEATHNEL OF FIVE ASSOCIATE BANKS –
MAKE THE 13TH JULY 2016 STRIKE - A SPLENDID SUCCESS**

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In accordance to the direction of AIBEA and AIBOA, we have called upon our members to observe one day stay out strike on 13th July 2016 lodging our protest against the merger of five Associate Banks with State Bank of India as well as the other reform measures that are being attempted by the Government which are blatantly anti-employee and anti-people.

The Associate Banks namely, State Bank of Mysuru, State Bank of Travancore, State Bank of Hyderabad, State Bank of Patiala and State Bank of Bikaner and Jaipur are rendering yeomen services to the people of that respective States as of now and are very popular amidst such people. The unwarranted merger will definitely result in closure of several branches consequent to overlapping of branches in the same street / area. This is nothing but depriving access of the fundamentals of Banking to the people at large. **That is why we call it anti-people!** Apart from this there will be discriminatory treatment to the Bankmen working in those subsidiary Banks with regard to service conditions once the merger takes place with SBI. **Hence we oppose!**

The need of the hour is to take stringent measures including criminal action against the willful defaulters who are responsible for looting the Banking Industry in multiples of crores! Hence we demand the Govt. to take appropriate steps against such multi-nationals, corporate and individuals who have looted the people's money from the Banks for their merry making! **It is the prime task of us to bring it to the knowledge of the general public so that they will understand the patriotic task of ours now resorted to by us.** Therefore, comrades the strike has got several dimensions of significance.

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Hence, let us move forward with conviction and courage to make the strike a splendid success. If we do not exhibit our anger through these strike actions the survival of one and all of us is at stakes as the Govt. and the Bankers shall carry forward their game plan of consolidation of public sector banks as contemplated and foreignisation of private sector Banks!

Comrades, March on to make 13th July 2016 strike a grand success.

With fighting greetings,

Yours comradely,

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(P.R.Karanth)

GENERAL SECRETARY, KBEA

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