



Telephones
Office : 0612-2209117
Fax : 0612-2209118
President : 0612-2209115 (O)
0612-2267513 (R)
Genl. Secy.: 0612-2209116 (O)
0612-2665508 (R)

स्टेट बैंक ऑफ इण्डिया ऑफिसर्स एसोसियेशन
State Bank of India Officers' Association (Patna Circle)

All Letters to be
Addressed to the
General Secretary

Regd. No. 1872 of 1975
(REGISTERED UNDER TRADE UNION ACT - 1926)

State Bank Building
West Gandhi Maidan
Patna - 800 001

CIRCULAR NO. **11** /10

DATE : 04.05.2010

TO,
ALL MEMBERS

1ST. WOMEN'S CONVENTION

First Women's Convention of SBIOA, Patna Circle was held with pomp and show on 1st. May 2010 at XISS Auditorium, Ranchi. The convention was organized for the first time in the history of SBIOA, Patna Circle. The selection of date 1st. May i.e. Labour Day was appropriate for this event which was appreciated by more than 165 female officers working at various branches/ offices of SBI in the state of Bihar and Jharkhand who attended the programme. All the modules were represented by sizeable presence, specially the Ranchi and Patna.

Com.L.K.P.Singh, presided over the convention and Com.Vikas Kumar anchored the programme.

At the commencement of the inaugural session, there was Saraswati Vandana and Group song followed by welcome address by Com. Anshu Gupta, the convenor of the convention.

Com. L.K.P. Singh in his presidential address listed the various activities and visible changes in last six (06) months. General Secretary Com. Anirudh Akhauri addressed the gathering and listed the important points of recently signed wage settlement w.e.f. 01.11.2007.

The Convention was inaugurated by Smt. Aradhana Patnaik, Labour Commissioner, Govt. of Jharkhand who also was the Chief Guest on the occasion. It was also graced by presence of Smt. Pushpa G. Kumar, General Secretary (Women's Wing) of AIBOC, as Guest of Honor. The inaugural convention was attended by Central Committee Office Bearers and alongwith the Office bearers of various Zonal Committees including all the

District Secretaries of Ranchi Module. The Auditorium was tastefully decorated and the ambience boosted the morale of the comrades attending the programme.

Chief Guest, Smt. Patnaik, in her address praised the SBIOA for organising such type of convention and wished that this should be continued in future. She shared her experience and challenges faced by herself as a working women in her various assignments and at different places. She pointed out that working women are more dedicated, honest and devoted to their duties and appealed all the participants to fight the social evils like superstitions and **bhrun hatya**. She took the opportunity for appealing to other Banks through the presence of large number of print media and electronic media persons to organize such type of convention for the working lady employees in their Banks. She also praised the presence of SBI in every part of the country and also emphasized that this network can be utilized for betterment of women of the society through various welfare schemes of Central and State Government.

Guest of Honor, Smt. Pushpa G Kumar was thrilled with the large presence of female participants. She explained in detail, the various activities of Women's Wing of AIBOC and appreciated the support rendered by General Secretary, AIBOC, Com. G.D.Nadaf and appreciated the SBIOA Patna Circle for organizing this type of grand convention with great festivity and involvement. In her key note, she briefed the comrades on the demands placed by Women's Wing of Confederation and the recent developments in this regard. She assured all support from the Confederation in their endeavours to improve the service conditions and welfare of the female officers at their level. Com. Vijay Kumar Singh, Regional Manager, Region III, Ranchi, Com. M.D.Prasad, President, Zonal Committee, Bhagalpur also spoke on the occasion. The convention was attended by Com. T.Baitha and Com. K.K.Shrivastava, the AGS and President respectively of Muzaffarpur Zonal Committee, Com. Santosh Jha and Com. Ramayan Prasad, the AGS and President respectively of Purnea Zonal Committee, Com. Kalyan Chatterjee and Com. Ajit Kumar Sinha, the AGS and President respectively of Ranchi Zonal Committee along with Central Committee Office Bearers Com. J.K.Thakur, Com. Suresh Kumar, Com. Arijit Bose and Com.Pankaj Kumar Jha.

The first Committee to represent the Women's Wing of SBIOA Patna Circle was formed with the following Office bearers :

President	: Com. Vijaya Tigga (Mango Br.)
Gen. Secretary	: Com. Carolyn Pushpa Singh (PBB, SK Puri)
Asstt. Secretary	: Com. Anshu Gupta – Patna Module Com. Anita Kandir – Ranchi Module Com. Kanti Pathak – Bhagalpur Module Com. Kumari Shobhna – Purnea Module Com. Minu Kumari – Muzaffarpur Module
Executive Members	: Com. Archana Singh – LHO, Patna Com. Parna Dasgupta - S K Puri Com. Kavita Kumari – Bero Br. Com. Iti Rani Sarkar – Jamshedpur Br. Com. Saroj Nag – Namkum Br. Com. Kumari Vinita – SPB Patna

Comrades, it was well attended and excellently organized convention by office bearers and the activists of Ranchi Module which has enhanced the image of the Circle Association.

We wish the best to the newly elected team of the Women's Wing and assure all support in the days ahead.

With greetings,

(ANIRUDH AKHAURI)
GENERAL SECRETARY