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## State Banks' Staff Union (Kerala Circle)

(Affiliated to All India State Bank of India Staff Federation) Reg. No. 01-36-2000

<u>Circular No.20/24</u> <u>To All Unit Secretaries</u>



State Bank of India Local Head Office Poojappura Thiruvananthapuram-695 012 Date 03.07.2024

Dear Comrade,

## COM. E. N. VISWANATHAN

It is with deep sorrow and heavy heart, we inform you the sudden and untimely demise of our Central Committee member Comrade E. N. Viswanathan on 28.06.2024. His passing is a tremendous loss to our union.

Com. Viswanathan began his illustrious banking career with the State Bank of India in 1987. He joined Ponganadu branch as clerk/typist. He quickly became a cornerstone of our union. He exemplified the true spirit of a trade unionist, with his calm demeanor, quiet strength, and unwavering dedication to addressing the concerns of his colleagues. He was presently working as a Chief Associate at SMEC Thiruvananthapuram.

On 20<sup>th</sup> January 2016, he was inducted into our Central Committee as Assistant Treasurer. His excellent accounting skills and dedication soon led to his elevation as Treasurer of SBSU (KC) in May 2020 and he became the Treasurer of NCBE Kerala also. Despite his declining health, he continued to serve our union with distinction and was elected as DGS Head Quarters in the 9th Triennial General Council, showing the trust and respect he had earned.

Com. Viswanathan is survived by his wife and two children. Our thoughts and prayers are with them during this difficult time. We severely wish his family gain the strength and solace to cope with this irreparable loss. We dip our flag in honor of our departed leader and extend our deepest condolences to the bereaved family.

Yours comradely,

(Akhil S) General Secretary