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To All Unit Secretaries

Dear Comrade,

**PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATION- AISBISF**  
**A GRAND EXTRAVAGANZA - CONGRATULATIONS COMRADES**

The Platinum Jubilee Celebration of All India State Bank of India Staff Federation was held on 8<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at Puzhayoram International Convention Centre, Thrissur, was not only the show of unity that was exhibited by the militant members of our Kerala Circle but was also "A Grand Extravaganza."

The inaugural session started with a procession covering a distance of a kilometre to the venue with Com. Arun Bhagoliwal, President, Com. Sanjeev Kumar Bandlish, General Secretary along with the Senior Vice-Presidents Com. G.Kriparakaran, Com. Pradeep Kumar Baishya and Federation Executives. The dancing beats of Puli Kali enhanced the upbeat mood of the comrades.

The dignitaries were welcomed at the entrance of the meeting venue and the Flag of our might Federation and State Banks' Staff Union was hoisted amidst thundering slogans by Com. Sanjeev Kumar Bandlish, General Secretary, AISBISF in the presence of Com. Arun Bhagoliwal, President, AISBISF. The flag of the State Banks' Staff Union was hoisted by Com. Akhil S. President in the presence of the General Secretary Com. Philip Koshy, which was followed by the parade by our ex-servicemen comrades. A bunch of balloons were flown up in the sky and crackers were lit marking the commencement of the celebration.

Inside the hall, the assembly was enthralled by the welcome song sung by our comrades led by Com. Nideesh and team. The dignitaries were welcomed to the stage by Com. Akhil S. and Com. Philip Koshy with Chairman Com. N Radhakrishnan and General Convenor Com. P M Sreevalsan.

A documentary - "History of All India State Bank of India Staff Federation" was presented on the LED Screen which portrayed the heroic struggles and innumerable achievements of AISBISF all these years. The documentary was directed by Com. Arun Kumar S, Regional Secretary, Palakkad. ....2

Com. N Radharkrishnan, Chairman, Organising Committee welcomed the august gathering. Com. Akhil S, President, State Banks' Staff Union, Kerala Circle presided over the function.

Com.Sanjeev Kumar Bandlish, General Secretary, AISBISF, and NCBE and Convenor, UFBU inaugurated the Platinum Jubilee Celebration by lighting the traditional lamp along with Com. Arun Bhagoliwal, President, AISBISF., Sri. Ramesh V, Deputy General Manager, State Bank of India, AO, Thrissur, Com. Rajesh.S, General Secretary, SBIOA (KC) were also present. Sri. Ramesh V, Dy.General Manager, State Bank of India, AO, Thrissur addressed the gathering, which was followed by the address by the distinguished guest Com. Arun Bhagoliwal, President, AISBISF.

Former Federation Executives from our Circle. Com.John Joseph, Com.K.Raja Kurup, Com.A.Jayakumar, Com.A.Raghavan and Com.M.Sreepathy Rao, were honoured amidst the gathering. Former Federation Council Members, Com.T.G.Ravindranath, Com.P I Mathew, Com.C.D. Sivadas, were honoured along with our former Central Committee Members Com.P.Ravi, Com.Lathika K.K, Com.Cherien Paul Vazhapilly, Com.M P.Sudhakaran, Com.K.Ravindran, Com.V.L.Joseph, Com.Shaju Thomas, Com.Padmanabhan.C, Com.Manoharan.A.A, Com.Nandakumar Warriar Com.Komaladas.V, Com.P.D.Ravi, Com.R.Sasi, Com.Surendran.G and Com.A.Balakrishnan.

Com. Philip Koshy, General Secretary conveyed his greetings to the entire comrades, who attended the Platinum Jubilee Celebration from every nook and corner of Kerala and thanked everyone for their solidarity. He expressed his sincere thanks to the arrangements of the Organising Committee led by Com. N.Radhakrishnan and Com. P M Sreevalsan.

Com. Sanjeev Kumar Bandlish, General Secretary, AISBISF in his inaugural address emphasised the history of the Federation and told that whatever benefits and privileges we are enjoying are only the fruits of our mighty Federation. He also briefed the residual issues taken by the UFBU i.e. pension issue and 5-day banking. He informed the house that the future is not going to be that easy for working class as a whole. Very dark and gloomy days are ahead. The new economic policies of the Government, privatisation, globalisation, the entry of the multinationals, cut throat competition in the Banking industry both within and from outside all these will add to the misery of the Bank worker. In such a changing scenario, it has become the paramount need and bounden duty of the present generation to see that the Organisation is kept intact and further strengthened to achieve many more laurels and ensure that the flag of the All India State Bank of India Staff Federation flies aloft althrough. He emphasised that the leaders and the entire membership must work with zeal and enthusiasm displaying unswerving loyalty and be prepared to sacrifice for the success of the mission of our dear Federation.

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On the occasion of the Platinum Jubilee Celebration Com.G.Kripakaran, Com.Pradeep Kumar Baishya, Senior Vice Presidents of the Federation and Com.Rajesh.S, General Secretary, SBIOA (KC) offered felicitations.

Three wheelchairs were donated to the Endosulphan victims jointly with the All India State Bank of India Staff Federation.

The building project of State Banks' Staff Union (Kerala Circle) was launched by our beloved Federation Secretary Com. Sanjeev Kumar Bandlish by unveiling the replica of the building along with a video presentation.

The fund raising for the building project was inaugurated by the presentation of a cheque for Rs.50,000/-by Com. Rakesh K R, Asst. Treasurer, SBSU(KC), followed by Com. Ajai Mathai, former Regional Secretary, Thiruvalla Rs.28,302/-, Comrades from CAC Trivandrum Rs.50,000/- and Comrades from Main Treasury branch, Trivandrum Rs.41,000/-.

Com. Jijo Joseph, Associate, CCPC the captain of the Santhosh Trophy winning Kerala Team, Com. Dr.Nijitha. M C, Senior Associate, Kalavoor Branch for the timely medical support to save the life of a customer and Com. Arun Kumar S, Senior Associate, RBO-4 Thrissur for making the video "First time right", for SBI Corporate Centre were honoured for excellence in different areas of their contribution.

The inaugural session came to an end with Com.P.M.Sreevalsan, General Convenor proposed the vote of thanks.

After lunch, the cultural programmes started which mesmerise the audience with energetic and power-packed performances. The event was led by Com.Satheesh Kumar. K and team. The programme ended with the lowering of the flag in the midst of thundering slogans. The Central Committee congratulate the entire Organising Committee and members of the Thrissur Module for the thunderous success of the Platinum Jubilee Celebration.

Yours comradely



(Philip Koshy)  
General Secretary

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