SYNDICATE BANK PENSIONERS & RETIREES ASSOCIATION (REGD.)



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Dear Comrades,

SBPRA WEBSITE LAUNCHED

We are very happy to inform our members that a website created for the benefit of SBPRA members (sbpra.in) was launched yesterday i.e.1.7.2019 at a meeting arranged at Hotel Tajmahal, Abid Road, Hyderabad. The meeting arranged for this purpose, initially planned for a simple and small gathering, eventually turned out to be a big and grand function. The dignitaries who graced the occasion and launched the website were none other than Hon'ble Sri Bandaru Dattatreya, Former Union Minister and Sri K. Rama Naik, General Manager of Syndicate Bank Hyderabad Zone. Other dignitaries/Guests of Honour who attended and spoke on the occasion were – Com. A Ramesh Babu, National Jt. Convenor CBPRO and All India General Secretary of SBI Pensioners Associations; Com. G Nageswar, Secretary AIBOC AP/TS and General Secretary of BOI officers Federation Hyderabad; Com. V Samarpana Raju, Vice President of SBOA, Com. Ceelam Giri, President Syndicate Bank SC/ST E W Association; Com. AVV Raghava Rao, Secretary AIBPARC AP/TS; Com Mallikarjuna Rao, General Secretary of CBI Officers Association; Sri Vijaya Babu Syndicate Bank Regional Manager Hyderabad RO-1; and Sri Arun Prasad Regional Manager Hyderabad RO-2. The participants included other executives and staff of the bank; leaders of other banks retiree organisations; newly retired comrades and their family members. New retirees who enrolled into SBPRA were felicitated on the occasion in the presence of the dignitaries. Also, Com M. Mallaiah, Former Joint Secretary SBOA and outgoing President of Bank Officers Cooperative Credit Society, whose premises has been accommodating our Association's Central Office here at Hyderabad, was also felicitated on his superannuation from the services of the bank as per our tradition to express our gratitude. Speaking on the occasion the former minister Sri Bandaru Dattatreya ji, a staunch well-wisher of SBPRA, recalled his association with Syndicate Bank, and his efforts to help the bank retirees in the past. He keenly analyzed the demands of bank retirees. He assured that he will take the matter to the Finance Minister and associate in all endeavors to resolve the long pending issues, particularly the Family pension, medical insurance and Updation issues. He offered to explore the possibilities of covering bank retirees under CGHS. The General Manager Sri K Rama Naik profusely thanked the retirees for their contribution to the growth of

the bank. He urged the retirees to involve in business development of the bank. He assured all support to retirees. The Regional Managers Sri Vijaya Babu and Sri Arun Prasad while requesting the retirees for their cooperation in bank's business development, have assured to extend full support to SBPRA. Com C Gangadhar Yadav, General Secretary SBPRA responding to the dignitary executives of the bank brought to their notice the problems faced by retirees, neglect and ill-treatment at the branches and urged them to take remedial steps including counselling of the staff at the branches immediately. Various leaders who spoke on the occasion commended the efforts of SBPRA in taking up retirees' issues, expressed solidarity and extended greetings on the occasion. Greetings received from Com. K V Acharya, President AIBPARC and Jt Convenor CBPRO and Com. K Suresh Babu, Secretary SBPRA, who could not attend the meeting and the greetings received from our Central Committee Members and various executives, leaders of our bank and retirees were conveyed. The huge gathering of our members at the meeting has amply demonstrated that the retirees' movement has picked up momentum and there will be no looking back. A day is not far off when the retirees demands will be resolved and the condition of the veterans will be improved. We thank the dignitaries, guests of honour, well-wishers, our members and families who stayed through the proceedings till 9.30 pm and made the event a grand success. We regret the inconvenience caused to many due to shortages owing to unexpected turnout of members. We acknowledge services and congratulate our Hyderabad team- Com RSR Prasad, CUVTN Dutt, R Adiseshu Babu, R Balakrishna, G Anand Kumar, A Peraiah, M N Venkatesh, Mrs. Leela Parthasarathy etc. on the success of the entire program!

THE WEBSITE

The website <u>sbpra.in</u> is now open to all. This is exclusively meant for SBPRA members. We have tried to provide some useful content. For the time being it serves the purpose of speedy communication of developments at Govt, industry as well as bank level. Initially it may take some time before the website stabilizes. We are continuously on the job to improve the quality and content of the website. We welcome suggestions for improvement. We thank Com K Suresh Babu, Secretary and Com V Suryanarayana, ZCM and Central Office In-Charge for helping in creating the website.

With greetings Yours comradely,

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