

SYNDICATE BANK PENSIONERS & RETIREES ASSOCIATION (REGD.)

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Dear Comrades,

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Years come and go. We remember them by notable events. The year 2017 will be remembered for many changes introduced in financial and banking sector in the country having far reaching effect viz. merger of 5 Associate banks with SBI, launching historic indirect tax - GST Bill, proposal to introduce FRDI Bill etc, in the aftermath of demonetization implemented last year. The year was not so encouraging for the bank employees or the retirees. The wage revision talks continue to elude finality. Retirees' issues remain unresolved. The trials by unions for getting employee/officer directors vacancies filled in the bank boards have not yet yielded results. However the New Year appears to be promising while continuing to be loaded with surprises. We are eagerly waiting for a reasonable settlement of wage revision with an inbuilt solution to the retirees' issues and a favourable judgment in uniform DA neutralization case in Supreme Court. We in SBPRA bid goodbye to the bygone year with a lot of satisfaction that we could accomplish many of our set tasks especially in the matter of establishing our teams and ensuring presence in all the regions of the bank, responding to the day to day requirements and extending guidance to the members, getting a dedicated help desk created at Corporate Office of the bank to attend to health insurance matters, sanction of most awaited Annual medical aid of Rs 3000/-pa to the VRS retirees and reimbursement of Rs1000/- towards health insurance premium, extension of Holiday Home facility to all retirees etc. We are also happy that our membership has crossed 8300 mark and racing towards coveted figure of 10000. Our bank is also performing well with all-round growth promising a healthier balance sheet for the current year. We shall continue to maintain rapport with the management and take up various pending issues. We are hopeful that we will overcome challenges and succeed in our struggles to bring justice to the retirees.

We wish all our members, activists, functionaries, well wishers and their families a Happy and Prosperous New Year!

With greetings

Yours comradely,

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GENERAL SECRETARY

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