

## **ALL INDIA BANK EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION**

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TO ALL UNITS AND MEMBERS:

Dear Comrades,

March on and make the 26th Dec. Strike a total success

We are getting reports from the Units from various States that the response to the UFBU's strike call on 26<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 against the decision of the Central Government to amalgamate and merge Bank of Baroda, Dena Bank and Vijaya Bank is encouraging and enthusiastic. In the meantime, it is learnt that on 17<sup>th</sup> December, the Government held a meeting with the MDs of the three Banks on this issue. As per the letter sent by these 3 Banks to the Stock Exchange, the Government has informed these Banks that the Alternative Mechanism has accorded its in-principle approval for the proposed amalgamation.

Thus, while our movement against merger of Banks is gaining momentum, the Government wants to hurry up their agenda. Hence there is need to step up our efforts and struggle against these attempts. Hence the successful implementation of the strike on 26<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 is very important. We call upon and request all our units to take all-out efforts to mobilise all our members to ensure the total success of the Strike.

With greetings,

Yours Comradely,

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