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**To Office Bearers, State Federations and
All India Bankwise Federations, All Unions**

Dear comrades,

**Ensuing 3 days strike on 28th-30th Sept. is our top priority
Don't get diverted by motivated propaganda**

After the successful implementation of the Strike on the 11th September, 2026, our next strike action will be on the 28th, 29th and 30th September, 2026. The strike has been foisted on us because there is no positive response from the IBA or the Government to implement 5 days banking which was agreed to in the Settlement 30 months ago on 8th March, 2024.

Conciliation meeting: Dy. Chief Labour Commissioner from the CLC Office, Delhi has called for the conciliation meeting on the 22nd September, 2026. UFBU will certainly make all efforts to convince the authorities and achieve our demands. But the task before all our units and members is to ensure full-scale preparation for the 3 days strike.

Dirty propaganda: While the UFBU and all our unions are busy in such preparations and mobilisation, we observe a lot of diversionary tactics by inimical forces who have chosen the path of supporting the Government. All types of propaganda are being unleashed to create confusion amongst the employees and officers and our unity. They are active in the social media and busy in circulating abusive messages against AIBEA and our leadership. Ofcourse, these attempts are nothing new to AIBEA. But as in the past, our units and members should keep them at a distance and frustrate their wicked attempts and evil propaganda. The best reply to them is to intensify our efforts to make the ensuing strike more successful.

Fake news on Merger of Banks: Similarly, these elements are deliberately circulating false messages regarding merger of Banks to divert the attention of bank employees and officers. All of us are already aware that further consolidation and merger of banks is the Government's agenda but so far no decision has been taken. Even the High-Level Committee on Reforms and the terms of reference have not been finalised. All our units and members are advised not to be diverted by such ill-intentioned fake messages.

Creating confusion is their intention – defeat it.

Unity is our strength – Ensure it.

Strike is our path – Prepare for it.

Achieving the demand is our objective - Work for it.

With greetings,

Yours Comradely,

**C.H. VENKATACHALAM
GENERAL SECRETARY**