



ALL INDIA BANK OF BARODA RETIRED OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION

(Estd. 1990-Regd. Trade Union Act. 1926 Reg. No. G/4766/90)

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CIRCULAR TO MEMBERS

Dear Members,

Subject: 8th Quadrennial General Body Conference of BOBROA

We are pleased to inform you that our organisation, the Bank of Baroda Retired Officers Association (BOBROA), successfully held its 8th Quadrennial General Body Conference on 17th and 18th March 2026 at Hotel Sunday, Baroda. The event coincided with the 37th Foundation Day of BOBROA and the 98th birthday of our revered founder member, former long-time General Secretary, and present Chairman, Shri V. T. Makwana. The inaugural session was graced by distinguished guests from AIBPARC Shri K.V.Acharya, President and Shri. Suprita Sarkar, General Secretary, and invitees from our Bank Shri Shailendra Singh, CGM (HRM & Mktg.), Shri Vinay Rathi, GM & ZH, Baroda Zone, Shri Priya Kumar, DGM (HRCPC, TB, Medical Ins.) Head Office, in-service association INBOC & AIBOBOA Shri R.K.Chatterjee, President and Shri Prem Kumar Makker, General Secretary, other trade union representatives, and around 320 delegates and volunteers from Baroda.

The house paid tribute to Late Shri K. L. Bansal, our National President, and other members who passed away after the 7th Quadrennial Conference and till date, followed by observance of silence in their memory. The opening session included addresses by our Executive President, General Secretary, leaders of retiree and serving organisations, and senior bank officials, with positive assurances regarding resolution of pending issues of retired employees at both bank and industry levels.

During the business session, Zonal Committee and Governing Council members, along with delegates, deliberated extensively on members' suggestions and views. The house confirmed the minutes of previous meetings, approved the General Secretary's Report (2022–2026 to date), adopted audited financial statements for 2022–2025, approved amendments to the BOBROA Constitution and Election Rules and the recommendations of the re-organisation committee.

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The conference also reviewed zone-wise membership performance, special contributions, and the status of ongoing legal cases. Elections for the Central Administrative Unit were conducted as per the Constitution.

The Governing Council approved the nomination of Shri V. T. Makwana as Chairman, elected Shri Prakash Jain as Executive President, Shri Sunil Chaubal as Finance Secretary, and Shri Jatin Trivedi as Assistant Finance Secretary unanimously, and confirmed the election of 12 National Vice Presidents and 12 Assistant General Secretaries. The General Body unanimously confirmed Shri V. T. Makwana as Chairman, elected Shri J. G. Lakhawala as National President, and Shri V. B. Chavan (undersigned) as General Secretary for the term 2026–2030.

The house placed on record its deep appreciation for the valuable contributions of Shri Jatil Patel (Executive President), Shri T. K. Balasubramanian, and Shri Harshad Desai (Joint General Secretaries), who have chosen not to continue in their respective roles. The conference also appreciated the Baroda Zone team for their excellent arrangements and warm hospitality. The event arrangements were efficiently managed by Shri Sunil Padhye, and the proceedings were effectively anchored by Dy. General Secretary Shri Ketan Dave. The inaugural session concluded with a vote of thanks by Shri T. K. Balasubramanian, while Shri R. K. Gupta proposed the vote of thanks at the conclusion of the General Body Meeting.

On behalf of the newly elected leadership team, we express our sincere gratitude to all delegates and members for the trust and confidence reposed in us. We remain committed to carrying forward the activities of BOBROA with renewed zeal and dedication. Our focus will be on strengthening membership growth and engagement, improving communication systems, enhancing organisational capabilities, support bank's business development efforts, pursue pending issues with the Bank, and at the industry level, closely following up legal matters, addressing individual grievances, and extending support to super senior members and family pensioners. We aim to safeguard members' interests and make the organisation more transparent, responsive, and effective. Members will continue to be updated through our website, e-bulletins, emails, WhatsApp groups, and meetings.

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We request all members to stay connected, actively participate, and share their valuable suggestions or concerns at **bobroa90@gmail.com** for our consideration.

A detailed circular on discussions held during the Inaugural function, Governing Council and General Body meetings will be issued shortly.

We wish you all a happy, healthy, and fulfilling life ahead. Kindly share this circular with fellow members.

With regards,

V. B. Chavan

General Secretary,

BOBROA

Note — kindly circulate amongst our members