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**CIRCULAR NO. 17
TO ALL OUR AFFILIATES**

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24TH GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING OF SBIOA (PATNA CIRCLE) HISTORY RECREATED AND SURPASSED

The eventful day of 16th February, 2025 scripted yet another success story in the pages of glorious chapter of SBIOA Patna Circle with a successful commemoration of the 24th General Council that witnessed an assembly of over 3000 enthusiastic agglomerates deluging the floor of S.K. Memorial Hall with their presence from nooks and corners of the states of Bihar and Jharkhand.



02. The atmosphere surrounding the S. K. Memorial hall, rechristened as “Com Ajoy Das Nagar” in remembrance of ex-President of Bhagalpur Zone was electrifying on account of sky renting slogans all around amidst the bursting beats of “Dhol & Nagadas”. All the streets of the venue were speckled with posters, slogan hoardings & flags. Leaders from all the affiliates across the country and senior functionaries of the bank were given an intense welcome juxtaposed with enthusiasm and a stint of camaraderie mixed with the warmth of exuberance.



The event was set on motion with hoisting of the Association Flag by the honourable, Chief General Manager, Shri K.V. Bangarraju, amidst the august presence of Com Arun Kumar Bishoyi, President AISBOF, Com Arijit Bose, Com Amaresh Vikramaditya, the President and General Secretary of SBIOA Patna Circle, leaders of other affiliates, CMC members and the undersigned. The timepiece however was incarcerated with a splendid performance of Nukkad Natak showcasing the socio-political essence and flavour of genesis.



03. The stage of “Com Ajoy Das Nagar” was named after “Com L.K.P. Singh” as a mark of reverence to the ex-President of SBIOA Patna. It was then the students from “Sister Nivedita Girls School” who added a stint of serenity to the event with their melodious renditions signing in for a stunning take off of the event. The undersigned during the occasion promised a token money of Rs 1 lakh from AIBOC to be paid to Nayi Dharti” the NGO taking care of the downtrodden and destitute girl child as a fulfilment of Association’s commitment towards social cause.

04. Amidst thunderous claps and strident slogans, the guests were welcomed to the dais and warmth of felicitations were exchanged by the Circle President and the General Secretary. Apart from federation luminaries, ex- office bearers, the personalities like the Chief Guest of the event, Shri K.V. Bangarraju, CGM Patna, Shri Mrityunjay Kumar Singh, President, Bihar Police Association, Ajeet Singh, Secretary, Bihar Judicial Services Association, senior executives of the Bank were the luminaries who glorified the event with their gracious presence.

05. Whole-hearted felicitation offered to “Padma Shri” Ashok Kumar Biswas, a renowned folk artist from Bihar and for his special contribution towards development and propagation of folk art of the state. The Founder Secretary of NGO “Nayi Dharti”, Smt. Nandita Banarjee” was also felicitated along with President of the NGO, Smt. Jayati Singh. It was an emotional moment to felicitate the better halves of Com Ajoy Das, ex-President Bhagalpur Zone & Com Rupesh Srivastava, ex-Organizing Secretary. It was again nostalgic to offer felicitation to Com Kamlakar Singh & Com Ajit Kumar Mishra, the ex-President & General Secretary of SBIOA Patna Circle.

06. The felicitation program was followed by lighting of the lamp by the Chief Guest joined by other dignitaries which was followed by floral tributes paid to two departed souls by whose name the stage and the vicinity was rechristened. The dignitaries on the dais then unveiled an in-house publication of SBIOA Patna, namely, a book on SME Advances to aid assistance to the functionaries dealing in SME Advances.

07. Comrade, Amaresh Vikramaditya the General Secretary in his welcome address expressed deep gratitude to all the leaders for continuously supporting and guiding him. He specifically expressed his gratitude and thankfulness to Com Kamlakar Singh & Com Ajit Kumar Mishra for their continuous guidance and mentorship. Emphasizing on the importance of “work-life balance” he re-iterated his commitment. He urged the members to maintain highest standard of ethics in their dealings while re-affirming his commitment to see that the interest of innocents is protected by any means.

08. Shri K.V. Bangarraju, CGM Patna and the chief guest of the meeting, stressed deep on importance of maintenance of a good health while expressing his staunch advocacy for “work-life balance”. He expressed his intolerance on misbehavior, either involving customers or the employees. Denouncing insalubrious competition and rankings, he expressed his reliance on sustained, healthy and ethical growth. The Circle CGM urged the assembly to focus on prompt and empathetic Customer Service. Claiming SBI to be one of the best employers, the chief guest expected a reciprocative approach from the employees as well.



09. Shri Mrityunjay Kumar Singh, President of Bihar Police Association, felt pride in sharing his long and fruitful relationship with State Bank of India and appreciated the prompt and responsive service provided by the bank. He also praised the technology and products on offer by our bank and emphasized on sustained relationships. He talked high on the noble works being done by SBIOA Patna Circle while appreciating the leaderships for their untiring efforts.

10. Shri Ajit Singh, General Secretary of Bihar Judicial Services Association, applauded the efficient and customer centric products and services offered by SBI. He stated that the massive gathering attending the General Council of SBIOA Patna was a demonstrative in terms of unity and solidarity. He requested the Circle CGM to consider provision of Staff Quarters by the bank at all district headquarters facilitating employees stay and avoid travelling long distances.

11. Com Arun Kumar Bishoyi, President of AISBOF talked high on the efforts made



by the Circle Association towards commemoration of a glorious event with special mention to the hall full of participants that actually added laurels to labour.

Com President urged the members to stay united and fight collectively for the cause of collective good. He reminded the members about the demands of the Association and the upcoming strike call on 24th and 25th of March 2025 given by UFBU while requesting the members for a whole hearted participation in all the programs chalked out by UFBU leading to the strike and leave no stone unturned to make it a grand success.

12. The undersigned started with congratulating SBIOA (Patna Circle) for a



successful commemoration of its 24th General Council and thanked the assembly for their presence in such a huge number while delving with issues like role of Association and its contribution towards progress of the bank. It was a vociferous assertion expressing zero tolerance on the issue of dignity of officers and Association's stand on toxic work culture

where the Bank Chairman also on the same page. Talking on mental peace and importance of maintaining a sound health, the undersigned stressed on work-place happiness grading it paramount amongst the work-place priorities. The undersigned then delved with the residual issues of 9th Joint Note along with issues with which the long-drawn agitation including strike actions have been chalked out. He then informed the house on the development as regards to the guest house at Mumbai proposed to be purchased by the SBIOA Patna Circle and congratulated the Circle functionaries for their noble initiative. Stressing on maintenance of honesty and ethics, the undersigned assured the memberships that Association shall always stress its best foot forward and walk extra miles to ensure dignity, safety and legitimate progress of its members all the way.





13. The Inaugural Session of the 24th General Council of SBIOA Patna Circle came to its culmination with Presidential address and vote of thanks proposed by Com Arijit Bose, President, SBIOA (Patna Circle). The exuberance and wholehearted involvement of the members and overall atmosphere of the vicinity shall continue alluring our emotion and shall be retained for long.

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With Greetings,

Yours Comradely,

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