

ALL INDIA BANK EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION

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TO ALL UNITS AND MEMBERS:

Dear Comrades,

FIGHT BACK PRIVATISATION OF BANKS MARCH ON TO STRUGGLES – MARCH ON TO STRIKES

Units are aware that to oppose the announcement of the Government to privatise Public Sector Banks and other retrograde budget decisions, UFBU has given the call for agitational programmes and 2 Days continuous strike on 15th and 16th March, 2021.

We now give below the UFBU Circular giving the detailed agitational programmes for implementation by all unions and members.

All our unions should immediately start the preparation for the mobilization of our members and to effectively implement all these programmes. AIBEA has convened its Central Committee meeting at Chennai on 24th and 25th February, 2021 to decide and ensure successful implementation of the programmes and strike action.

UFBU CIRCULAR 2021/2

- OPPOSE PRIVATISATION OF PUBLIC SECTOR BANKS
- MARCH ON TO ALL INDIA STRIKE ON 15TH AND 16TH MARCH, 2021

We have informed all our unions and members that in the UFBU meeting held at Hyderabad on 9th instant, the call has been given for observing 2 Days Strike on 15th and 16th March, 2021 to express our protest and opposition to the proposed move of the Central Government to privatise 2 public sector banks in addition to IDBI Bank.

In continuation, we append the detailed agitational programmes to be undertaken by our unions and members:

14 th Feb. to 14 th March	Committee meetings, mass meetings to explain the importance of the struggle to all our members.
15 th Feb.	Letters to all Central Trade Unions seeking support to our struggle
16 th Feb.	Letters to all political parties seeking their support
18 th Feb.	Serving Strike Notice by UFBU
19 th Feb	Day long Dharna in all State Capitals
19 th Feb	Demonstrations in all centres

20 th Feb. to 14 th March	Dharnas in Districts/towns in each State on different days
20 th to 25 th Feb.	Petition to all Members of Parliament by UFBU
22 nd Feb.	Black Badge Wearing
From 22 nd Feb	Distribution of leaflets/pamphlets amongst employees/ customers
From 1 st March	Display of posters before all Bank Branches
1 st March	Wearing of protest Masks
2 nd March & 3 rd March	Submission of online petition to Prime Minister
1 st to 4 th March	Press Meets in State Capitals – on any one day
8 th March	Wearing of protest masks (Parliament session opening day)
9 th March	Twitter campaign
10 th March	Demonstration before Parliament – all UFBU leaders to participate
11 th March/	Badge Wearing
12 th March	
11 th March/	Demonstrations in all State Capitals
12 th March	
15 th and 16 th March	Two days continuous stay out strike

Notice will be served by UFBU on Indian Banks' Association and all Banks. Individual unions need not serve any separate strike notice.

Specimen of Badges, posters, petitions, etc. will be sent to unions in due course.

Comrades, all of us should realise that the challenges are serious and hence our struggle has to be massive, militant and determined. We seek the co-operation and involvement of all our unions and members in all the programs listed above to make them successful.

Sd.. Sanjeev K Bandlish, Convener

With greetings,

Yours comradely,

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