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For circulation among members of the Governing Council,
State Secretaries, Special Invitees, Advisors, Affiliates and Members

Dear Comrades,

**Sub : Group Medical Insurance Scheme for Bank Retirees
for the year November, 2021 to October, 2022.**

We are reproducing hereunder the text of our letter written on date to The Chairman, IBA on the above subject. This is for information of members.

With best wishes and regards,

Comradely yours,

(Suprita Sarkar)
General Secretary

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17th September, 2021.

**The Chairman,
Indian Banks Association,
Mumbai.**

Respected Sir,

**Sub : Group Medical Insurance Scheme for Bank Retirees
for the year November 21 to October 2022**

The retirees of the industry are passing their days in tension and anxiety as they are not aware till today as to what exactly is going to happen in respect of the financial burden that they are supposed to bear. We have made repeated appeals to IBA and Government to ensure that the premium is kept within an affordable limit by way of full/substantial subsidization of the same by the bank and also by withdrawing the GST component included in the premium.

Although it will be an act of repetition, we remind you gently that our organisation submitted a comprehensive paper before your good self on 21st July, 2021 and the said paper dealt with different aspects which affect the interest of retirees. We can reasonably hope that due consideration will be given to the suggestions offered by AIBPARC.

As the Hon'ble Union Finance Minister has openly said in the 73rd AGM of IBA that the retirees should be looked upon by the banks and the serving employees as members of the same family, the elder citizens of the industry are eagerly looking forward to the days when the much-desired proclamation of the Hon'ble Minister is translated into action by IBA. We request you earnestly to have a thorough discussion with the top officials of the Insurance Company regarding the problems faced by the elder citizens and find out some workable solution to such issues. We draw your kind attention to another important aspect – when the scheme, on finalization, applicable for the year November, 2021 to October, 2022 will be forwarded to the banks, it may please be addressed to all the banks which have been presently extending the benefits under the Group Medical Insurance Scheme for bank retirees.

To sum-up, we hope that the retirees will get due justice.

With kind regards,



(SUPRITA SARKAR)
GENERAL SECRETARY