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To

All the Zonal/Divisional/State/Regional Units

Dear Comrades,

AIIEA Secretariat Meeting at Bengaluru

The secretariat of AIIEA met as scheduled on 28th March, 2016 at Bengaluru. The Secretariat discussed the budget 2016 presented by the Finance Minister which echoed further liberalization of Indian Economy. The BJP led NDA government continued to pursue the anti-people and anti-employee policies more aggressively. In the situation the Secretariat decided to continue the struggle against these policies along with other working people. The Secretariat unanimously endorsed to join the struggles including strike action, if any, emanating from National Convention of Workers at Delhi scheduled on 30th March 2016. Accordingly, as per the decisions of the said National convention, we call upon all employees to prepare for **ONE DAY** strike action on 2nd **September, 2016**.

The Secretariat also decided to continue the campaign in defense of public sector insurance industry. The meeting condemned the budget proposal to disinvest the public sector general insurance companies in this financial year and decided to unleash a campaign against this move of the government. Accordingly the meeting decided to write to the management to desist from any move that weakens the public sector general insurance and if any attempts from management to list or divest the company/s – the employees in general sector will observe **A ONE DAY STRIKE ACTION.** Apart from this, the Secretariat decided to campaign among the employees and the people about the dangers of disinvestment and its impact on Indian economy. The Secretariat also decided to approach all the unions in general sector and build a united struggle against the disinvestment of public sector General Insurance companies.

The Secretariat endorsed the decision to oppose the unilateral Transfer and Mobility Policy of LIC management and reiterated the demand for an immediate need for recruitment in the industry.

The meeting also noted the progress on the question of online petition to the Prime Minister on 33% reservation for women in Parliament and Legislative Bodies. We call upon all the units to ensure the signing on the petition so as to reach the target of 1 lac petition at all India level at the earliest.

The South Zone Insurance Employees' Federation (SZIEF) informed the Secretariat that the 24th Conference of AIIEA will be held at KOCHI (Ernakulum), Kerala from 21st to 25th January, 2017. Our comrades in Kerala have already started preparations to host this conference successfully. We call upon all our units across the country to help the host unit financially for the success of the Conference.

The AIIEA will continue to follow up the pending issues with management for early solution.

With greetings,

Comradely yours,

General Secretary.