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**TO ALL MEMBERS:** 

## ALL INDIA GENERAL STRIKE OF 28<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2012 A THUNDEROUS SUCCESS

**Congratulations Comrades** – The call of the organization for a nation-wide strike today, coinciding with the All India General Strike call by all the Central Trade Unions in the Country, has paralysed the entire banking operations in the country. The reports pouring in from different parts of the Country doubly confirm the thunderous success of the strike all over the Country.

The actions of the Government despite knowing the brutal effects of neo-liberalism compelled the working class to rise against the anti-labour, anti-working class and anti-public policies of the Government. The call of all the Central Trade Unions for a All India General Strike in unison displays the ill-effects of policies of the Government in the name of Financial Reforms and the greater responsibility and role-play of trade union organizations in the Country in protecting the interests of working class and the general public. Our organization also joined the Central Trade Unions in their crusade against the onslaughts of the Government in its attempts in multiplying the difficulties of working class as most of the demands/issues of Central Trade Unions are equally applicable to banking industry too.

The All India General Strike of 28<sup>th</sup> February 2012 is a unique and historic one, for the reason that for the first time in the history of the Nation, all the Central Trade Unions in the Country have come together and gave a joint call duly supported by most of the Unions/Associations in the financial sector.

Let us hope that this total strike of the entire working class in the Country serve as an eye-opener to the policy-makers of the Country and trust that the policy decisions of the Government, in future, would be arrived at after due consideration of the interests of the working class and the general public.

The hope that the Government would give due importance to the impact of this total strike has been derived out of our positive approach to the resolution of our demands/issues. In reality, if the future situation is otherwise, there is an imperative need to further our struggles till a reasonable solution is found towards resolution of all our demands.

Comrades – Maintain the Unity - Continue to be the strongest force behind the organization in all its calls - Let us move forward together and achieve our goals.

Once again, **KUDOS** to all Comrades for the thunderous success of **All India General Strike of 28<sup>th</sup> February 2012.** 

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