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Dear Comrades,

Safety Measures to Stop Spread of COVID-19 amongst Staff & Payment for attending duty

We reproduce hereunder letter dated 29.05.2020 of General Secretary, All India PNB Staff Federation addressed to GM, HRMD, Head Office on Safety Measures to Stop the Spread of COVID-19 amongst Staff & Payment for attending duty for information of all our affiliates and members.

With revolutionary greetings,

Yours comradely,

(R. K. Sharma) General Secretary

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Through our letters dated 24.03.2020, 01.04.2020, 15.04.2020 and 29.04.2020 addressed to the MD & CEO of the Bank, we have raised so many issues of immediate concern to the employees of the Bank. We are very much thankful of the management for having taken so many welfare measures for the benefit of the employees of the Bank keeping in view the situation arising out of Pandemic COVID-19.

As the Corona positive cases in our staff are increasing day-by-day, we urge upon you to form Monitoring Committees in all the Circles of the Bank to tackle with the situation arising out of Pandemic COVID-19 effectively and also to look into the issues relating to the health and lives of the employees of the Bank and their family members.

Further, the Government has extended the Lockdown upto 31.05.2020 and is also considering to extend it for 2 more weeks; hence we demand that the Scheme for Payment of one day's salary (Basic Pay qualifying for PF+DA) for every 6 working days active duty during Lockdown circulated by the Bank vide Human Resource Management Division Circular No. 500 dated 04.04.2020 be reviewed and extended till the lockdown is over.

Last fortnight, the Government has announced combing reforms, monetary and fiscal measures to make India self-reliant and an Economic Package of Rs. Twenty lakh crore to boost up the economy. The package mainly focuses on supply side reforms and relief which can do more to increase the liquidity in the hands of the middle class and tax-payers to drive consumption.

We appreciate all these steps taken by the Government to boost up the economy. We also know that the bank employees will be exposed more and more in ultimate delivery of Economic Package announced by the Government.

We feel that in the present situation, thermal scanners be necessarily provided to all the Security Personals/Guards posted at the entry gates of the branches/offices all over the country to restrain the entry of suspected Corona positive persons in the branches/offices and all positive steps be taken by the Bank to safeguard the health and lives of the employees.

We have sanguine hope that you will definitely act according to the need of the hour and take all possible steps to safeguard the health and lives of the employees of the Bank from the Pandemic COVID-19.