



# INDIAN OVERSEAS BANK OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION

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## UPDATE ON AGITATIONAL PROGRAMME DEMONSTRATIONS HELD ON 23.02.2026

Dear Comrades,

We are proud to report that yesterday, 23rd February 2026, as per the schedule outlined in our agitational programme, massive demonstrations were successfully held at all Regional Centres across India. These actions stood as a resounding testament to the collective strength, discipline and unyielding unity of IOBOA members in our fight for justice, dignity and work-life balance.

Despite visible hurdles , our members turned out in large numbers with extraordinary enthusiasm and determination. The participation was overwhelming and inspiring, reflecting the deep-rooted solidarity among officers from every scale, branch and region. Particularly heartening was the enthusiastic and courageous involvement of our women comrades, who braved the conditions and stood shoulder-to-shoulder with their fellow officers. Their active presence not only added immense strength and visibility to the demonstrations but also exemplified the inclusive and revolutionary spirit that defines our Association.

The large turnout, spirited slogans, disciplined conduct, and visible resolve across centres delivered a clear and powerful message: our legitimate demands - ranging from discontinuation of EOD blocking, calling on holidays, revival of the Central Consultative Committee (CCC), removal of anomalies in transfer and promotion policies, to restoration of humane working conditions, are backed by the overwhelming support of the membership. These demonstrations have further galvanized our movement and reinforced that when officers unite, no obstacle can silence our voice.



This success is a direct result of your unwavering commitment, every comrade who participated, supported from the field, wore the badge in solidarity, or stood firm in spirit. Special salute to our women officers for their exemplary courage and leadership, which has inspired the entire rank and file.

Positive Development – Conciliation Meeting Scheduled:

Arising from our sustained efforts, the Chief Labour Commissioner (Central) has now called for a conciliation meeting tomorrow, 25th February 2026. Your leadership will be attending this meeting to present our case forcefully, reiterate our demands and seek meaningful, substantive resolutions through bilateral dialogue. We will keep all members promptly updated on the proceedings and any outcomes. While this is a welcome step toward engagement, our resolve remains firm: if conciliation does not yield tangible progress on our core issues, the agitational programs, will proceed as scheduled.

Comrades, the enthusiasm and unity displayed yesterday have brought us closer to victory. Let this momentum inspire even greater participation and discipline in the days ahead. Stay united, remain alert to official communications from the Central Unit and Regional Office Bearers and continue to uphold the revolutionary ethos that has sustained IOBOA for decades.

Our strength lies in our unbreakable solidarity-together, we will secure the justice, respect and balance we deserve.

With Revolutionary Greetings and Salute to Your Indomitable Spirit,



(RAGHAVENDRA SHRIPAD HEGDE)  
PRESIDENT



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GENERAL SECRETARY

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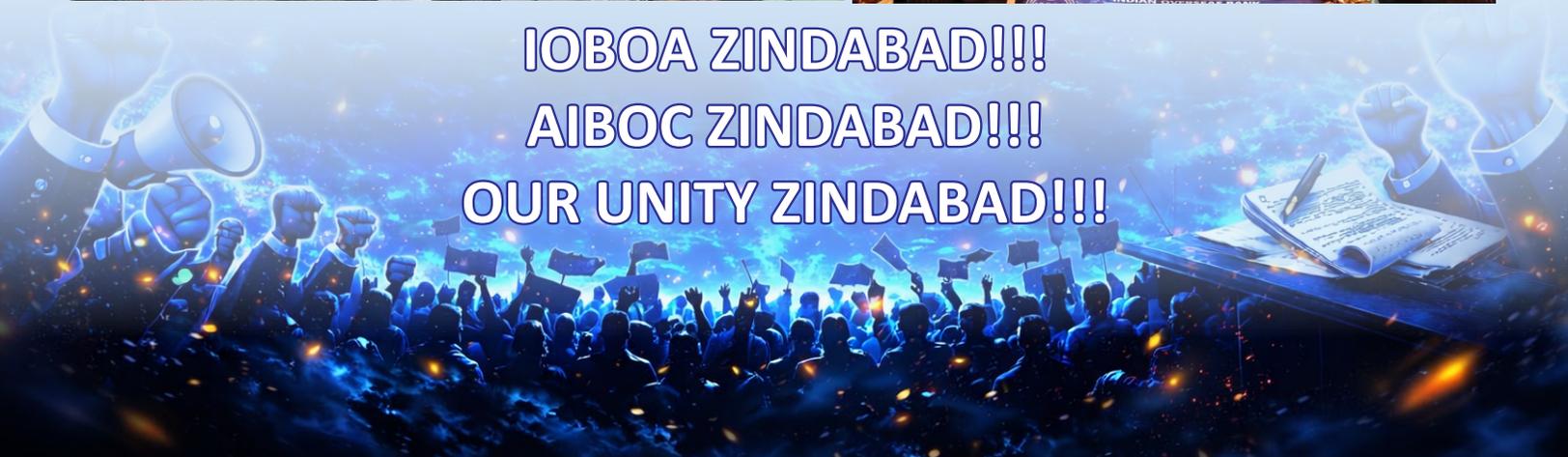
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