

**ALL INDIA BANK OFFICERS' CONFEDERATION (AIBOC)
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INDIAN NATIONAL BANK OFFICERS' CONGRESS (INBOC)
NATIONAL ORGANISATION OF BANK OFFICERS (NOBO)**

28th March, 2014.

The Chairman,
Indian Banks Association,
MUMBAI.

Sir,

**REG: SPECIAL TAX COLLECTION DRIVE BY GOVERNMENT OF
INDIATHROUGH BANKS.**

REF: 1. Our Letters dated 24th and 26th March, 2014.
2. Your circular PS & BT/GOVT.9096 dated 26/03/2014
3. RBI Letter RBI/2013-14/535 DGBA GAD No. H-5430/42.01.029/2013-14
dated 26.03.2014

We request reference to our captioned letters on keeping the Bank branches open on weekly offs and Holidays declared under N.I. Act. We reiterate our resentment particularly with reference to the corporate/taxpayers, who failed to draw an action plan to make timely payment, cost effectiveness of such an yearly exercise, third time in a row, making the officers to work for continuously for eight days.

Though IBA, RBI and Government have addressed our concerns to limited extent and we with the National Interest in mind have refrained from taking any organisational action, but our strong protest continues. Our inclination, to extend cooperation for tax collection on these three days, in a measure to mop up the Tax revenue to the National Exchequer may please be considered as an exception to the regular expectation from the Government and also from the IBA.

While we are confident that the individual Bank Managements will initiate steps to adhere to the directions of RBI to call minimum staff and to keep only the select branches open to undertake Government transactions upto 8 p.m. only, taking sufficient care to handle the electronic transactions avoiding the future problems, arising out of the directions to the Banks to keep that section to function upto midnight of March 31, 2014.

Since the officers in these identified branches will have to work for extended working hours and on holidays, they should be paid monetary compensation not lesser than the overtime payable to eligible workmen staff, in addition to the compensatory off.

Yours Faithfully,



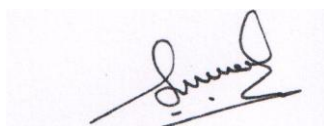
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