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All the Zonal/Divisional/State/Regional Units

Dear Comrades,

AllEA Secretariat Meeting at Hyderabad on 12-13 April 2025 gives a Clarion Call To Celebrate the Platinum Jubilee Year of AllEA (July 2025-June 2026) in a Befitting Manner To Redouble the Efforts for Organisational Consolidation in the Platinum Jubilee year To Start Preparations for the 27th Platinum Jubilee Year Conference of AllEA at Bhubaneswar

As already informed, the Secretariat of the AIIEA that met at Hyderabad on 12-13 April 2025 held detailed discussions on issues pertaining to the organization, the Platinum Jubilee Year Celebrations of AIIEA from July 2025 to June 2026, the 27th General Conference of AIIEA at Bhubaneswar and a host of other issues pertaining to consolidation of the organization. We give herein below a gist of the issues that came up for discussion and their eventual adoption in the meeting with absolute unanimity.

- (A) The Secretariat noted with justifiable pride that the AIIEA will enter into its 75th year of glorious existence on the 1st of July 2025. The period from 1st July 2025 to 30th June 2026 will be celebrated as the Platinum Jubilee Year of the AIIEA throughout the country. The Secretariat noted that a Platinum Jubilee celebration for a trade union is a rare milestone and deserves unadulterated celebration. The celebration has to be a vibrant mix of activities that honour the legacy, energize the present and inspire future generations. It was decided that all units should organize a grand Platinum Jubilee Inauguration Ceremony on 1st of July 2025 by way of hoisting of AIIEA flag followed by the Pledge to strengthen AIIEA. While Divisional/ Zonal Units can plan activities according to their convenience, the yearlong celebrations should include felicitation of past leaders, memorial lecture series, seminars and workshops, panel discussions, archives exhibition, blood donation camps, health camps, cultural evenings, family gatherings or picnics, social media campaigns, podcast series featuring AIIEA history, oral testimonies, current challenges etc. The Secretariat decided to float a "Logo Designing Competition" among our members for the Platinum Jubilee Year of AIIEA, the details of which will be communicated shortly.
- (B) Literature for Platinum Jubilee Year Documenting the history of AIIEA: The Secretariat decided that from July 2025 issue, Insurance Worker would carry articles in each issue for one year on important struggles of AIIEA. The Secretariat also felt that we can have some selected articles from the Insurance Worker from September 1957 on important struggles of the AIIEA and a book containing all these can be published. The meeting felt that such an exercise would mean documenting the glorious history of the AIIEA and would be highly useful for augmenting the knowledge base of our cadres.
- (C) 27th Platinum Jubilee Year General Conference of the AIIEA: The Secretariat noted that Bhubaneswar Divisional Unit under East Central Zone has started preparations for the ensuing Platinum Jubilee Year General Conference of AIIEA at Bhubaneswar in a big way. Already a Reception Committee, with senior journalist Rajesh Mahapatra as the Chairman, has been formed for the smooth conduct of the Conference from 28th December 2025 to 1st

- January 2026. The Secretariat called upon the members from across the country (except those belonging to the host zone-ECZIEA) to contribute @Rs.800/- per head for meeting the Conference expenses.
- (D) Conference Logo unveiled: The Logo of the 27th Platinum Jubilee Year Conference of AIIEA was unveiled by Com. V. Ramesh, President AIIEA during the Secretariat meeting. The Secretariat placed on record its gratitude to Com. Kishore Bit (a retired Comrade from the state of Odisha), Com. Rabi Narayan Mallick (former President EZIEA from Cuttack) and Com. Ramu of Kriya Prakashana, Bengaluru for conceptualizing, designing and developing the logo.
- (E) National Level Seminars on the topics decided in the Chennai Working Committee Meeting of AIIEA: The Secretariat noted with satisfaction that a large number of units across the country had organized seminars on three important topics identified in the Chennai Working Committee Meeting of the AIIEA viz; Constitution as a Living Document, Economic Rights as Fundamental Rights and Importance of Cultural Diversity and Unity. Given the enduring significance of these topics especially in the polarizing climate of present-day India, the Secretariat decided to organize National Level Seminars on these topics bilingually - Hindi and English. The Seminar for Hindi speaking units (CZ/ECZ/NCZ/NZ/WZ/EZGIEA/NZGIEU/WRGIEA) will be held on 12-13 July at New Delhi. The Seminar for non-Hindi speaking units (EZ/SCZ/SZ/GIEASZ) will be held at Hyderabad on 19-20 July 2025. Details regarding eligibility of participants etc. will be communicated separately.
- (F) National Level Workshop for Young Activists: In keeping with the decision of the Chennai Working Committee, the Secretariat requested the zonal/divisional units to identify young activists (with at least 10 years of residual service) for a national level seminar to be organized on a bilingual basis sometime in early 2026.
- (G) Organisation Building: The Secretariat underscored the need for serious efforts to be made to build future leadership of the organization. The meeting emphasized that spotting of cadres at Divisional/ Zonal Level, educating them and assigning them with important responsibilities has become an imperative need. Stressing on the importance of ideological understanding of the cadres, the Secretariat reiterated its earlier appeal to form and activise Insurance Worker Readers' Forum at all centres. The Secretariat also felt that "Circulars Corner" (where AIIEA Circulars can be read and explained in mass gatherings of the employees on a pre-decided date) will go a long way in enthusing members. The meeting called upon the units to distribute printed Circulars among the members, preferably by translating these into the vernacular language for effective dissemination of information.
- **(H)** The Secretariat of AIIEA had a passionate discussion on the over six-decade long genocidal economic blockade of Cuba by US imperialism and appreciated the solidarity actions being spearheaded by the National Committee for Solidarity with Cuba, New Delhi. The meeting called upon the employees to contribute liberally towards the **Cuba Solidarity Fund**.

AIIEA calls upon the members across the country to implement the decisions of the Secretariat meeting in letter and spirit.

With Greetings, Comradely Yours

General Secretary