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To All Units/Members,

(AFFILIATED TO ALL INDIA

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N.C.B.E.)

APPEAL FOR RELIEF TO THE FLOOD AFFECTED PEOPLE OF ASSAM

All of us are aware about the gravity of the havoc created by the severe floods in all the 33 districts of Assam affecting more than 70 lakhs people. Lakhs of dwelling houses and properties have been washed away leaving almost all of them homeless. Lakhs of people have taken shelter in the highways and other high lands to save their lives. Many people could not come out at proper time and have been reeling under flood water waiting for rescue teams. You are also aware that nearly 70 people, hundreds of livestock and also hundred odd animal resources of the Kaziranga National Park have lost their lives. Lakhs of hectare of agricultural land have been devastated breaking down the economy of the state of Assam. It is also observed that though the State Government has tried their level best to provide relief materials, but it is not all adequate. No proper attention from the Central Government is visible and it is in no mood to find out any permanent solution to this precarious and recurring flood and erosion problem in Assam, not to speak of treating it as a National Problem.

Most of the crops have been severely damaged. Embankments at several places have been breached which has further aggravated the situation. The main arteries of communication of affected districts disrupted for days together. Erosion accompanied the flood and a number of villages have been simply washed away.

The conditions of the flood-hit people need no description. They have lost their hearth and homes. A vast majority of the affected people are still taking shelter either in embankments or in several relief camps arranged by the state Government. Many NGOs are extending helping hands to the flood affected people. But still these measures are proved to be significantly inadequate. In such situation a grim prospect of utter ruination and pauperization stares the flood victims in their faces. With the runaway inflation, their condition is going to worsen further. They, therefore, are in urgent need of relief.

As a responsible Trade Union organization, we cannot remain passive onlookers to the sufferings and privations being faced by the flood affected people. It is our bounden duty to stand by our suffering brethren at this grim hour of crisis.

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We call upon each and every member of our Association to rise to the occasion and take all initiative to collect fund from the members and donate generously. Please deposit the proceeds in our "SBISA, NE Circle, Relief and Rehabilitation Account" (Account No. 10234515294) maintained at State Bank of India, A.T.Road Branch, Guwahati. All Unit Secretaries are requested to inform about the deposited amount by a Text / WhatsApp Messages to the undersigned (9435709307).

The collection of donation should be expedited and completed within ten/fifteen days so as to enable us to distribute relief by the early next month i.e. before 15th of August, 2019.

With warm greetings,

Pkhairrya (Pradip Kr. Baishya)

General Secretary

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