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Date : 31st July 2021

COM.S.VIJAYAKUMAR

DEPUTY GENERAL SECRETARY (BR.)CHENNAI - ZONE 1



Com. S.Vijayakumar, Deputy General Secretary(Branches), Chennai Zone 1, whose motto has always been "SERVICE TO MEMBERS", is demitting his office in view of his retirement on 31.07.2021 after completing nearly 34 years of meritorious service in the Bank. Com. S.Vijayakumar, a calm and composed person has discharged his duties with sincerity and devotion to the satisfaction of all.

Com. Vijayakumar joined our bank in the year 1984 as Clerk-Typist at Madurantakam branch. After he was transferred to Vellore in 1988, he began to evince keen interest in Union activities and involved himself in the service to the members of the Union. He believed in "**being of service to others is what brings true happiness**". Com.Vijayakumar has worked in almost all the branches in Vellore and is now retiring from Vellore Main branch as Chief Associate.

During his stay at RBO Vellore, he became the Local Secretary and proved his worth by meticulously attending to the grievances of staff members with regard to medical bills, housing loan, fitment anomalies etc. He is a master in preparing Pension and Staff Housing loan proposals. By maintaining good rapport with the local management, he ensured amicable resolution of issues of our members. He stood rocklike in the forefront along with other leaders, when a call was given by our organisation to protest against a vindictive move of the Management against one of our office bearers in the year 2010.

The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others - Mahatma Gandhi. His trade union militancy and his commitment towards the welfare of the members have been commendable and worth emulating. His leadership qualities invoked admiration at all levels and he became the obvious choice for the post of AGS, Zone IV in January 2016.He travelled extensively, making regular visits to the units in his zone to inculcate the spirit of Unionism among the members. With his tact to get along with people, he kept the units intact. He commanded respect among the rank and file that helped him to mobilize our comrades in large numbers for any call of the Union, even at short notice. He toiled persistently to promote Unity and solidarity amongst our members and strengthen our Organisation. In recognition of his continued dedication towards the Organisation, he was elevated to the position of DGS (Branches) in June 2020.

Com.Vijayakumar, as AGS, successfully organised a Members Meet of Vellore Zone in January 2020 coinciding with the felicitation function of Com S.S.Gopal. A spectacular procession with all grandeur was arranged from Vellore Main branch to the venue. The meeting was neatly organised and conducted in an exemplary manner. It was attended by a huge gathering, with more number of our sister comrades. It was a magnificent show of Unity and Solidarity of our mighty Organisation. An interaction session was arranged for the members with the undersigned and the entire Meeting was very lively and memorable one.

At the domestic front, he leads a contented life. His wife Smt. S.Meenambigai is working in Forest Department, Government of Tamilnadu. They are blessed with two sons. Their elder son is a Chief Engineer in Merchant Navy and younger son is a Senior Software Engineer in Accenture. Both are married and well settled.

The commendable services rendered by him to the membership of our Vellore Zone will ever be remembered and SBSU (CC) expresses its gratitude to Com S. Vijayakumar.

Long Live !! Com. S Vijayakumar Long Live !!

(G. KRIPAKARAN)
GENERAL SECRETARY

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