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Dear Comrades,

11th Death Anniversary of Com.O.A.Azeez

Today is the 11th death anniversary of Com.O.A.Azeez, our beloved former General Secretary of the Union from 1979 to 1994. Com Azeez joined the bank as a subordinate staff and due to his hard work; he was promoted to clerical cadre in 1973. He was always stood for the rights of the comrades and took part in trade union activities prior to 1973. He was part of the foundation conference of Union Bank Employees' Union - Tamilnadu held at Coimbatore on 22.04.1973.

During the period 1977-79, he was officiating as General Secretary in the place of Com.J.Srinivasan. In 1979, in the Vellore Conference, Com Azeez was elected as the General Secretary and continued upto 1994. In 1996, he was elected as President of the Union in the Erode Conference. He was continuing as Chairman/President upto our Chennai Conference in 2009.

Com Azeez was functioning as the Organizing Secretary, Vice President of AIUBEA and the CC Member of TNBEF for long years. During 1979-1980, along with Com.S.Anbalagan, Com.A.V.Sukumaran, Com.Raja Chandrasekar, Com Azeez stood against the disruptive forces. He has contributed a lot for the success of AIBEA forces in the extra-ordinary General Body meeting on 16th March, 1990.

Com Azeez has taken pains to form the Union Bank Staff Co-operative Thrift and Credit Society Ltd., and for its expansion into a Multi-State Society. His contribution from 1973 to till the date of his death (11.03.2011) he was part and parcel of Union Bank Employees' Union - Tamilnadu and all its activities. He lives in the minds and hearts of our comrades.

Com Azeez amar rahe.

Yours comradely,

(A.CHIDAMBARAM)

General Secretary