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The Chairman/Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer/
All scheduled commercial banks
(including Small Finance Banks and Regional Rural Banks)

Dear Sir / Madam,

**Programme on Priority Sector Lending and Lead Bank Scheme
(September 04-06, 2019)**

Priority Sector Lending and Lead Bank Scheme were intended to catalyse the credit flow to the under privileged sectors and the economy in general. Officers of banks need to have clear understanding about various aspects of priority sector lending, the revision in the RBI guidelines on priority sector lending and look at priority sector lending as a business opportunity instead of viewing it as a compliance function. Further, they should be aware of the GoI and RBI Initiatives on Financial inclusion and Financial Literacy with a view to serve the underserved segments of the population.

In this context, the College of Agricultural Banking (CAB), RBI, Pune is organizing a **Programme on Priority Sector Lending and Lead Bank Scheme (September 04-06, 2019) in CAB campus, Pune.**

2. Target Group: The programme is meant for Officers of Scheduled Commercial Banks including Regional Rural Banks and Small Finance Banks.

3. Programme contents: The programme will cover the following:

Module I: Regulatory aspects of Priority sector lending

- Overview of Priority sector lending and PSL as a business opportunity
- RBI guidelines on different segments of priority sector lending
- RBI guidelines on lending to MSMEs
- Exploring new business opportunities under Govt Sponsored Schemes

Module II: Enabling opportunities for lending business

- Priority Sector Lending Certificates
- TReADS
- CGTMSE
- Coorigination

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4. **Teaching Methodology:** The pedagogy includes interactive lecture sessions, group discussions, group work, etc.
5. **Venue and accommodation, Participation Fee, Nominations:** The programme is residential. The participation fee details and the nomination form is attached.
6. Smt Ananthi S (ananthi@rbi.org.in) and Smt B Dayamrutha (bdayamrutha@rbi.org.in) are the Programme Directors.
7. We, therefore, request you to nominate **two / three** suitable officers of your bank / organization for the programme by **August 28, 2019**. The nomination may please be sent to cabacademic@rbi.org.in.
8. For nomination related enquiries, you may contact our Academic Section at 020-25582364 /020-25582386; e-mail- cabacademic@rbi.org.in

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER	
Programme Dates	September 04-06, 2019
Nominations to be received by	August 28, 2019
Reporting at CAB	September 03, 2019 (Tuesday) Evening
Completion of programme	17.30 pm on September 06, 2019 (Friday)

We look forward to nomination from your bank/institution.

Yours faithfully



(Ananthi S)
Programme Director

Encl: As above

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