

Farewell

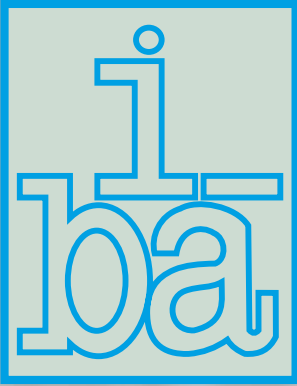
A farewell dinner in honour of Mr. V. Leeladhar who was elevated as Deputy Governor, RBI was organised by the association. Mr. V. Leeladhar was the Chairman of IBA from September, 2003 to September, 2004. The Association also hosted a farewell dinner to Mr. P.S. Shenoy who took over from Mr. V. Leeladhar, as Chairman IBA. He was the Chairman of IBA from September, 2004 to February, 2005 and laid down the office on reaching superannuation.



Mr. P.S. Shenoy, Chairman IBA (September, 2004 to March, 2005) welcomes Mr. V. Leeladhar (Chairman IBA from September, 2003 to September, 2004) at the farewell dinner.



Mr. V.P. Shetty, Deputy Chairman, IBA handing over a memento to Mr. P.S. Shenoy (Chairman, IBA) at the farewell dinner.



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- generating and exchanging of ideas on systems, planning, procedures, operations, structure, organisation and administration in banks;
- evolving common thinking on major banking problems and policies;
- identifying sources of and the collection, interpretation and retrieval of operational data within banks and the environment data;
- promoting better personnel administration in banks and carrying on negotiations with labour unions on behalf of bank managements;
- encouraging sports and cultural activities among bank employees through the Banks' Sports Board; and
- organising public relations for projecting the image of social responsibility of banks.