

## Bank of Baroda Opens a New Branch in Cuttack, Odisha

**Cuttack, July 18, 2024:** Bank of Baroda (Bank), one of India's leading public sector banks, announced the opening of a new semi-urban branch in Choudwar town in Cuttack, Odisha. This is the Bank's 20<sup>th</sup> semi-urban branch in the Cuttack Region and the 61<sup>st</sup> semi-urban branch in Odisha State. In total, Bank of Baroda now has 60 branches in Cuttack Region and 179 branches in Odisha State.

Shri Debadatta Chand, Managing Director & CEO, Bank of Baroda inaugurated the new branch. Mrs. Swapna Bandopadhyaya, General Manager & Zonal Head, Bhubaneswar Zone, senior bank executives and staff members of the Zone & Region were also present during the branch inauguration

Inaugurating the new branch, **Shri Debadatta Chand, Managing Director & CEO, Bank of Baroda** said, "We are pleased to add to our presence and deepen our commitment to the state of Odisha. With the opening of this new semi-urban branch at Choudwar, the Bank aims to provide the people of the region with improved access to mainstream banking services and promote financial inclusion."

The Bank's Bhubaneswar Zone covers the states of Odisha and Jharkhand and has a total of 304 branches, of which 99 are rural branches and 102 are semi-urban branches.

### About Bank of Baroda

Founded on 20th July, 1908 by Sir Maharaja Sayajirao Gaekwad III, Bank of Baroda is one of the leading commercial banks in India. At 63.97% stake, it is majorly owned by the Government of India. The Bank serves its global customer base of ~165 million through over 70,000 touch points spread across 17 countries in five continents and through its various digital banking platforms, which provide all banking products and services in a seamless and hassle-free manner. The Bank's vision matches the aspirations of its diverse clientele base and seeks to instil a sense of trust and security in all their dealings with the Bank.

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