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PRESS RELEASE

Pro-employee decision during State Council Ministers meeting

**More than 8 Lakh Officers, Employees and Pensioners of GoG will
be benefited with 4% D.A.: Nitinbhai Patel**

Gandhinagar, Wednesday: Deputy Chief Minister Mr. Nitinbhai Patel said that more than 8 Lakh Officers, Employees and Pensioners of the State Government will get benefit of 4% Dearness allowance and for which State Government will bear a burden of worth Rs. 930 Crore this year.

Briefing about the details of decision taken during meeting held with state council ministers in chairmanship of Gujarat Chief Minister Mr. Rupani, Mr. Patel said that State Government is paying salaries with granting the benefit of the 7th Pay Commission to total 8,20,764 Officers, Employees and Pensioners. After implementation of the Seventh Pay Commission, Central Government has approved total 4% D.A. in two stages 2% each on July 1ST, 2016 and on January 1st, 2017 according to which State Government has decided to pay. Accordingly, the 4% D.A. will be paid in cash along with next month salary.

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