

New Delhi, dated the 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.

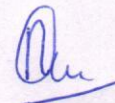
**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject: **Rate of Dearness Allowance applicable w.e.f. 01.01.2018 to employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies continuing to draw their pay in the pre-revised pay scales as per 5<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission.**

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The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's O.M. of even No. dated 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 regarding revision of the rate of Dearness Allowance w.e.f. 01.07.2017 in respect of employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies continuing to draw their pay in the pre-revised pay scales **as per 5<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission**.

2. The rate of DA admissible to above categories of employees of Central Government and Central Autonomous Bodies shall be enhanced from the existing **268%** to **274% w.e.f. 01.01.2018**.
3. The provisions contained in paras 3, 4 and 5 of this Ministry's O.M.No.1(13)/97-E.II(B) dated 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 1997 shall continue to be applicable while regulating Dearness Allowance under these orders.
4. The contents of this Office Memorandum may also be brought to the notice of all organisations under the administrative control of the Ministries/Departments which have adopted the Central Government scales of pay.



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To

All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India (as per standard distribution list).

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