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MINISTRY OF FINANCE

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Retired Public Officers to receive Pension increase

The Ministry of Finance wishes to advise that the increased pension payment to Retired Government Public Officers of \$3,000.00 will be paid on **January 21st, 2011**. In addition, all outstanding arrears of the increased pension from September, 2010 will also be paid on this date.

This initiative which supports social equity is as a result of an announcement made by the Honourable Winston Dookeran, Minister of Finance in his presentation of the National Budget 2010/11.

This measure will benefit approximately 28,000 retired public officers and will cost the Government an additional \$280 million dollars.

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