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## **Czech health care October 2017 - May 2018**

After the October parliamentary elections, a minority government was formed. The minority cabinet failed to obtain a vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies and governs in resignation until today.

The negotiations about a possible coalition with the Social Democrats (winner of the last parliamentary elections) have just made some progress. A final solution can be expected by the end of June.

Despite this fact, we have in cooperation with the Union of Health and Welfare succeeded to obtain from the Prime Minister a confirmation of the previous government's promise of an additional 10% increase in basic salaries.

This means an increase in basic salaries by 40% in the last five years.

I will inform you of further developments at the autumn meeting.

Prague, May 16, 2018

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