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**CM's reaction on Central Budget**

**The proposed Central Budget of financial year 2022-23 showing direction for next 25 years: CM**

Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb called the central government's proposed budget of financial year 2022-23 to beshowing direction for the next 25 years and to be public welfare based. The Chief Minister expressed his gratitude towards the Prime Minister and Finance Minister on behalf of the state government for bringing up historic and paperless budget considering the Covid-19 situation yesterday in a press conference at the Secretariat. He said, 1,500 crore rupees has been allotted by the central government for the Northeastern region in the proposed budget. The future of the national citizens for the next 25 years has been forecasted through this budget. The budget comprises paddy procurement opportunities at Minimum Support Price through Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana scheme. 2 lakh 37 thousand crore rupees has been allotted in the budget for this. 80 lakh families are to be provided with housing under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana according to this budget. 60 thousand crore rupees has been allotted for Jal Jeevan Mission scheme in the budget. In the financial year 2022-23, National Highways will be expanded to 25 thousand kilometers. This is also going to benefit Tripura, expressed the Chief Minister. He said, through the Prime Minister's dream scheme, PM Gati Shakti, 16 departments will be directly monitored according to the budget. 400 new Vande Bharat train will be started in the next three years. 2 lakh Anganwadi Centres across the country will be further improved. Job opportunities will be created through Aatmanirbhar Bharat scheme. 60 lakh job opportunities will be created through Make in India scheme. Importance has been given in the budget upon natural farming for farmers welfare besides increasing agricultural production. New gas connections will be given to more 1 crore women under Ujjwala Yojana in the budget. 75 Digital Banking Units will be started. He said, importance has been given to using drone technology for farming in the budget. In this case, Start-Up India has been prioritized for manufacturing drones. Necessary opportunities are there in the budget to encourage farmers for fruit and vegetable cultivation. Funds have also been allotted for Defense. The Chief Minister said, priority has been given to manufacturing defense materials in Indian companies itself. Digital currency will be started under RBI. Tax has been exempted for Divyangans. It is being hoped that the economic growth will rise to 9.2% in the next financial year.

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