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**BHUBANESWAR:** The Opposition parties described the Budget as people-friendly and historic even as the State Government lambasted the Centre for ignoring its demand.

The announcements in the Budget are an election stunt and they have nothing for Orissa, Finance Minister Prafulla Chandra Ghadei said. Leader of Opposition J.B. Patnaik, however, said the relief given to the small and marginal farmers will go down in the history as the UPA Government's gift to the indebted community. The Budget has also spelt out a number of measures to benefit the weaker sections, minorities and senior citizens, he said.

Describing the Budget as growth-oriented, JB said it has laid emphasis on the development of irrigation, health and communication facilities. It is a welfare Budget catering to the needs of all sections, he said. State Congress president Jaydeb Jena said such a Budget was never presented by any Government before. It has paid attention to the needs of all sections and taken extra care for the farmers. Besides giving relaxation on Income Tax, the Budget has given attention to the welfare of child and women, he said.

NCP convenor Bijay Mohapatra described the Budget as pro-farmer. The relief given to the farmers is a bold step, he said. The extension of NREGS to all districts and increased allocation under the BRGF will benefit the

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underdeveloped district. Except for not announcing an IIT for Orissa, the Finance Minister has catered to all sections.

He, however, said the Centre should have considered the demand for the establishment of an IIT in Orissa.

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