

UP to table ₹7L-cr budget, House session begins today

Govt To Showcase ₹33L-Crore MoUs Signed During GIS

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Lucknow: UP finance minister Suresh Khanna is likely to table Rs 7 lakh crore budget on February 22 as the assembly session takes off on Monday. This would be Rs 50,000 crore increase over the previous year's budget.

After coming back to power in March last year, the Yogi 2.0 government tabled Rs 6.15 lakh crore budget in May. Later, Rs 33,000 crore were added through supplementary demands.

Since it is the first session of the assembly this year, the



CM Yogi Adityanath with UP assembly Speaker Satish Mahana after inaugurating the Legislative Digital Gallery at Vidhan Bhawan

proceedings will start with Governor Anandiben Patel addressing the joint session of the house on the first day.

Discussions on the budget will begin on February 25 and continue up to March 10. This would be Khanna's fourth consecutive budget and second in Yogi 2.0 government. While the government is expected to showcase invest-

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At an all-party meet, Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath assured full cooperation of the ruling party in the smooth conduct of the session and said that taking forward meaningful discussion would increase faith of people in democracy. **P 4**

ment proposals worth Rs 33.5 lakh crore that have come in during the recent Global Investors Summit and its plans to convert proposals into reality on ground, the opposition is geared up to try and corner the treasury benches on price rise, sugarcane dues and law and order related issues.

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