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“ THIS budget has covered all critical sectors such as agriculture, healthcare, infrastructure, MSMEs, education and start-ups. Announcements regarding establishment of higher education commission, proposal to set up nine education clusters, and training 56 lakh school teachers, introducing online modules covering the entire gamut of adult education speak about the government's commitment to make the education sector competitive and self-reliant. Start-up innovators would now be allowed to form 'One person Company' without restrictions and paid-up capital or turnover norms. The budget gives enough emphasis on ease of doing business. To encourage SC-ST and women entrepreneurs, under the scheme of Stand-Up India, the govt has proposed to reduce margin money to 15%, and to also include loans for activities allied to agriculture.

