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## The next 100 days

by Sidharth Birla

We are on the verge of a new Budget, where one expects a clear roadmap to policies and implementation. In an earlier article I opined that the Budget cannot, and must not, be seen as a “make or break” event in the overall scheme of things.

### India takes action against 'tax terrorism'

by India Inc Staff

Prime Minister Narendra Modi's Make in India initiative, which envisages turning India into a global manufacturing hub, is facing an unexpected roadblock.

## Pragmatism v Populism: Pitching for progressive tax system

by Siddharth Acharya

The tax regime in India has perhaps gone through its worst phase in the past few years. The regulators and investors had been struggling to build consensus on anything concrete and there is still a lot of uncertainty around what is going to happen.

### India to take reforms to Parliament

by India Inc Staff

The government is determined to push ahead with its legislative agenda and may consider calling a joint session of Parliament if the Opposition led by the Congress stall its efforts to pass key bills, including the ones on insurance, land acquisition and coal mines.

### Banks get behind India's solar dream

by India Inc Staff

This should come as good news to companies in the UK, China, Germany, US and India. Seventeen public sector, private sector and foreign banks have given the government a commitment to fund 72,000 MW of solar power project worth Rs 500,000 crore.

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