

## **Union Budget 2021: Lack of immediate support to tourism, hospitality in Budget disappointing: Industry**

Union Budget 2021 India: In a similar vein, Federation of Hotel & Restaurant Associations of India (FHRAI) said the Union Budget 2021 has disappointed the hospitality industry.

Indian Union Budget 2021-22: The lack of immediate support in the Budget has disappointed the tourism and hospitality sector, though measures to strengthen infrastructure may help the beleaguered segment. The tourism, travel and hospitality industry was looking for immediate and short-term measures for critical revival. This has not happened in the budget announcements, they added.

Federation of Hotel & Restaurant Associations of India (FHRAI) said the Union Budget 2021 has disappointed the hospitality industry. “Hospitality and Tourism roughly account for 10 per cent of India’s GDP and employ nearly 9 per cent of India’s working population and yet, it failed to find space in the Union Budget,” FHRAI Vice President Gurbaxish Singh Kohli said.

The hospitality and tourism industry was looking forward to some relief measures to lift this most severely affected industry by COVID-19. Instead, it has yet again completely and fully chosen to ignore us, he added.