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Piyush Goyal

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Dubai: Indian Minister Piyush Goyal has announced that the Union Cabinet has approved 100% foreign direct investment (FDI) in coal mining and associated infrastructure.

The cabinet has allowed 100% FDI in Contract Manufacturing through automatic route, he further said.

It has also approves 26% FDI in digital media with government approval.

The Union cabinet was expected relax FDI in various sectors, including single brand retail and digital media, as announced by Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman in her maiden Budget last month.

A liberal FDI regime is expected to attract foreign players to invest in the country which is facing a slowdown.

Seeking to make India more attractive FDI destination globally, Sitharaman had said that government would examine suggestions of further opening up of FDI in aviation, media (animation) and insurance sectors in consultation with all stakeholders.

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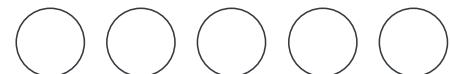
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