



BUDGET 2015 ANALYSIS AND CRITIQUE

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Budget 2015

- Fourth regressive budget in a row
- Widened rich-poor gap
- No social recovery
- Groups being left behind
- Priorities are clear

Missed opportunities

- Taxation
- Working Poor
- Universal Pension
- Social Housing
- Social infrastructure

Challenges

- Depressed household spending
- Stagnation in Eurozone
- Limited investment
- High and structural long-term unemployment
- Uneven recovery
- High levels of national and personal debt
- Deficiencies in public service provision



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