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NATIONAL TREASURY NOTES THE PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENT ON FEE-FREE HIGHER EDUCATION

National Treasury notes the announcement by the Presidency this morning and is in the process of reviewing the details of the higher education proposals, as well as possible financing options. The proposal will also be considered by the Ministers' Committee on the Budget (MinComBud) and the Presidential Fiscal Committee. Any amendments to existing spending and tax proposals will be announced at the time of the 2018 Budget.

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