<u>Minister Mallon signs off on £17</u> <u>million flood alleviation scheme in</u> Belfast

Infrastructure Minister Nichola Mallon has today signed contract documents awarding the design and construction phase of the £17 million Belfast Tidal Flood Alleviation Scheme to Lagan Construction Ltd.

Statement from Education Minister

Commenting on the current situation in relation to the impact of COVID-19 on schools Education Minister Michelle McIlveen said: "Detailed discussions are ongoing between my Department and the Department of Health on measures to alleviate current pressures facing our schools as a result of COVID-19.

<u>Vaccine clinics announced for Balmoral</u> Show

The Health and Agriculture Ministers have jointly urged the farming and rural community to protect themselves from Covid-19 through vaccination.

<u>Lyons announces first-time investment</u> <u>by USA law firm Ogletree Deakins</u>

Economy Minister Gordon Lyons today announced that US employment and immigration law firm, Ogletree Deakins, is setting up a 78 person legal support centre in Northern Ireland.

<u>Murphy extends protection for business</u> tenants until <u>March 2022</u>

Finance Minister Conor Murphy has extended emergency protection for business tenants having difficulty paying rent on commercial leases as a result of the pandemic until March 2022.