#### <u>Poots announces £2M Covid-19 support</u> <u>scheme for potato growers</u>

A further Covid-19 support scheme worth up to £2million for farmers growing potatoes for the processing supply chain has been announced by Agriculture and Environment Minister Edwin Poots.

### Report on the Northern Ireland food and drinks processing sector

The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs has published its annual publication, 'Northern Ireland Food and Drinks Processing Report' previously known as 'Size and Performance of the Northern Ireland Food and Drinks Processing Sector, Subsector Statistics'.

# Northern Ireland Annual Business Inquiry Local Unit Statistics for NonFinancial Businesses 2019

The Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency has today released headline results from the 2019 Northern Ireland Annual Business Inquiry (ABI) Local Unit (LU) survey.

### Economy Minister awards contract for delivery of High Street Scheme

Economy Minister Gordon Lyons has announced the contract for the delivery of the High Street Scheme (HSS) has been awarded to Prepaid Financial Services (PFS).

## <u>Minister opens new Viewpoint during</u> visit to north Antrim coast

Rural Affairs Minister Edwin Poots MLA has officially opened the newly redeveloped Magheracross Viewpoint site between Portrush and Bushmills and made a visit to Portaneevy Viewpoint on the International Appalachian Trail near Ballintoy on the north Antrim coast.