Executive Daily Update: Initiatives to deal with Coronavirus (1 May 2020)

Northern Ireland Executive Ministers and their officials have over the past 24 hours been involved in a number of initiatives and critical decisions relating to the Coronavirus emergency.

Covid-19 Childcare Support Scheme Update

Following the recent joint announcement on emergency measures for childcare, the Department of Health has written to registered childcare providers today.

<u>DAERA continues to work with red meat</u> <u>and dairy sectors</u>

The Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs Department continues to work alongside, and support stakeholders in the red meat and dairy sectors, as they face downturns in market prices and financial challenges due to COVID-19.

Long praises cross border policing cooperation in battle against Covid-19

Justice Minister Naomi Long and Minister for Justice and Equality, Charlie Flanagan TD have praised the close cooperation between police forces on both sides of the border in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Executive secures £5.7m support package for airports

Infrastructure Minister Nichola Mallon has announced that the Executive has secured £5.7million support for Belfast City Airport (BCA), City of Derry Airport (CODA) and to those associated airlines still operating passenger services.