<u>Minister announces extension of</u> <u>protections from bedroom tax</u>

Communities Minister Deirdre Hargey MLA today announced her plans for the extension of the welfare mitigations to the bedroom tax beyond 31 March 2020.

PwC Assured Skills Academy offers 20 high quality training places in Belfast

The Department for the Economy and PwC have launched a new PwC Future Business Assured Skills Academy offering 20 high quality training places.

<u>Trans Role Model of the Year – Stonewall Award for Civil Service</u> staff member

NICS employee Ricki Kettle has been awarded the Stonewall Trans Role Model of the Year 2020 award for her contribution to supporting trans colleagues within the NI Civil Service.

<u>Swann welcomes progress on cancer</u> <u>strategy</u>

Health Minister Robin Swann welcomes progress made so far on the development of a new cancer strategy.

MOT test update: A further three vehicle lifts now operational as work continues to restore normal operations

A further three vehicle lifts are now operational at the Driver & Vehicle Agency (DVA) test centres as work continues to restore normal operations.