#### <u>Vigilance urged following confirmation</u> <u>of single case of Bluetongue in Kent</u>

The Chief Veterinary Officer (CVO) for Northern Ireland (NI) has urged farmers to be vigilant following confirmation of a single case of Bluetongue Virus (BTV-3) in a cow in Kent.

### <u>Department comments ahead of strike</u> action

Department of Education Permanent Secretary, Dr Mark Browne, has commented ahead of planned strike action by four non-teaching Trade Unions next week.

## Reappointment and Extension of Two Non-Executive Members to the Board of Warrenpoint Harbour Authority

The Department for Infrastructure has announced that Board Member David Gray has been reappointed to a second four-year term with effect from 1 December 2023 and Geraldine Donaghy's second term has been extended.

#### Maximum taxi fares to increase

The Department for Infrastructure has announced a decision to increase maximum taxi fares.

# Details published on emergency rate relief for businesses affected by recent flooding

Land & Property Services (LPS) has published further information on the rate relief available to business premises impacted by the recent flooding.