## Minister visits north coast following £2.7m investment

Rural Affairs Minister Edwin Poots MLA has visited towns and villages across Northern Ireland's north coast to see how £2.7million funding provided by his Department can help to revitalise rural communities and stimulate the local economy.

### <u>Mallon hosts series of virtual</u> <u>seminars on the challenges of Brexit</u> <u>facing our island</u>

Hosting the first in the series of virtual stakeholder seminars, Infrastructure Minister Nichola Mallon today discussed Brexit challenges with the local Sea Port and Ferry Operator sectors.

# <u>Launch of recruitment competition for</u> <u>Nine Non-Executive Members for the</u> <u>Board of Belfast Harbour Commissioners</u>

The Department for Infrastructure (DfI) Minister Nichola Mallon has announced a recruitment campaign to appoint nine Non-Executive Members to the Belfast Harbour Commissioners' Board (BHC).

Over 25,000 businesses benefitting

#### from 100% rate relief - Murphy

Over 25,000 businesses here are now benefitting from the 12 months rates holiday introduced by the Executive to help businesses impacted by COVID-19.

## £800,000 Access and Inclusion Programme launched

Communities Minister Carál Ní Chuilín and Rural Minister Edwin Poots today jointly launched this year's Access and Inclusion Programme.