

## **Joint statement by CMOs**

The Chief Medical Officer for Northern Ireland (NI) Dr Michael McBride and the Acting Chief Medical Officer (ACMO) for the Republic of Ireland (ROI) Dr Ronan Glynn met this morning, Friday 25 Sept 2020 to review the ongoing COVID19 pandemic.

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## **£7m fund to open for Social Enterprises**

Communities Minister Carál Ní Chuilín is urging social enterprises to apply for the COVID Social Enterprise Fund which opens today.

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## **Enhanced tendering system will benefit thousands of suppliers**

Thousands of suppliers are set to benefit from an enhanced tendering system which helps organisations bid for public sector business.

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## **Over £18million claimed through Covid-19 support fund**

Over 11,000 dairy, beef and sheep farm businesses have submitted applications to the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs' (DAERA) Covid-19 Support Fund, resulting in total claims worth almost £18.2million, Agriculture Minister Edwin Poots MLA has announced.

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# **Publication of Quarterly Carers' Statistics for Northern Ireland (April – June 2020)**

The Department of Health (DoH) has today published Quarterly Carers' Statistics for Northern Ireland (April – June 2020).