



WINTER ECONOMY PLAN

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SEISS Grant Extension – The government will continue to help those who are self employed. The grant will be limited to self-employed individuals who are currently eligible for the SEISS and are actively continuing to trade but are facing reduced demand due to COVID-19. The scheme will last for 6 months, from November 2020 to April 2021.