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Telehouse welcome

SDLP Leader and Foyle MP Mark Durkan has welcomed the announcement by ILEX to seek planning permission for a Telehouse on the Fort George site.

He said: "The official confirmation of a planning application for the Project Kelvin Telehouse at the Fort George site is to be warmly welcomed. Given the key economic significance of this facility and the time sensitivity of Project Kelvin's delivery we want to see planning approval as soon as possible.

"ILEX and Hibernia Atlantic deserve encouragement and support in taking this project forward. It would be a welcome and overdue first delivery at the Fort George site for all the reasons previously argued. It offers great potential for the city and the region in terms of connectivity, competitiveness and future employment."