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The screenshot shows the BT Business website interface. At the top left is the BT logo and the word "Business". To the right is a search bar. Below this is a navigation menu with tabs for "Business home", "Products & services", "Business insight", "Your account", and "Help & support". The main content area features a breadcrumb trail: "You are here: Home > News Stories > Time to Pay scheme isn't the answer". On the left side, there is a vertical menu with categories: "Thinking", "Starting", "Running", and "Growing", each with a right-pointing arrow. Below this is a "Next Generation Access" button. Underneath is a "Tell me about..." section with a list of topics: Business law, Cloud computing, Dealing with finance, Employing people, Planning your business, Sales and marketing, and Suppliers and partners. The main article title is "Time to Pay scheme isn't the answer". The article text begins with a sub-headline: "The Government's extended Time to Pay scheme should not be relied on according to one accountancy firm." The main text states: "Woods Squared, which specialises in business growth advice for small firms, claims that while the scheme is open to everyone, some firms are still being rejected and left to face financial problems alone." It then quotes Alan Woods, Director of Woods Squared, saying: "The Time to Pay scheme has merit but it can also just be papering over the cracks of deeper financial problems," he said. "The reality is that of the 300,000 agreements the Government has signed, some have been with the same firm. The actual number of firms helped is 168,000, so there is no guarantee you will be accepted." The article concludes by stating that the Time to Pay initiative, made permanent in last week's budget, allows businesses to spread payments of VAT and Corporation Tax over a few months. At the bottom of the article, there are links for "Back to top", "Email to a friend", and "Print a copy".