REVISED REPORT (1) OF THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS AND BUSINESS SCHEDULE FOR

TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, 20 – 22 FEBRUARY 2018

(AS AGREED ON 16 FEBRUARY 2018)

<u>Tuesday 20 February 2018 (2.00 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.)</u>

 Leaders' Questions (FF, SF, LAB, SD-GP)
 2.00 p.m. – 2.32 p.m. (32 mins)

 Order of Business
 2.32 p.m. – 3.02 p.m. (30 mins)

Motions without debate:

- Motion re. Seventeenth Report of the Committee of Selection
- Motion re. Sectoral Employment Order (Mechanical Engineering Building Services Contracting Sector) 2018 (Back from Committee) (Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation)
- Motion re. Report on service by the Defence Forces with the UN in 2016 (Referral to Committee) (Department of Defence)
- Motion re. PQ Rota Change (Departments of Foreign Affairs and Trade and Public Expenditure and Reform)
- Motion re. Health and Social Care Professionals Act Regulations (Referral to Committee) (Department of Health)

Taoiseach's Questions 3.02 p.m. - 3.47 p.m. (45 mins) P.Q.s: Oral – Minister for Employment Affairs and Social Protection 3.47 p.m. - 5.17 p.m. (90 mins) Topical Issues 5.17 p.m. - 6.05 p.m. (48 mins)

Private Notice Question (if any)

Government Business:

6.05 p.m. - 8.00 p.m. (115 mins)

- Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (to adjourn not later than 8.00 p.m., if not previously concluded)

Private Members Business (Fianna Fáil):

8.00 p.m. – 10.00 p.m. (120 mins)

- Motion re. Agriculture Trade Talks

Adjournment 10.00 p.m.

Wednesday 21 February 2018 (10.30 a.m. – 10.15 p.m.)

P.Q.s: Oral – Minister for Rural and Community Development
Leaders' Questions (FF, SF, SOL-PBP, RIG)
Questions on Promised Legislation
Taoiseach's Questions
SOS
1.47 p.m. – 2.47 p.m. (60 mins)
1.030 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. (90 mins)
12.00 p.m. – 12.32 p.m. (32 mins)
12.32 p.m. – 1.02 p.m. (30 mins)
1.02 p.m. – 1.47 p.m. (45 mins)
1.47 p.m. – 2.47 p.m. (60 mins)
2.47 p.m. – 3.35 p.m. (48 mins)

Private Notice Question (if any)

Private Members' Business (Fianna Fáil):

Government Business:

- Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed if not previously concluded)

- Public Service Superannuation (Amendment) Bill 2018 All Stages (to be taken at 4.15 p.m. and to conclude within 3 hours) (Department of Justice and Equality)
- Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed if not previously concluded)
- Statements on the Report of the Joint Committee on the Eighth Amendment of the Constitution (to be taken at 7.15 p.m. and to conclude not later than 8.15 p.m., if not previously concluded)
- Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed, to adjourn not later than 8.15 p.m., if not previously concluded)

Private Members' Business (Fianna Fáil):

8.15 p.m. – 10.15 p.m. (120 mins)

3.35 p.m. – 8.15 p.m. (4 hrs 40 mins)

- Motion re. Transport

Adjournment 10.15 p.m.

Thursday 22 February 2018 (10.30 a.m. – 7.48 p.m.)

P.Q.s: Oral – Minister for Children and Youth Affairs

Leaders' Questions (FF, SF, RIG, SD-GP)

Questions on Promised Legislation

Weekly divisions

SOS

10.30 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. (90 mins)

12.00 p.m. – 12.32 p.m. (32 mins)

12.32 p.m. – 12.47 p.m. (15 mins)

12.47 p.m. – 1.30 p.m. (43 mins)

13.0 p.m. – 2.10 p.m. (40 mins)

2.10 p.m. – 5.00 p.m. (170 mins)

- Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed) (to adjourn at 5.00 p.m., if not previously concluded)

Topical Issues

5.00 p.m. – 5.48 p.m. (48 mins)

Private Notice Question (if any)

Private Members' Bill or Committee Report (alternating weekly): 5.48 p.m. – 7.48 p.m. (120 mins)

- Digital Safety Commissioner Bill 2017 Second Stage (Deputy Donnchadh Ó Laoghaire)

Adjournment 7.48 p.m.

The proposed arrangements for the taking of business are as follows:

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS

Tuesday proposal no. 1: Motions re. Seventeenth Report of the Committee of Selection, Sectoral Employment Order, Report on service by the Defence Forces with the UN in 2016, PQ Rota Change and Health and Social Care Professionals Act Regulations

• To be taken without debate

Tuesday proposal no. 2: Statements on Project Ireland 2040

- In the opening round, Statements of a Minister or Minister of State and the main spokespersons of parties and groups, or a member nominated in their stead, shall not exceed 30 minutes each
- All other members shall not exceed 10 minutes each
- 10 minute response from a Minister or Minister of State
- All members may share time
- To adjourn not later than 8.00 p.m., if not previously concluded

Tuesday proposal no.3 – Private Members' Business Rota

 Notwithstanding anything in Standing Order 143F, the rota for Private Members' Business from 20 February to 7 March, shall be in the following temporary sequence: Fianna Fáil, Fianna Fáil, Rural Independent Group, Fianna Fáil, Social Democrats-Green Party, Independents 4 Change, whereupon the sequence in the Standing Order shall continue

Wednesday proposal no. 1: Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed)

• To adjourn not later than 4.15 p.m. if not previously concluded, and to resume, time allowing, after the Public Service Superannuation (Amendment) Bill 2018, and the Statements on the Report of the Joint Committee on the Eighth Amendment of the Constitution

Wednesday proposal no. 2: Public Service Superannuation (Amendment) Bill 2018

- The proceedings on Second Stage shall commence at 4.15 p.m. and shall be brought to a conclusion after 2 hours and 30 minutes and any division demanded on the conclusion of Second Stage shall be taken immediately
- Speech of a Minister or Minister of State and the main spokespersons for parties or groups, or a member nominated in their stead shall not exceed 10 minutes each
- All other members shall have 5 minutes each
- 5 minute response from the Minister or Minister of State
- All members may share time
- Proceedings on Committee and Remaining Stages shall, if not previously concluded, be brought
 to a conclusion after 30 minutes by one Question, which shall, in relation to amendments,
 include only those set down or accepted by the Minister for Justice and Equality

Wednesday proposal no. 3: Statements on the Report of the Joint Committee on the Eighth Amendment of the Constitution (resumed)

• To resume at 7.15 p.m. and to conclude not later than 8.15 p.m. if not previously concluded

Wednesday proposal no. 4: Private Members' Business

 Private Members' Businesss shall be taken at 8.15 p.m. and shall conclude after 2 hours and the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of Private Members' Business

Thursday's proposal: Statements on Project Ireland 2040 (resumed)

• To adjourn not later than 5.00 p.m., if not previously concluded

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS		
Tuesday from 8.00 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.	Fianna Fáil – Motion re. Agriculture Trade Talks	
Wednesday from 8.15 p.m. – 10.15 p.m.	Fianna Fail – Motion re. Transport	

THURSDAY BUSINESS FOR PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS/COMMITTEE REPORTS from 5.48 p.m. – 7.48 p.m.

Digital Safety Commissioner Bill 2017 Second Stage (Deputy Donnchadh Ó Laoghaire)

INDICATIVE BUSINESS FOR WEEK COMMENCING 26 FEBRUARY 2018

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

Wildlife (Amendment) Bill 2016 – Order for Report, Report and Final Stages
Technological Universities Bill 2015 – *expected* – Amendments from the Seanad
Radiological Protection (Amendment) Bill 2018 – Order for Second Stage and Stage Stage (not yet published)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Tuesday 27 February 2018	Rural Independent Group – Rural Ireland and the effects of insurance and transport regulations
Wednesday 28 February 2018	Fianna Fáil – Motion re. Insurance

THURSDAY BUSINESS FOR PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS/ COMMITTEE REPORTS ON 1 MARCH 2018

Report on the Review of the Credit Union Sector with specific reference to the Credit Union Advisory Committee Review of Implementation of the Recommendations in the Commission on Credit Unions Report (June 2016) — Joint Committee on Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform, and Taoiseach

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