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**COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE, ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

**ANNUAL REPORT 2022**

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## MEMBERSHIP

***(Select Committee membership comprises only Deputies)***

- Deputy Niamh Smyth T.D., Fianna Fáil, *Cathaoirleach*
- Deputy Alan Dillon T.D., Fine Gael, *Leas-Chathaoirleach*
- Deputy Ciarán Cannon T.D., Fine Gael
- Deputy Peter Fitzpatrick T.D., Independent
- Deputy Brendan Griffin T.D., Fine Gael
- Deputy Mattie McGrath T.D., Independent
- Deputy Imelda Munster T.D., Sinn Féin
- Deputy Johnny Mythen T.D., Sinn Féin
- Deputy Christopher O’Sullivan T.D., Fianna Fáil
- Senator Malcolm Byrne, Fianna Fáil
- Senator Micheál Carrigy, Fine Gael
- Senator Shane Cassells, Fianna Fáil
- Senator Annie Hoey, Labour Party
- Senator Fintan Warfield, Sinn Féin

### NOTES:

Deputies nominated by the Dáil Committee of Selection and appointed by Order of the Dáil on 8 September 2020.

Senators nominated by the Seanad Committee of Selection and appointed by Order of the Seanad on 25 September 2020.

Deputy Niamh Smyth nominated as Chair by the Dáil Committee of Selection and appointed by Order of the Dáil on 8 September 2020.

Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media



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## CONTENT AND FORMAT OF REPORT

This report has been prepared pursuant to Standing Order 100 (3), (4), (5), and (6), (Dáil Éireann), and Standing Order 77 (3), (4), (5) and (6) (Seanad Éireann), which provide that the Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport, and Media:

- undertake a review of its procedure and its role generally;
- prepare an annual work programme;
- lay minutes of its proceedings before both Houses; and
- make an annual report to both Houses.

At its meeting of 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023, the Joint Committee agreed that these items should be included in the present report, covering the period from 01/01/2022 to 31/12/2022.

## ESTABLISHMENT AND FUNCTIONS

### ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE

The Dáil Select Committee was established by Order of Dáil Éireann on 30 July 2020 to consider Bills, Estimates for Public Services, Motions, and the terms of any international agreement involving a charge on public funds, which come within the aegis of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

This Committee was renamed, on 24 May 2021, to the Select Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media, on foot of a Motion passed by both Houses. The function of scrutiny relating to Gaeltacht matters as comprehended by Programme Area C of Vote 33 was transferred to the Committee on the Irish Language, Gaeltacht and the Irish-speaking Community.

The Select Committee may also consider Annual Output Statements, Value for Money Reviews and Policy Reviews prepared by the relevant Government Department insofar as these fall within the remit of the Committee.

## ESTABLISHMENT OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE

The Dáil Select Committee, under the same Order, was enjoined with a Select Committee of Seanad Éireann, established by Order of Seanad Éireann on 18 September 2020, to form the Joint Committee on Media, Tourism, Arts, Culture, Sport and the Gaeltacht.

This Committee was renamed, on 24 May 2021, to the Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media on foot of a Motion passed by both Houses. The function of scrutiny relating to Gaeltacht matters as comprehended by Programme Area C of Vote 33 was transferred to the Committee on the Irish Language, Gaeltacht and the Irish-speaking Community.

## FUNCTIONS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE

Among the principal functions of the Joint Committee are to consider, within the areas of tourism, culture, arts, sport, and media—

- public affairs administered by the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media;
- matters of policy for which the Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media is responsible;
- legislative and expenditure proposals of the Department;
- EU legislative proposals; and
- certain matters relating to bodies under the aegis of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

The orders of reference of the Select Committee and the Joint Committee are set out in [Appendix 1](#).

## CATHAOIRLEACH, LEAS-CHATHAOIRLEACH, AND MEMBERSHIP

Dáil Standing Order 104 (2) provides for a proportion of Chairs to be allocated to each group by means of the D'Hondt system. Deputy Niamh Smyth was appointed as Cathaoirleach to the Select Committee on 8 September 2020 by an Order of Dáil

Éireann. The Cathaoirleach to the Select Committee is also Cathaoirleach to the Joint Committee. Deputy Alan Dillon was elected as Leas-Chathaoirleach to the Joint Committee on 7 October 2020.

Membership of the Committee, including all internal changes within the reported period, is listed on the section of the present document entitled [“Membership” on page 1](#).

## MEETINGS, ATTENDANCE, AND RECORDING

Meetings of the Joint Committee and Select Committee took place in the Committee Rooms in Leinster House 2000. Owing to circumstances arising from the COVID-19 pandemic, meetings of the Joint and Select Committees also took place via Microsoft Teams. Meetings were held in public unless otherwise ordered by the Committee.

Committee proceedings were broadcast live within Leinster House and also made available to RTÉ, Virgin Media and TG4. Proceedings were also live streamed on the Oireachtas website and through the Oireachtas mobile application. Since September 2014, the proceedings of Committees in public session, typically recorded but occasionally live, are broadcast on the dedicated parliamentary channel, Oireachtas TV, which is available on these channels:

- Saorview 22, Sky 517, Virgin Media 207, and eir Vision 504; and
- Vodafone Channels 201, 207 (Dáil Éireann), and 208 (Seanad Éireann).

An official report (parliamentary debates) of the public meetings of the Committee may be viewed on the Houses of the Oireachtas website at [www.oireachtas.ie](http://www.oireachtas.ie).

Copies of other reports published by the Joint Committee are also available on the Oireachtas Committee website pages at [www.oireachtas.ie](http://www.oireachtas.ie). A list of these reports is set out in the section of the present document entitled [“Committee reports published”](#).

## NUMBER AND DURATION OF MEETINGS

### JOINT COMMITTEE

The Joint Committee met on 25 occasions during the period under report, 20 of these meetings incorporated debate in public session, with 5 meetings held solely in private session. The number of hours of discussion involved in these meetings was in excess of 48 hours.

The Joint Committee meetings in private session were generally held online in order to reduce the number of corporeal meetings during the COVID-19 pandemic. As regards public meetings, attendance online was facilitated for Members and witnesses, or, where witnesses were unable to attend remotely, alternative measures were taken to assure attendance and minimise the risk to health arising from the COVID-19 pandemic.

The subject matter of each meeting of the Joint Committee, including the groups, organisations or individuals who attended the meetings, is detailed in [Appendix 2](#). The minutes of proceedings of the Joint Committee in public session are attached in [Appendix 3](#).

### SELECT COMMITTEE

The Dáil Select Committee met on 5 occasions during the period under report, and the number of hours of discussion involved in these meetings was in excess of 8 hours.

The subject matter of each meeting, including the groups, organisations or individuals who attended the meetings of the Select Committee, is detailed in [Appendix 4](#). The proceedings (imeachtaí) of the Select Committee are attached at [Appendix 5](#).

## WITNESSES ATTENDING BEFORE THE COMMITTEE(S) IN PUBLIC SESSION

During the period, the number of speaking witnesses for each of the Committees was as follows:

COMMITTEE NAME	NUMBER OF WITNESSES
Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media	127
Select Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media	2

## COMMITTEE REPORTS PUBLISHED

During the period under report, the Joint Committee published the following reports:

- Report on the elimination of abuse directed toward referees, officials, and players in sport.
- Report on a safe and respectful working environment in the arts.
- Report on working conditions and skills shortages in Ireland's tourism and hospitality sector.

## EU MAINSTREAMING

- COM(2022)457 Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common framework for Media services in the internal market (European Media Freedom Act) and amending Directive 2010/13/EU.
  - The Joint Committee issued a political contribution on this proposal to the European Union institutions and parliaments of other Member States.

## REPORT ON FUNCTIONS AND POWERS

The Joint Committee is currently satisfied with its present procedures and role.



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Niamh Smyth T.D.

Cathaoirleach

February 2023

## APPENDIX 1

### ORDERS OF REFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE

#### STANDING ORDERS 94, 95 AND 96: SCOPE OF ACTIVITY AND POWERS OF SELECT COMMITTEES AND FUNCTIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL SELECT COMMITTEES

##### Scope and context of activities of Select Committees

**94.** (1) The Dáil may appoint a Select Committee to consider and, if so permitted, to take evidence upon any Bill, Estimate or matter, and to report its opinion for the information and assistance of the Dáil. Such motion shall specifically state the orders of reference of the Committee, define the powers devolved upon it, fix the number of members to serve on it, state the quorum, and may appoint a date upon which the Committee shall report back to the Dáil.

(2) It shall be an instruction to each Select Committee that—

(a) it may only consider such matters, engage in such activities, exercise such powers and discharge such functions as are specifically authorised under its orders of reference and under Standing Orders;

(b) such matters, activities, powers and functions shall be relevant to, and shall arise only in the context of, the preparation of a report to the Dáil;

(c) it shall not consider any matter which is being considered, or of which notice has been given of a proposal to consider, by the Joint Committee on Public Petitions in the exercise of its functions under Standing Order 125(1); and

(d) it shall refrain from inquiring into in public session or publishing confidential information regarding any matter if so requested, for stated reasons given in writing, by—

- (i) a member of the Government or a Minister of State, or
- (ii) the principal office-holder of a State body within the responsibility of a Government Department or
- (iii) the principal office-holder of a non-State body which is partly funded by the State,

Provided that the Committee may appeal any such request made to the Ceann Comhairle, whose decision shall be final.

(3) It shall be an instruction to all Select Committees to which Bills are referred that they shall ensure that not more than two Select Committees shall meet to consider a Bill on any given day, unless the Dáil, after due notice to the Business Committee by a Cathaoirleach of one of the Select Committees concerned, waives this instruction.

### **Functions of Departmental Select Committees**

**95.** (1) The Dáil may appoint a Departmental Select Committee to consider and, unless otherwise provided for in these Standing Orders or by order, to report to the Dáil on any matter relating to—

(a) legislation, policy, governance, expenditure and administration of—

- (i) a Government Department, and
- (ii) State bodies within the responsibility of such Department, and

(b) the performance of a non-State body in relation to an agreement for the provision of services that it has entered into with any such Government Department or State body.



(2) A Select Committee appointed pursuant to this Standing Order shall also consider such other matters which—

(a) stand referred to the Committee by virtue of these Standing Orders or statute law, or

(b) shall be referred to the Committee by order of the Dáil.

(3) The principal purpose of Committee consideration of matters of policy, governance, expenditure and administration under paragraph (1) shall be—

(a) for the accountability of the relevant Minister or Minister of State, and

(b) to assess the performance of the relevant Government Department or of a State body within the responsibility of the relevant Department, in delivering public services while achieving intended outcomes, including value for money.

(4) A Select Committee appointed pursuant to this Standing Order shall not consider any matter relating to accounts audited by, or reports of, the Comptroller and Auditor General unless the Committee of Public Accounts—

(a) consents to such consideration, or

(b) has reported on such accounts or reports.

(5) A Select Committee appointed pursuant to this Standing Order may be joined with a Select Committee appointed by Seanad Éireann to be and act as a Joint Committee for the purposes of paragraph (1) and such other purposes as may be specified in these Standing Orders or by order of the Dáil: provided that the Joint Committee shall not consider—

(a) the Committee Stage of a Bill,

(b) Estimates for Public Services, or

(c) a proposal contained in a motion for the approval of an international agreement involving a charge upon public funds referred to the Committee by order of the Dáil.

(6) Any report that the Joint Committee proposes to make shall, on adoption by the Joint Committee, be made to both Houses of the Oireachtas.

(7) The Cathaoirleach of the Select Committee appointed pursuant to this Standing Order shall also be Cathaoirleach of the Joint Committee.

(8) Where a Select Committee proposes to consider—

(a) EU draft legislative acts standing referred to the Select Committee under Standing Order 133, including the compliance of such acts with the principle of subsidiarity,

(b) other proposals for EU legislation and related policy issues, including programmes and guidelines prepared by the European Commission as a basis of possible legislative action,

(c) non-legislative documents published by any EU institution in relation to EU policy matters, or

(d) matters listed for consideration on the agenda for meetings of the relevant Council (of Ministers) of the European Union and the outcome of such meetings, the following may be notified accordingly and shall have the right to attend and take part in such consideration without having a right to move motions or amendments or the right to vote:

(i) members of the European Parliament elected from constituencies in Ireland,

(ii) members of the Irish delegation to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, and

(iii) at the invitation of the Committee, other members of the European Parliament.

(9) A Select Committee appointed pursuant to this Standing Order may, in respect of any Ombudsman charged with oversight of public services within the policy remit of the relevant Department consider—

(a) such motions relating to the appointment of an Ombudsman as may be referred to the Committee, and

(b) such Ombudsman reports laid before either or both Houses of the Oireachtas as the Committee may select: Provided that the provisions of Standing Order 130 apply where the Select Committee has not considered the Ombudsman report, or a portion or portions thereof, within two months (excluding Christmas, Easter or summer recess periods) of the report being laid before either or both Houses of the Oireachtas.

### **Powers of Select Committees**

**96.** Unless the Dáil shall otherwise order, a Committee appointed pursuant to these Standing Orders shall have the following powers:

(1) power to invite and receive oral and written evidence and to print and publish from time to time—

(a) minutes of such evidence as was heard in public, and

(b) such evidence in writing as the Committee thinks fit;

(2) power to appoint sub-Committees and to refer to such sub-Committees any matter comprehended by its orders of reference and to delegate any of its powers to such sub-Committees, including power to report directly to the Dáil;

(3) power to draft recommendations for legislative change and for new legislation;

(4) in relation to any statutory instrument, including those laid or laid in draft before either or both Houses of the Oireachtas, power to—

(a) require any Government Department or other instrument-making authority concerned to—

(i) submit a memorandum to the Select Committee explaining the statutory Instrument, or

(ii) attend a meeting of the Select Committee to explain any such statutory instrument: Provided that the authority concerned may decline to attend for reasons given in writing to the Select Committee, which may report thereon to the Dáil, and

(b) recommend, where it considers that such action is warranted, that the instrument should be annulled or amended;

(5) power to require that a member of the Government or Minister of State shall attend before the Select Committee to discuss—

(a) policy, or

(b) proposed primary or secondary legislation (prior to such legislation being published),

for which he or she is officially responsible: Provided that a member of the Government or Minister of State may decline to attend for stated reasons given in writing to the Select Committee, which may report thereon to the Dáil: and provided further that a member of the Government or Minister of State may request to attend a meeting of the Select Committee to enable him or her to discuss such policy or proposed legislation;

(6) power to require that a member of the Government or Minister of State shall attend before the Select Committee and provide, in private session if so requested by the attendee, oral briefings in advance of meetings of the relevant EC Council (of Ministers) of the European Union to enable the Select Committee to make known its views: Provided that the Committee may also require such attendance following such meetings;

(7) power to require that the Chairperson designate of a body or agency under the aegis of a Department shall, prior to his or her appointment, attend before the Select Committee to discuss his or her strategic priorities for the role;

(8) power to require that a member of the Government or Minister of State who is officially

responsible for the implementation of an Act shall attend before a Select Committee in relation to the consideration of a report under Standing Order 197;

(9) subject to any constraints otherwise prescribed by law, power to require that principal office-holders of a—

(a) State body within the responsibility of a Government Department or

(b) non-State body which is partly funded by the State, shall attend meetings of the Select Committee, as appropriate, to discuss issues for which they are officially responsible: Provided that such an office-

holder may decline to attend for stated reasons given in writing to the Select Committee, which may report thereon to the Dáil;

and

(10) power to—

(a) engage the services of persons with specialist or technical knowledge, to assist it or any of its sub-Committees in considering particular matters; and

(b) undertake travel;

Provided that the powers under this paragraph are subject to such recommendations as may be made by the Working Group of Committee Cathaoirligh under Standing Order 120(4)(a).

## APPENDIX 2

### MEETINGS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE IN PUBLIC SESSION

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
J51 19/01/2022	The EU Digital Services Package and the Online Safety and Media Regulation Bill	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms Triona Quill, Assistant Secretary (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> <li>Mr Ciarán Shanley, Senior Policy Analyst (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul> <p><b>Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms Sabha Greene, Principal Officer (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> <li>Mr Eoin Cuddihy, Assistant Principal Officer (Attended</li> </ul>

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		<p>Remotely – Off campus)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr Mark Dugdale, Assistant Principal Officer (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>
<p><b>J52</b> <b>26/01/2022</b></p>	<p>RTÉ’s Public Service Statement, Irish Language Services, and correspondence of 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021 to Minister Catherine Martin regarding concerns in relation to the RTÉ Board appointments process</p>	<p><b>RTÉ – Raidió Teilifís Éireann</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms Dee Forbes, Director General (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> <li>Ms Moya Doherty, Chair (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>
<p><b>J53</b> <b>02/02/2022</b></p>	<p>Online disinformation and media literacy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professor Mary Aiken, Professor of Forensic Cyberpsychology (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>



MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p><b>Institute of Future Media, Democracy, and Society Dublin City University</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Eileen Culloty (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul> <p><b>Media Literacy Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Professor Brian O'Neill, Chair (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> <li>• Ms Martina Chapman, National Coordinator (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>
<p><b>J54</b> <b>16/02/2022</b></p>	<p>A safe and respectful working environment in the arts</p>	<p><b>The Arts Council</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Maureen Kennelly, Director</li> <li>• Ms Liz Meaney, Arts Director</li> </ul>

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WITNESSES

**Irish Theatre Institute**

- Ms Siobhán Bourke, Co-Director
- Ms Jane Daly, Co-Director

**Safe Arts of Ireland**

- Ms Ciara Lynch
- Ms Jessica Traynor

Accessibility for individuals with disabilities in arts and culture

- Ms Clare McLaughlin
- Ms Carmen Millar

**Arts and Disability Ireland**

- Ms Niamh Ní Chonchubhair, Chair
- Mr Pádraig Naughton, Executive Director

**Create Ireland**

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Ailbhe Murphy, Director</li> <li>• Ms Áine Crowley, Programme Manager Arts and Engagement</li> </ul>
<b>J55</b> <b>23/02/2022</b>	Online disinformation and media literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Frances Haugen, Facebook whistleblower (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>
<b>J56</b> <b>09/03/2022</b>	Private MS Teams Virtual Meeting	
<b>J57</b> <b>23/03/2022</b>	The role and key priorities of the Chair Designate of the Broadcasting Authority of Ireland	<b>Broadcasting Authority of Ireland</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Mary Curtis, Chair Designate (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> <li>• Ms Celene Craig, Chief Executive (Attended)</li> </ul>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
Remotely – Off campus)		
<p><b>J58</b> <b>06/04/2022</b></p>	<p>Working conditions and skills shortages in Ireland's tourism and hospitality sector</p>	<p><b>Fáilte Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Paul Kelly, Chair</li> <li>• Ms Jenny De Saulles, Director of Sector Development</li> <li>• Mr Caeman Wall, Head of Economics and Industry Analysis</li> </ul> <p><b>Restaurants Association of Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Adrian Cummins, Chief Executive</li> <li>• Mr Mark McGowan, President</li> <li>• Ms Amy Sweetman, Membership Services &amp; Public Affairs Manager</li> </ul>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p>(Attended Remotely – Off campus)</p> <p><b>Irish Hotels Federation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Tim Fenn, Chief Executive</li> <li>• Ms Denyse Campbell, President</li> <li>• Mr Eoin Quinn, Director of Member Services (Attended Remotely – Off campus)</li> </ul>
<p><b>J59</b> <b>27/04/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	
<p><b>J60</b> <b>11/05/2022</b></p>	<p>A roundtable discussion on the elimination of any and all abuse directed toward referees, officials, and players in sport</p>	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary</li> </ul>

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**WITNESSES**

- Mr Micheál Ó Conaire, Principal Officer

**Federation of Irish Sport**

- Ms Mary O'Connor, Chief Executive Officer

**Sport Ireland**

- Dr Una May, Chief Executive
- Mr David Gash, Communications & Public Affairs Manager

Ireland in a Creative Europe: Ireland's participation in and access to the Creative Europe Programme 2021-2027

**The Arts Council**

- Ms Stephanie O'Callaghan, Arts Director

**Creative Europe**

- Ms Teresa McGrane, Screen Ireland – Co-

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		ordinator – Creative Europe Desk Ireland <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Eibhlín Ní Mhunghaile,                              Head of Creative                              Europe Desk                              MEDIA Office</li> <li>• Ms Katie Lowry,                              Joint Head of                              Creative Europe                              CULTURE Office</li> <li>• Ms Aoife Tunney,                              Joint Head of                              Creative Europe                              CULTURE Office</li> </ul>
<b>J61</b>  <b>25/05/2022</b>	Working conditions and skills shortages in Ireland's tourism and hospitality sector	<b>Licenced Vintners                      Association</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Donall                              O’Keeffe, Chief                              Executive Officer</li> <li>• Ms Alison Kealy,                              Chair</li> </ul> <b>Vintners Federation of                      Ireland</b>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Paul Moynihan, President</li> <li>• Mr Paul Clancy, Chief Executive Officer</li> </ul> <p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary</li> <li>• Mr Bernard O’Shea, Principal Officer</li> </ul>
<p><b>J62</b> <b>01/06/2022</b></p>	<p>Departmental priorities and legislation</p> <p>A safe and respectful working environment in the arts</p>	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catherine Martin T.D., Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</li> <li>• Jack Chambers T.D., Minister of State at the Department of</li> </ul>



MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p>Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media with special responsibility for the Gaeltacht and Sport</p>
<p><b>J63</b> <b>15/06/2022</b></p>	<p>A roundtable discussion regarding the rising cost of tourist accommodation</p>	<p><b>Irish Tourism Industry Confederation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Eoghan O’Mara Walsh, Chief Executive</li> <li>• Ms Ruth Andrews, Board Member of ITIC and CEO of the Incoming Tour Operators Association</li> </ul> <p><b>Irish Hotels Federation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Denyse Campbell, President</li> <li>• Mr Tim Fenn, Chief Executive Officer</li> </ul> <p><b>Fáilte Ireland</b></p>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
	<p>Public Service Performance Report 2021 - Programme Areas A, B, D and E of Vote 33</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Paul Keeley, Director of Regional Development</li> <li>• Mr Paul Kelly, Chief Executive</li> </ul> <p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Bernard O'Shea, Principal Officer</li> <li>• Ms Orlaith Gleeson, Principal Officer</li> </ul> <p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Patricia Murphy, Assistant Secretary</li> <li>• Mr Joe Healy, Head of Finance</li> <li>• Ms Mary Nash, Principal Officer</li> </ul>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Micheál Ó Conaire, Principal Officer</li> <li>• Ms Orlaith Gleeson, Principal Officer</li> <li>• Mr Stephen Ryan, Principal Officer</li> </ul>
<p><b>J64</b></p> <p><b>29/06/2022</b></p>	<p>Social outcome contracts in Irish sport</p>	<p><b>Rethink Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Deirdre Mortell, Chief Executive Officer</li> <li>• Mr Mario Vottero, Director of Strategy, Business Intelligence &amp; Operations (Attended remotely – off campus)</li> </ul> <p><b>Football Association of Ireland (FAI)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr David Courell, Chief Operating Officer</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr Ger McDermott, Director</li></ul>
		<b>Union of European Football Associations (UEFA)</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr Liam McGroarty, Strategy Manager</li></ul>
		<b>United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Catherine Carty, UNESCO Chair MTU</li></ul>
	Working conditions and skills shortages in Ireland's tourism and hospitality sector	<b>National University of Ireland, Galway</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr Deirdre Curran, Lecturer</li></ul>
		<b>Unite the Union</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Rhona McCord, Strategic Research and</li></ul>

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		<p>Communications Coordinator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr Robert Kelly, Regional Officer</li> </ul> <p><b>Irish Congress of Trade Unions (ICTU)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr Clement Shevlin, Sector Organiser with SIPTU</li> <li>Ms Fiona Dunne, ONE National Co- ordinator</li> </ul> <p><b>Services Industrial Professional and Technical Union (SIPTU)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr Denis Hynes, Sector Organiser, Hospitality</li> </ul>
<p><b>J65</b> <b>13/07/2022</b></p>	<p>Governance and related issues in Cycling Ireland</p>	<p><b>Cycling Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ms Helen Kerrane, Board Member</li> <li>Mr Tom Daly, Vice- President</li> </ul>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p><b>Sport Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Una May, Chief Executive Officer</li> <li>• Mr Paul McDermott, Director of High Performance and National Governing Bodies</li> </ul>
<p><b>J66</b> <b>14/09/2022</b></p>	<p>Discussion regarding the final report of the Future of Media Commission</p>	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catherine Martin T.D., Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</li> </ul>
<p><b>J67</b> <b>28/09/2022</b></p>	<p>The future of musical theatre education in Ireland</p>	<p><b>Royal Irish Academy of Music</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Deborah Kelleher, Director</li> <li>• Mr Séimí Campbell, Alumnus</li> </ul>

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p><b>Association of Irish Musical Societies (AIMS)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Frank Foley, National Secretary</li> <li>• Mr Rob Donnelly, National President</li> </ul> <p><b>Irish College of Musical Theatre</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Deirdre Masterson, Director</li> <li>• Mr Billy Roche, Playwright,</li> <li>• Mr Killian Donnelly, Performer (Remote Witness – off campus)</li> </ul>
<p><b>J68</b> <b>12/10/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	
<p><b>J69</b> <b>18/10/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
<p><b>J70</b> <b>19/10/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	
<p><b>J71</b> <b>27/10/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	
<p><b>J72</b> <b>09/11/2022</b></p>	<p>Discussion on the European Media Freedom Act</p>	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Adam Larragy, Principal Officer</li> <li>• Mr Luke Devoy, Assistant Principal Officer</li> </ul> <p><b>DCU Institute for Future Media, Democracy and Society (FuJo)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Roderick Flynn, Principal Investigator on the Media Pluralism Monitor and Euromedia</li> </ul>



MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
		<p>Ownership Monitor for Ireland</p> <p><b>National Union of Journalists</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Séamus Dooley, Irish Secretary</li> </ul>
<p><b>J73</b> <b>23/11/2022</b></p>	<p>Business of the Committee – private session meeting</p>	
<p><b>J74</b> <b>24/11/2022</b></p>	<p>Discussion on the future business model plans and long-term vision for the media sector (Radio and print media and journalism)</p>	<p><b>Clare FM</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Ronan McManamy, Chief Executive</li> </ul> <p><b>CRAOL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Jack Byrne, Honorary President</li> <li>• Mr Jeff Murphy, Vice-Chairperson</li> <li>• Mr Patrick Quinn, Treasurer</li> <li>• Ms Mairead Cullen, Coordination</li> </ul>

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**WITNESSES**

Committee  
Member  

- Mr Brian Greene,  
Technical Advisor

**DCU Institute for Future  
Media, Democracy and  
Society**

- Dr Dawn Wheatley,  
Assistant  
Professor, School  
of Communications

**Dublin Digital Radio  
(DDR)**

- Mr Seán Finnan,  
Co-Founder
- Mr Robbie Kitt,  
Steering  
Committee

**Independent  
Broadcasters of Ireland**

- Mr John Purcell,  
Chairperson
- Ms Teresa  
Hanratty, Learning  
Waves

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**TOPIC**

**WITNESSES**

- Ms Fionnuala Rabbitt, Highland Radio
- Ms Gabrielle Cummins, Beat
- Mr Gerry O'Sullivan, Radio Kerry
- Mr Kieran McGearey, Station Director, Cork 96 & C103
- Mr Simon Myciunka, CEO Bauer Media Ireland

**National Union of Journalists**

- Mr Séamus Dooley, Irish Secretary
- Mr Ian McGuinness, Irish Organiser

**NewsBrands/Local Ireland**

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Bob Hughes, Executive Director, Local Ireland</li> <li>• Mr Colm O'Reilly, Chairperson, NewsBrands</li> <li>• Mr Conor Goodman, Deputy Editor of the Irish Times</li> <li>• Mr Frank Mulrennan, CEO, Celtic Media Group</li> <li>• Ms Linda O'Reilly, Editor, The Anglo-Celt</li> <li>• Mr Mark Deering, Head of Corporate affairs, DMG Media</li> <li>• Ms Sammi Bourke, COO, Farmers Journal</li> </ul>
<p><b>J75</b> <b>07/12/2022</b></p>	<p>Rising cost of tourist accommodation</p>	<p><b>Fáilte Ireland</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Paul Kelly, CEO</li> <li>• Ms Jenny De Saulles, Head of</li> </ul>

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		<p>Sector Development</p> <p><b>Irish Tourism Industry Confederation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Eoghan O'Mara Walsh, CEO</li> <li>• Ms Elaina Fitzgerald Kane, President</li> </ul> <p><b>Irish Hotels Federation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Tim Fenn, CEO</li> <li>• Ms Denyse Campbell, President</li> </ul> <p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary</li> <li>• Mr Bernard O'Shea, Principal Officer</li> </ul>

## APPENDIX 3

### MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE

#### Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 19 Eanáir 2022

#### Minutes of meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:33, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Senators: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy.

Senator Marie Sherlock also attended the public session meeting.

Apologies received from: Deputy Mattie McGrath

#### 3. The Committee commenced in private session at 11:33.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

7. Item discussed in private session.

#### 8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 12:06 and commenced in public session virtually and via CR01 at 13:33.

#### 9. The minutes of the meeting held from 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021 were formally agreed.

#### 10. *EU Digital Services Package and the Online Safety and Media Regulation Bill*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Ms Triona Quill, Assistant Secretary, Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media;

Mr Ciarán Shanley, Senior Policy Analyst, from the Broadcasting and Media Division of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media;

Ms Sabha Greene, Principal Officer, Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment;

Mr Eoin Cuddihy, Assistant Principal Officer, Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment; and Mr

Mark Dugdale, Assistant Principal Officer, from the Digital Economy Policy Unit of the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment.

Following the opening statements from both Departments, there was an exchange of views with Members.

#### 11. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

When the meeting adjourned, the Cathaoirleach thanked the officials for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

The meeting was adjourned at 14:52 until 11:30 Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> January 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 26 Eanáir 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe./ Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:31, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; Mattie McGrath; Johnny Mythen; Imelda Munster.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy; Fintan Warfield; Annie Hoey.

3. The Committee commenced in private session at 11:31.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

7. Item discussed in private session.

8. Item discussed in private session.

9. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:59 and commenced in public session from Committee Room 1 and virtually via MS Teams at 13:37.

10. The minutes of the meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2022 were formally agreed.

11. *RTÉ Public Service Statement, Irish Language Services, and RTÉ Board Appointments Process*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Ms Dee Forbes, Director General, RTÉ; and

Ms Moya Doherty, Chair of the RTÉ Board.

12. Suspension.

The meeting was suspended at 13:41, and resumed at 13:44.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

13. Temporary Cathaoirleach.



Cathaoirleach Smyth indicated at 15:11 that she was obliged by another commitment to absent herself from the meeting and, in the unavoidable absence of Leaschathaoirleach Dillon, nominated Senator Malcolm Byrne to take the Chair. This was agreed.

#### 14. Suspension.

The meeting was suspended 15:12 for a comfort break (sos beag).

The meeting resumed at 15:24 with Senator Byrne in the Chair. There followed a further exchange of views with the Members.

When the meeting adjourned, Senator Byrne, as temporary Cathaoirleach, thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in their examination of these matters.

#### 15. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:46 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 2 Feabhra 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:32, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance .

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (*Leas-Chathaoirleach*); Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Brendan Griffin; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Annie Hoey.

Apologies received from: Deputies Niamh Smyth and Mattie McGrath, and Senator Fintan Warfield.

3. Item discussed in private session.
4. Item discussed in private session.
5. Item discussed in private session.
6. Item discussed in private session.
7. Item discussed in private session.
8. Item discussed in private session.
9. Item discussed in private session.
10. Item discussed in private session.
11. Item discussed in private session.
12. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 12:10 and commenced in public session in CR1 and via Microsoft Teams at 13:30.

13. The minutes of the meeting held from 26<sup>th</sup> January 2022 were formally agreed.

14. *Online Disinformation and Media Literacy*

Leas-Chathaoirleach Dillon welcomed the following witness:

Professor Mary Aiken, Professor of Forensic Cyberpsychology, University of East London and Adjunct Professor at Geary Institute of Public Policy at University College Dublin.

Following the opening statement from Professor Aiken, there was an exchange of views with Members.

#### 15. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 14:40. When the meeting suspended, the Leas-Chathaoirleach thanked the witness for assisting the Committee in its consideration of these matters.

#### 16. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in public session at 15:02.

Leas-Chathaoirleach Dillon welcomed the following witnesses:

Professor Brian O'Neill, Media Literacy Ireland,

Ms Martina Chapman, Media Literacy Ireland, and

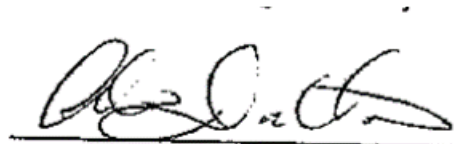
Dr Eileen Culloty of the Institute of Future Media, Democracy, and Society at Dublin City University.

Following the opening statements from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Leas-Chathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its consideration of these matters.

#### 17. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:10 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022.



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Alan Dillon, T.D.  
Leas-Chathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 16 Feabhra 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:32, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Ciarán Cannon; Peter Fitzpatrick; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Michael Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Fintan Warfield.

Senator Marie Sherlock was also in attendance.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

7. Item discussed in private session.

8. Item discussed in private session.

9. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 12:27 and commenced in public session from CR1 and virtually via MS Teams at 13:35.

10. The minutes of the meeting of 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022 were formally agreed.

11. The meeting was suspended at 13:35.

12. The Committee resumed in public session at 13:37.

13. *A Safe and Respectful Working Environment in the Arts*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Ms Siobhan Bourke and Ms Jane Daly from the Irish Theatre Institute,

Ms Maureen Kennelly and Ms Liz Meaney from the Arts Council, and

Ms Jessica Traynor and Ms Ciara Lynch from Safe Arts of Ireland

Following the opening statement from each of the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

14. During the course of the meeting, it was agreed to issue correspondence to Minister Catherine Martin T.D. in which the Committee would encourage Ministerial engagement with Safe Arts of Ireland and other advocacy bodies on the topic of the funding and accountability of publicly-funded bodies in this domain.

At the suspension of this portion of the Committee's meeting in public session, Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

15. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 14:48.

16. The Committee resumed in public session at 15:03.

*Accessibility for Individuals with Disabilities in Arts and Culture*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Ms Niamh Ní Chonchubhair and Mr Pádraig Naughton from Arts and Disability Ireland,

Dr Ailbhe Murphy and Ms Áine Crowley from Create Ireland, and

Ms Clare McLaughlin and Ms Carmen Millar, collaborators on the Seen-Unseen visual arts project

Following the opening statement from each of the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

At the adjournment of the meeting, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in their examination of these matters.

17. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:15 until 11:30 Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2022.

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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 23 Feabhra 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:33, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Ciarán Cannon; Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy; Annie Hoey; Fintan Warfield.

Deputy Emer Higgins and Senator John McGahon were also in attendance.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:41 and resumed in public session from CR1 at 13:32.

The minutes of the meeting held from 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022 were formally agreed.

#### 7. *Online Disinformation and Media Literacy*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witness:

Facebook whistleblower Frances Haugen

Following the opening statement from Ms Haugen, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked Ms Haugen for assisting the Committee in its examination of the matters discussed.

8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:32 until 11:30 Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022.



Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 9 Márta 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:33, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (*Leas-Chathaoirleach*); Imelda Munster; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells.

Apologies received from Deputy Johnny Mythen.


3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:56 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022.



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Alan Dillon TD  
Leas Cathaoirleach



**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 23 Márta 2022****Minutes of meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022**

## 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:41, a quorum being present.

## 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Mattie McGrath.

Seanadóirí: Shane Cassells; Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy.

Apologies were received from Deputy Ciarán Cannon and Senator Annie Hoey.

## 3. Item discussed in private session.

## 4. Item discussed in private session.

## 5. Item discussed in private session.

## 6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:52 and commenced in public session from CR1 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 13:37.

The minutes of the meetings held from on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2022 and 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022 were formally agreed.

*Broadcasting Authority of Ireland: Discussion with Chairperson Designate*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Ms Mary Curtis, Chair Designate of the Broadcasting Authority of Ireland; and

Ms Celene Craig, Chief Executive of the Broadcasting Authority of Ireland.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

At 13:55, Cathaoirleach Smyth was obliged to be absent from the meeting for a time. It was agreed that Senator Shane Cassells would stand in as temporary Cathaoirleach. At 14:18, Deputy Smyth returned to the meeting and resumed as Cathaoirleach.

During the course of the meeting, it was agreed that the Committee would write to Professor Pauric Travers, former Chairperson, and to Mr Michael O’Keeffe, former Chief Executive of the Authority, to formally thank them for their work and public service.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of the matters discussed.

7. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:01 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 6 Aibreán 2022****Minutes of meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

## 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:31, a quorum being present.

## 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Fintan Warfield.

Senator Eugene Murphy was also in attendance.

## 3. Item discussed in private session.

## 4. Item discussed in private session.

## 5. Item discussed in private session.

## 6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:45 and commenced in Public Session from CR1 and virtually via MS Teams at 13:34.

7. The minutes of the meeting held from 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022 were formally agreed.*Working Conditions and Skills Shortages in Ireland's Tourism and Hospitality Sector*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Mark McGowan, Adrian Cummins, and Amy Sweetman of the Restaurants Association of Ireland;

Tim Fenn, Denyse Campbell, and Eoin Quinn the Irish Hotels Federation; and

Paul Kelly, Jenny De Saulles, and Caeman Wall of Fáilte Ireland.

Following the opening statements from each organisation, there was an exchange of views with Members.

During the meeting in public session, several items of correspondence were proposed to address issues arising. It was agreed to bring these items back to Members for formal agreement at the Committee's next meeting in private session on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

At the conclusion of the question-and-answer session with Members of the Committee, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:47 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 27 Aibreán 2022****Minutes of meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

## 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:34, a quorum being present.

## 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (*Leas-Chathaoirleach*); Brendan Griffin; Peter Fitzpatrick; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Annie Hoey.

Apologies received from: Deputy Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*) and Senator Fintan Warfield.

## 3. Item discussed in private session.

## 4. Item discussed in private session.

## 5. Item discussed in private session.

## 6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:50.

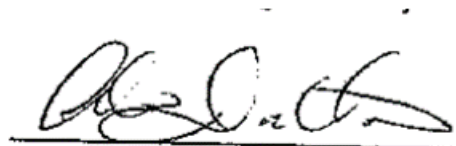
## 7. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in private session from Committee Room 1 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 15:18.

## 8. Item discussed in private session.

## 9. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:42 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022.




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Alan Dillon TD  
Leas-Chathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 11 Bealtaine 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:31, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Ciarán Cannon; Alan Dillon; Peter Fitzpatrick; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy; Fintan Warfield.

Apologies were received from Deputy Imelda Munster.

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Item discussed in private session.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Suspension

The Committee suspended proceedings at 11:47 and entered public session virtually via Teams and from CR1 at 13:37.

#### 7. The Minutes of the meetings held on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022 and 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022 were formally agreed.

*Elimination of Abuse Directed Toward Referees, Officials, and Players in Sport*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Dr Una May, Chief Executive and David Gash, Communications & Public Affairs Manager of Sport Ireland;

Mary O'Connor, Chief Executive of the Federation of Irish Sport; and

Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary with responsibility for Tourism and Sport, and

Micheál Ó Conaire, Principal Officer with responsibility for Sport Policy from the Dept. of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

## 8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 14:55.

## 9. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in public session at 15:09.

### *Creative Europe Programme 2021—2027*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Teresa McGrane, Deputy CEO of Screen Ireland and Co-ordinator of Creative Europe Desk Ireland;

Stephanie O'Callaghan, Arts Director of the Arts Council;

Eibhlín Ní Mhunghaile, Head of Creative Europe Desk MEDIA Office, Katie Lowry and Aoife Tunney, Joint Heads of the Creative Europe CULTURE Office.

At 15:10, Cathaoirleach Smyth was obliged to be absent from the meeting for a time. It was agreed that Senator Fintan Warfield would stand in as temporary Cathaoirleach. At 15:29, Deputy Smyth returned to the meeting and resumed as Cathaoirleach.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

During the course of the meeting, it was agreed that the recommendations as outlined in the opening statement of the Federation of Irish Sport would be adopted by the Committee and included in the associated report of the Committee which would issue in due course to Minister Martin.

When the meeting adjourned, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

## 10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:22 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 25 Bealtaine 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:40, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Christopher O’Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Fintan Warfield; Micheál Carrigy.

Apologies received from Deputies Imelda Munster and Johnny Mythen.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:59 and commenced in public session from Committee Room 1 and virtually via MS Teams at 13:35.

7. The minutes of the meeting held from 11th May 2022 were formally agreed.

*Working Conditions and Skills Shortages in Ireland’s Tourism and Hospitality Sector*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Donall O’Keeffe, CEO, and Alison Kealy, Chairperson, of the Licensed Vintners Association; and

Paul Clancy, CEO, and Paul Moynihan, President, of the Vintners’ Federation of Ireland.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 14:37.

9. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in public session at 15:05.



*Working Conditions and Skills Shortages in Ireland's Tourism and Hospitality Sector*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary with responsibility for Tourism and Sport, and Bernard O'Shea, Principal Officer in the Tourism Services Division, of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:44 until 11:30 Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 1 Meitheamh 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:33, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (*Leas-Chathaoirleach*); Ciarán Cannon; Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Fintan Warfield

Apologies received from: Deputy Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*) and Senator Annie Hoey

Deputy Chris Andrews was also in attendance.

As proposed by the Cathaoirleach and agreed by Members, Deputy Ciarán Cannon acted as temporary Cathaoirleach for the Committee's public session engagements.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 11:49 and resumed in public session from Committee Room 1 and virtually via Teams at 13:33.

7. The minutes of the meeting held from 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022 were formally agreed.

8. *Departmental Priorities and Legislation*

Temporary Cathaoirleach Cannon welcomed the following witnesses:

Minister Catherine Martin T.D., Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media; and

Minister Jack Chambers T.D., Minister of State, with special responsibility for the Gaeltacht and sport, in the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Following the opening statements from the Ministers, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the Ministers for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

9. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 15:15.

10. The Committee resumed in public session at 15:17.

*A Safe and Respectful Working Environment in the Arts*

Temporary Cathaoirleach Cannon welcomed the following witnesses:

Minister Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media from the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Following the opening statement from the Minister, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the Minister for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:47 until 11:30 Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022.



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Ciarán Cannon, TD  
Temporary Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 15 Meitheamh 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:38, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy; Annie Hoey

Apologies were received from Deputy Dillon.

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Item discussed in private session.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended at 12:18 and resumed in public session from CR1 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 13:36.

#### 7. The minutes of the meeting held from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022 were formally agreed.

#### *Rising Cost of Tourist Accommodation*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Eoghan O'Mara Walsh, CEO, and Ruth Andrews, Board Member of the Irish Tourism Industry Confederation

Tim Fenn, CEO, and Denyse Campbell, President, of the Irish Hotels Federation

Paul Kelly, CEO, and Paul Keeley, Director of Regional Development of Fáilte Ireland

Orlaith Gleeson, Principal Officer, and Bernard O'Shea, Principal Officer from the Tourism unit of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 15:30.

#### 9. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in public session at 15:44.

#### *Public Service Performance Report 2021*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Patricia Murphy, Assistant Secretary with responsibility for Corporate Affairs;

Joe Healy, Head of Finance;

Mary Nash, Principal Officer in the Art & Culture Division;

Orlaith Gleeson, Principal Officer in the Tourism Division;

Micheál Ó Conaire, Principal Officer in the Sport Division; and

Stephen Ryan, Principal Officer in the Broadcasting & Media Division;

of the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

Following the opening statement from the Department, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:29 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022.




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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 29 Meitheamh 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:43, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Annie Hoey; Fintan Warfield.

Deputy Chris Andrews, Deputy Marc MacSharry, Deputy Joe McHugh, Senator Niall Blaney and Senator Paul Gavan were also in attendance.

Apologies were received from Deputy Peter Fitzpatrick, Senator Shane Cassells, and Senator Micheál Carrigy.

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Item discussed in private session.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Suspension.

The meeting was suspended at 12:02 and resumed in public session from CR1 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 13:36.

#### 7. The minutes from the meeting held from 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022 were formally agreed.

#### *Social Outcome Contracts in Irish Sport*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Liam McGroarty, Strategy Manager, Union of European Football Association (UEFA)

David Courell, CEO, and Ger McDermott, Director of Grassroots Football, Football Association of Ireland (FAI)

Deirdre Mortell, CEO, and Mario Vottero, Director of Strategy, Business Intelligence & Operations

Catherine Carty, UNESCO Chair MTU, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

Following the opening statements from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in their examination of these matters.

#### 8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 15:04.

#### 9. Resumption.

The Committee resumed in public session at 15:15.

### *Working Conditions and Skills Shortages in Ireland's Tourism and Hospitality Sector*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Dr. Deirdre Curran, Lecturer, National University of Ireland, Galway

Clement Shevlin, Sector Organiser with SIPTU, and Fiona Dunne, ONE National Co-Ordinator, Irish Congress of Trade Unions (ICTU)

Rhona McCord, Strategic Research and Communications Coordinator, and Robert Kelly, Regional Officer, Unite the Union

Denis Hynes, Sector Organiser, Hospitality, Services Industrial Professional and Technical Union (SIPTU)

Following the opening statements from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting was suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:31 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> July 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 13 Iúil 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:34 a.m, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Ciarán Cannon; and Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy.

Deputy Chris Andrews and Senator Martin Conway were also in attendance. Deputy Chris Andrews and Senator Martin Conway.

Apologies were received from Deputy Imelda Munster and Senator Fintan Warfield.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 11:58, and resumed in public session virtually via Microsoft Teams and in CR1 at 13:35.

7. The minutes of the meeting held from 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022 and 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022 were formally agreed.

#### *Governance and Related Issues in Cycling Ireland*

Leas-Chathaoirleach Dillon welcomed the following witnesses:

Dr. Una May, Chief Executive Officer, Sport Ireland

Paul McDermott, Director of High Performance, and National Governing Bodies, Sport Ireland

Tom Daly, Vice-President, Cycling Ireland

Helen Kerrane, Board Member, Cycling Ireland

Following the opening statement from the witnesses, there was an exchange of views with Members.



When the meeting suspended, the Leas-Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 14:57 until Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> September 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 14 Meán Fómhair 2021

### Minutes of meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in public session in Committee Room 3 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 13:44, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Fintan Warfield.

#### 3. *Future of Media Commission Report*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witness:

Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media, Catherine Martin, T.D.

Following the opening statement from the Minister, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the Minister for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 4. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 14:47, resuming in private session in Committee Room 3 and virtually via Microsoft Teams at 15:25.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Item discussed in private session.

#### 7. Item discussed in private session.

#### 8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:46 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 28th September 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathairleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 28 Méan Fomhár 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:41 a.m., a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; and Micheál Carrigy.

Apologies were received from Deputies Imelda Munster and Johnny Mythen.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 11:59 and resumed in public session virtually via Microsoft Teams and in CR1 at 15:32.

7. The minutes of the meetings of 13<sup>th</sup> July and 14<sup>th</sup> September 2022 were formally agreed.

#### *Future of Musical Theatre Education in Ireland*

Leas-Chathaoirleach Dillon welcomed the following witnesses:

Rob Donnelly, National President, Association of Irish Musical Societies.

Frank Foley, National Secretary, Association of Irish Musical Societies.

Deborah Kelleher, Director, Royal Irish Academy of Music.

Séimí Campbell, Alumnus, Royal Irish Academy of Music

Deirdre Masterson, Director, Irish College of Musical Theatre

Billy Roche, Playwright, Irish College of Musical Theatre.

Killian Donnelly, Performer, Irish College of Musical Theatre.

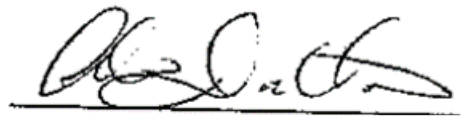
Following the opening statements from each of the organisations, there was an exchange of views with Members.

It was agreed by the Committee to write to Minister Martin to request that she give consideration to establishing an arts framework that recognises musical theatre as a valid artform, and also to request that she would engage with Cabinet colleagues to determine the feasibility of incorporating musical theatre education into national curricula.

When the meeting suspended, the Leas-Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:37 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022.



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Alan Dillon, TD  
Leas-Chathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 12 Deireadh Fómhair 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 13:30 p.m., a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (*Leas-Chathaoirleach*); Brendan Griffin; Ciarán Cannon; Peter Fitzpatrick; Mattie McGrath; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Shane Cassells; Micheál Carrigy; Annie Hoey; Fintan Warfield.

Deputy John McGuinness attended in substitution for Deputy Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*)

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Item discussed in private session.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:20 sine die.



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Alan Dillon TD  
Leas-Chathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 18 Deireadh Fomhár 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session in Committee Room 1 at 19:04, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh/Attendance

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Alan Dillon (Leas-Chathaoirleach); Brendan Griffin, Mattie McGrath, and Imelda Munster

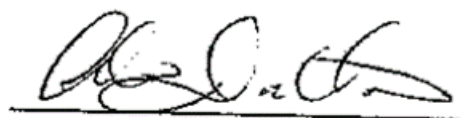
Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne.

Apologies were received from Deputies Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*), Ciarán Cannon, and Johnny Mythen.

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 19:41 until 11:30 on Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> October 2022.



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Alan Dillon TD  
Leas-Chathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 19 Deireadh Fomháir 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:34, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; and Imelda Munster.

Seanadóirí: Shane Cassells.

Apologies were received from Deputy Johnny Mythen.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

7. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05 until 11:30 on 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach



**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 27 Deireadh Fómhair 2022****Minutes of meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

## 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:42, a quorum being present.

## 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Ciarán Cannon (*temporary Cathaoirleach*); Brendan Griffin; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Fintan Warfield.

Apologies were received from Deputies Niamh Smyth (Cathaoirleach), Alan Dillon, and Imelda Munster.

## 3. Item discussed in private session.

## 4. Item discussed in private session.

## 5. Item discussed in private session.

## 6. Item discussed in private session.

## 7. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:51 a.m. until 11:30 9th November 2022 for a meeting in private session virtually via Microsoft Teams.



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Ciarán Cannon T.D.

Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 9 Samhain 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> November 2022

#### 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:39, a quorum being present.

#### 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Ciarán Cannon; Imelda Munster; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Annie Hoey; Fintan Warfield.

Apologies were received from Senator Micheál Carrigy.

#### 3. Item discussed in private session.

#### 4. Item discussed in private session.

#### 5. Item discussed in private session.

#### 6. Suspension

The Committee suspended proceedings at 11:54 and resumed in public session virtually via Microsoft Teams and in CR1 at 13:40.

7. The minutes of the meetings of 28<sup>th</sup> September, 12<sup>th</sup> October, 18<sup>th</sup> October, 19<sup>th</sup> October, and 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022 were formally agreed.

#### 8. *European Media Freedom Act*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Mr Adam Larragy, Principal Officer, Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Mr Luke Devoy, Assistant Principal Officer, Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media.

Following the opening statement from the Department, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting was suspended, the Cathaoirleach thanked the Department for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

#### 9. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 13:57 and recommenced in public session virtually via Microsoft Teams and in CR1 at 14:36.

## 10. Resumption.

### *European Media Freedom Act*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Dr Roderick Flynn, Principal Investigator on the Media Pluralism Monitor and Euromedia Ownership Monitor for Ireland, DCU Institute for Future Media, Democracy and Society (FuJo).

Mr. Séamus Dooley, Irish Secretary, National Union of Journalists (NUJ).

Following the opening statements from each of the organisations, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting concluded, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

## 10. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 15:37 until 11:30 on 23rd November 2022 for a meeting in private session virtually via Microsoft Teams.



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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

## Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 23 Samhain 2022

### Minutes of meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022

1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 15:05, a quorum being present.

2. Tinreamh / Attendance

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Brendan Griffin; Christopher O'Sullivan.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Fintan Warfield.

Apologies were received from Deputy Imelda Munster, Deputy Mattie McGrath, and Senator Shane Cassells.

3. Item discussed in private session.

4. Item discussed in private session.

5. Item discussed in private session.

6. Item discussed in private session.

7. Item discussed in private session.

8. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:06 until 14:30 on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD  
Cathaoirleach

**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 24 Samhain 2022****Minutes of meeting on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022****1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.**

The Joint Committee met in public session in the Seanad Chamber, Leinster House at 14:33, a quorum being present.

**2. Tinreamh / Attendance.**

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Malcolm Byrne; Micheál Carrigy; Fintan Warfield.

Senator Mark Daly (*Cathaoirleach to Seanad Éireann*), Minister Mary Butler, Minister Jack Chambers, Deputy Cormac Devlin, Deputy Joe Flaherty, and Senator Eugene Murphy were also in attendance.

Apologies were received from Deputy Imelda Munster, Deputy Mattie McGrath, Deputy Christopher O'Sullivan, and Senator Shane Cassells.

**3. *Future Business Model Plans and Long-Term Vision for the Media Sector (Radio, print media and journalism)***

Cathaoirleach Smyth called the meeting to order in Public Session.

Senator Mark Daly, Cathaoirleach of the Seanad gave an opening address.

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Mr. Séamus Dooley, Irish Secretary, National Union of Journalists (NUJ).

Mr. Ian McGuinness, Irish Organiser, National Union of Journalists (NUJ).

Mr. Jack Byrne, Honorary President, CRAOL.

Mr. Jeff Murphy, Vice-Chairperson, CRAOL.

Mr. Patrick Quinn, Treasurer, CRAOL.

Ms. Mairead Cullen, Coordination Committee Member, CRAOL.

Mr. Brian Green, Technical Advisor, CRAOL.

Mr. John Purcell, Chairperson, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Ms. Teresa Hanratty, Learning Waves, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Ms. Fionnuala Rabbitt, Highland Radio, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Ms. Gabrielle Cummins, Beat, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Mr. Gerry O'Sullivan, Radio Kerry, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Mr. Kieran McGearey, Station Director, Cork 96 & C103, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Mr. Simon Myciunka, CEO Bauer Media Ireland, Independent Broadcasters of Ireland (IBI).

Mr. Seán Finnan, Co-Founder, Dublin Digital Radio, DDR.

Mr. Robbie Kitt, Steering Committee, Dublin Digital Radio (DDR).

Mr. Colm O'Reilly, Chairperson, Newsbrands.

Mr. Bob Hughes, Executive Director, Local Ireland.

Mr. Conor Goodman, Deputy Editor of the Irish Times.

Mr. Frank Mulrennan, CEO, Celtic Media Group.

Ms. Linda O'Reilly, The Anglo-Celt.

Mr. Mark Deering, Head of Corporate Affairs, DMG Media.

Ms. Sammi Bourke, CEO of the Farmers Journal.

Dr. Dawn Wheatley, Assistant Professor, School of Communications, DCU Institute for Future Media, Democracy and Society.

Mr. Ronan McManamy, Chief Executive, Clare FM.

Following the opening statements from each of the organisations, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting concluded, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

Senator Mark Daly delivered closing remarks.

4. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

Cathaoirleach Smyth adjourned at 17:38 until 11:30 on 7<sup>th</sup> December 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, TD,  
Cathaoirleach

**Miontuairiscí an chruinnithe ar 7 Nollaig 2022****Minutes of meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> December 2022**

## 1. Tosach an chruinnithe / Commencement of meeting.

The Joint Committee met in private session on Microsoft Teams at 11:32, a quorum being present.

## 2. Tinreamh / Attendance.

The following members were present:

Teachtaí Dála: Niamh Smyth (*Cathaoirleach*); Alan Dillon; Brendan Griffin; Imelda Munster; Christopher O’Sullivan; Johnny Mythen.

Seanadóirí: Micheál Carrigy; Shane Cassells; Annie Hoey.

## 3. Item discussed in private session.

## 4. Item discussed in private session.

## 5. Item discussed in private session.

## 6. Item discussed in private session.

## 7. Item discussed in private session.

## 8. Suspension.

The Committee suspended proceedings at 12:19 and resumed in public session at 15:00 in CR1 and virtually via Microsoft Teams.

9. The minutes of the meetings of 9<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, and 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022 were formally agreed.*Rising Cost of Tourist Accommodation*

Cathaoirleach Smyth welcomed the following witnesses:

Eoghan O’Mara Walsh, CEO, Irish Tourism Industry Confederation

Elaina Fitzgerald Kane, Chair, Irish Tourism Industry Confederation

Denyse Campbell, President, Irish Hotels Federation

Tim Fenn, CEO, Irish Hotels Federation

Paul Kelly, CEO, Fáilte Ireland

Jenny De Saulles, Director of Sector Development, Fáilte Ireland

Cian Ó Lionáin, Assistant Secretary with responsibility for tourism,  
Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

Bernard O'Shea, Principal Officer with responsibility for tourism,  
Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

Following the opening statements from each of the organisations, there was an exchange of views with Members.

When the meeting concluded, the Cathaoirleach thanked the witnesses for assisting the Committee in its examination of these matters.

11. Cur ar Athló / Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 16:57 until 11:30 on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023.



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Niamh Smyth, TD

Cathaoirleach



## APPENDIX 4

### MEETINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE

MEETING NUMBER AND DATE	TOPIC	WITNESSES
<b>S04</b> <b>09/03/2022</b>	Revised Estimates for Public Services 2022 – Vote 33 Programme Areas A, B, D and E	<p><b>Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media (Attended Remotely – on campus)</li> <li>• Jack Chambers TD, Minister of State with special responsibility for Sport and the Gaeltacht (Attended Remotely – on campus)</li> </ul>
<b>S05</b> <b>19/10/2022</b>	Committee Stage consideration of the National Cultural Institutions (National	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture,</li> </ul>

Concert Hall)  
(Amendment) Bill 2022

Arts, Gaeltacht,  
Sport and Media

**S06**  
**25/10/2022**

Committee Stage  
consideration of the  
Online Safety and Media  
Regulation Bill 2022

- Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

**S07**  
**26/10/2022**

Committee Stage  
consideration of the  
Online Safety and Media  
Regulation Bill 2022

- Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

**S08**  
**23/11/2022**

2022 Supplementary  
Estimates for Vote 33 –  
Programme Areas A, B, D  
and E

Committee Stage  
Consideration of the  
National Tourism  
Development Authority  
(Amendment) Bill 2022

- Catherine Martin TD, Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media
- Jack Chambers TD, Minister of State with special responsibility for Sport and the Gaeltacht

## APPENDIX 5

### IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE

#### IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR, EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE, ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA

*Dé Céadaoin, 9 Márta, 2022*

*Wednesday, 9 March 2022*

1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 1:34 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 1:34 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT.

Bhí na comhaltaí seo a leanas i láthair:

The following Members were present:

An Teachta Ailín Ó Diolúin (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Cairtriona Ní Mháirtín, (*an tAire Turasóireacht, Ealaíona, Cultúr, Gaeltacht Spórt agus Meáin*), Deputy Seán Mac Ambróis, (*an tAire Stáit, An Roinn Turasóireacht, Ealaíona, Cultúr, Gaeltacht Spórt agus Meáin*), na Teachtaí Ciarán Ó Canáin, Imelda Uí Mhuimhneacháin, agus Seán Mythen.

Deputy Alan Dillon (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture Arts Gaeltacht Sport and Media*), Deputy Jack Chambers (*Minister of State, Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts Gaeltacht Sport, and the Media*), Deputies Ciarán Cannon, Imelda Munster, and Johnny Mythen.

3. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR BREITHNIÚ AR MHEASTACHÁIN I GCOMHAIR SEIRBHÍSÍ POIBLÍ.

3. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR CONSIDERATION OF ESTIMATES FOR PUBLIC SERVICES.

Bhreithnigh an Coiste an Meastachán seo a leanas i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí don bhliain dár críoch an 31 Nollaig, 2022 – Vóta 33 (Turasóireacht, Cultúr, Gaeltacht Spórt agus Meáin - Meastachán Abhreithnithe) Cláir A, B, D & E.

The Committee considered consideration of the following: Revised Estimates for Public Services 2022 – Vote 33 Programme Areas A, B, D and E

Críochnaíodh an breithniú ar an Meastachán.

Consideration of the Estimate was concluded.

Cuireadh teachtaireacht chun na Dála de réir Bhuan-Ordú 101 á chur in iúl di gur chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an Meastachán.

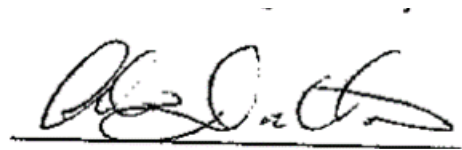
4. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 2:49 p.m. *sine die*.

Message sent to the Dáil in accordance with Standing Order 101 acquainting it that the Committee had completed its consideration of the Estimate.

4. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 2:49 p.m. *sine die*.



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Alan Dillon, T.D.  
Leas-Chathaoirleach  
9<sup>th</sup> March 2022

**IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR,  
EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN**

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE,  
ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

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*Dé Céadaoin, 19 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022*

*Wednesday, 19 October, 2022*

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1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 1:32 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 1:32 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT.

An Teachta Niamh Nic Gabhann (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Cairtriona Ní Mháirtín (*an tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*), na Teachtaí Ailín Ó Diolúin, Imelda Uí Mhuimhneacháin, agus Maitiú Mac Craith.

Deputy Niamh Smyth (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*), Deputies Alan Dillon, Imelda Munster, and Mattie McGrath.

3. AN BHILLE UM FHORAIS CHULTÚIR NÁISIÚNTA (AN CEOLÁRAS NÁISIÚNTA) (LÉASÚ), 2022.

3. NATIONAL CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS (NATIONAL CONCERT HALL) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2022.

Chrom an Coiste ar an mBille a bhreithniú.

The Committee took the Bill into consideration.

(i) *Aontaíodh alt 1.*

(i) Section 1 *agreed to.*

(ii) *Alt 2.*

(ii) Section 2.

Tairgeadh leasú 1 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus *aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 1 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*) proposed and *agreed to.*

*Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasáodh.*

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(iii) *Aontaíodh ailt 3 go 13, go huile.*

(iii) Sections 3 to 13, inclusive, *agreed to.*

(iv) *Alt 14.*

(iv) Section 14.

Tairgeadh leasú 2 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

*Aontaíodh* an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

(v) An Teideal.

Tairgeadh leasú 3 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

(vi) *Aontaíodh* an Teideal, mar a leasaíodh.

4. CRÍOCHNÚ AN GHNÓ.

Chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille ar 2:00 p.m.

5. TEACHTAIREACHT CHUIG DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Cuireadh teachtaireacht chun na Dála á chur in iúl di gur chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille agus go raibh leasuithe déanta aige air agus go raibh leasú déanta aige ar an Teideal chun go léifidh sé mar a leanas:

ACHT DÁ NGAIRTEAR ACHT DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE FEIDHMEANNA, FOIREANN, MAOIN, CEARTA AGUS DLITEANAIS ÁIRITHE DE CHUID RTÉ A AISTRIÚ CHUIG AN GCEOLÁRAS NÁISIÚNTA; DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE BAILÍOCHT AGUS ÉIFEACHT GNÍOMHARTHA ARNA NDÉANAMH AG RTÉ AGUS AG AN GCEOLÁRAS NÁISIÚNTA I NDÁIL LEIS AN AISTRIÚ SIN; DO LEATHNÚ FHEIDHMEANNA AN CHEOLÁRAIS NÁISIÚNTA AGUS DO DHÉANAMH ATHRUITHE ÁIRITHE AR A BHORD AGUS, CHUN NA GCRÍOCH SIN, DO LEASÚ AN ACHTA UM FHORAIS CHULTÚIR NÁISIÚNTA (AN

Amendment 2 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*) proposed and agreed to.

Section, as amended, *agreed to*.

(v) Title.

Amendment 3 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*) proposed and *agreed to*.

(vi) Title, as amended, *agreed to*.

4. CONCLUSION OF BUSINESS.

The Committee concluded its consideration of the Bill at 2:00 p.m.

5. MESSAGE TO DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Message sent to the Dáil acquainting it that the Committee had completed its consideration of the Bill and had made amendments thereto and had amended the Title to read as follows:

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TRANSFER OF CERTAIN FUNCTIONS, STAFF, PROPERTY, RIGHTS, AND LIABILITIES OF RTÉ TO THE NATIONAL CONCERT HALL; TO PROVIDE FOR THE VALIDITY AND EFFECT OF ACTS BY RTÉ AND THE NATIONAL CONCERT HALL IN RELATION TO THAT TRANSFER; TO EXTEND THE FUNCTIONS OF THE NATIONAL CONCERT HALL AND TO MAKE CERTAIN CHANGES TO ITS BOARD, AND, FOR THOSE PURPOSES TO AMEND THE NATIONAL CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS (NATIONAL CONCERT HALL) ACT 2015; TO INCREASE THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF LIABILITY IN RESPECT

CEOLÁRAS NÁISIÚNTA), 2015; DO MHÉADÚ MHÉID COMHIOMLÁN AN DLITEANAIS I LEITH GEALLTANAIS ARNA DTABHAIRT LE HAGHAIDH RUDAÍ CULTÚRTHA ATÁ AR IASACHT Ó DHUINE A CHÓNAÍONN LASMUIGH DEN STÁT AGUS, CHUN NA CRÍCHE SIN, DO LEASÚ AN ACHTA UM FHORAIS CHULTÚIR NÁISIÚNTA 1997; DO DHÉANAMH ATHRUITHE ÁIRITHE AR CHUSPÓIRÍ RTÉ AGUS, CHUN NA CRÍCHE SIN, DO LEASÚ AN ACHTA CRAOLACHÁIN, 2009; AGUS DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ I DTAOBH NITHE GAOLMHARA.

#### 6. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 2:00 p.m. go dtí 7:00 p.m. Dé Máirt, 25 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022.

OF UNDERTAKINGS GIVEN FOR CULTURAL OBJECTS ON LOAN FROM A PERSON RESIDENT OUTSIDE THE STATE AND, FOR THAT PURPOSE TO AMEND THE NATIONAL CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS ACT 1997; TO MAKE CERTAIN CHANGES TO THE OBJECTS OF RTÉ AND, FOR THAT PURPOSE TO AMEND THE BROADCASTING ACT 2009; AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS

#### 6. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 2:00 p.m. until 7 p.m. on Tuesday, 25 October, 2022.




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Niamh Smyth, T.D.

Cathaoirleach

19<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR,  
EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN**

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE,  
ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

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*Dé Máirt, 25 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022*

*Tuesday, 25 October, 2022*

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1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 7:02 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 7:02 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR<sup>1</sup>.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT<sup>2</sup>.

An Teachta Niamh Nic Gabhann (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Cairtriona Ní Mháirtín (*an tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*), na Teachtaí Ciarán Ó Canáin, Ailín Ó Diolúin, Breandán Ó Grifín, Imelda Uí Mhuimhneacháin, Seán Mythen, Seán Ó Ceannaigh, Gearóid Mac Fhionnáin, Donnacha Ó Neachtain, agus Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

Deputy Niamh Smyth (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*), Deputies Ciarán Cannon, Alan Dillon, Brendan Griffin, Imelda Munster, Johnny Mythen, Seán Canney, Gary Gannon, Denis Naughten, and Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

3. AN BILLE UM RIALÁIL  
SÁBHÁILTEACHTA AR LÍNE AGUS NA  
MEÁN, 2022.

3. ONLINE SAFETY AND MEDIA  
REGULATION BILL 2022

Chrom an Coiste ar an mBille a bhreithniú.

The Committee took the Bill into consideration.

(i) *Aontaíodh* alt 1.

(ii) Section 1 *agreed to*.

(ii) Alt 2.

(ii) Section 2.

Tairgeadh leasú 1 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus *tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead*.

Amendment 1 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

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<sup>1</sup> Bhí na Teachtaí Seán Ó Ceannaigh, Gearóid Mac Fhionnáin, Donnacha Ó Neachtain, agus Aengus Ó Snodaigh i láthair [B.O. 106(3)].

<sup>2</sup> Deputies Seán Canney, Gary Gannon, Denis Naughten and Aengus Ó Snodaigh attended [S.O. 106(3)].



*Aontaíodh an t-alt.*

*Section agreed to.*

(iii) Alt 3.

(iii) Section 3.

Tairgeadh leasú 2 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 2 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 3 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 3 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 4 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 4 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 5 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 5 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 6 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 6 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 7 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 7 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 8 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 8 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

*Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.*

*Section, as amended, agreed to.*

(iv) *Aontaíodh alt 4.*

(iv) Section 4 agreed to.

(v) Alt 5.

(v) Section 5.

Tairgeadh leasú 9 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 9 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.

Tairgeadh leasú 10 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 10 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(vi) Alt 6.

Tairgeadh leasú 11 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

(vi) Section 6.

Amendment 11 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 12 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 12 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 13 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 13 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(vii) Alt 7.

(vii) Section 7.

Tairgeadh leasú 14 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 14 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 15 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 15 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 16 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 16 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 17 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 17 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 18 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 18 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 19 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 19 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 20 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 20 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 21 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 21 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 22 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 22 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 23 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 23 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 25 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 25 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 26 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 26 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 27 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 27 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Tairgeadh leasú 28 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 28 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 30 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Neachtain agus Ó Ceannaigh*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 30 (Deputies Naughten and Canney) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 31 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 31 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 32 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 32 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 33 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 33 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 34 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 34 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 35 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 35 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 36 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 36 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 37 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 37 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 38 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 38 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 39 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 39 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 42 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 42 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 43 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

(viii) Alt 8.

Tairgeadh leasú 45 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Tairgeadh leasú 48 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Aontaíodh an t-alt.

(ix) Alt 9.

Tairgeadh leasú 49 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 50 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 51 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 52 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 53 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 54 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,*

Amendment 43 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Section, as amended, agreed to.

(viii) Section 8.

Amendment 45 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Amendment 48 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Section *agreed to.*

(ix) Section 9.

Amendment 49 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 50 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 51 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 52 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 53 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 54 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 55 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 55 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 56 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 56 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 57 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 57 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 58 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 58 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 59 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 59 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 60 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 60 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 61 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Neachtain agus Ó Ceannaigh) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Amendment 61 (Deputies Naughten and Canney) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 62 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus diúltaíodh dó.*

Amendment 62 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 63 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Amendment 63 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 64 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus diúltaíodh dó.*

Amendment 64 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 65 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 65 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 66 ( <i>Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen</i> ) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.	Amendment 66 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, <i>withdrawn.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 67 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 67 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 68 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 68 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 69 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 69 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 70 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 70 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 71 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 71 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 72 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 72 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 73 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 73 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 74 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 74 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 75 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 76 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Cuireadh breithniú breise ar an mBille ar athló.

4. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 10:07 p.m. go dtí 1:30 p.m. Dé Céadaoin, 26 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022.

Amendment 75 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Amendment 76 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Section, as amended, agreed to.

Further consideration of the Bill adjourned.

4. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 10:07 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 26 October, 2022.



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Niamh Smyth, T.D.

Cathaoirleach

25<sup>th</sup> October 2022



**IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR,  
EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN**

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE,  
ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

*Dé Céadaoin, 26 Deireadh Fómhair, 2022*

*Wednesday, 26 October, 2022*

1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 1:33 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 1:33 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR<sup>3</sup>.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT<sup>4</sup>.

An Teachta Niamh Nic Gabhann (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Caitriona Ní Mháirtín (*an tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*), na Teachtaí Ailín Ó Diolúin, Breandán Ó Grifín, Imelda Uí Mhuimhneacháin, Seán Mythen, Críostóir Ó Súileabháin, Sorca Uí Chléirigh, agus Gearóid Mac Fhionnáin.

Deputy Niamh Smyth (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*), Deputies Alan Dillon, Brendan Griffin, Imelda Munster, Johnny Mythen, Christopher O'Sullivan, Sorca Clarke, and Gary Gannon.

3. AN BHILLE UM RIALÁIL  
SÁBHÁILTEACHTA AR LÍNE AGUS NA  
MEÁN, 2022.

3. ONLINE SAFETY AND MEDIA  
REGULATION BILL 2022.

D'athchrom an Coiste ar an mBille a bhreithniú.

The Committee resumed consideration of the Bill.

(i) *Aontaíodh* alt 10.

(i) Section 10 *agreed to*.

(ii) Alt 11.

(ii) Section 11.

Tairgeadh leasú 79 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus *aontaíodh an leasú*.

Amendment 79 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 80 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus *aontaíodh an leasú*.

Amendment 80 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

<sup>3</sup> Bhí na Teachtaí Sorca Uí Chléirigh agus Gearóid Mac Fhionnáin i láthair [B.O. 95(3)].

<sup>4</sup> Deputies Sorca Clarke and Gary Gannon attended [S.O. 106(3)].

Tairgeadh leasú 81 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 81 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 82 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 82 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(iii) Alt 12.

(iii) Section 12.

Tairgeadh leasú 83 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 83 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(iv) Aontaíodh ailt 13 go 22, go huile.

(iv) Sections 13 to 22, inclusive, *agreed to.*

(v) Alt 23.

(v) Section 23.

Tairgeadh leasú 84 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 84 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt.

Section *agreed to.*

(vi) Aontaíodh ailt 24 go 30, go huile.

(vi) Sections 24 to 30, inclusive, *agreed to.*

(vii) Alt 31.

(v) Section 31.

Tairgeadh leasú 85 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 85 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt.

Section *agreed to.*

(viii) Aontaíodh alt 32.

(viii) Section 32 *agreed to.*

(ix) Alt 33.

(ix) Section 33.

Tairgeadh leasú 86 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Tairgeadh leasú 87 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Tairgeadh leasú 88 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

*Aontaíodh an t-alt.*

(x) Alt 34.

Tairgeadh leasú 91 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Tairgeadh leasú 92 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

*Aontaíodh an t-alt.*

(xi) *Aontaíodh ailt 35 go 38, go huile.*

(xii) Alt 39.

Tairgeadh leasú 94 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 95 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Tairgeadh leasú 96 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 86 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Amendment 87 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Amendment 88 (*Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen*) proposed and *negatived*.

*Section agreed to.*

(x) Section 34.

Amendment 91 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Amendment 92 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

*Section agreed to.*

(xi) Sections 35 to 38, inclusive, *agreed to*.

(x) Section 39.

Amendment 94 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Amendment 95 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Amendment 96 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 97 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 97 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 98 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 98 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 99 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 99 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 100 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 100 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(xiii) Aontaíodh ailt 40 go 43, go huile.

(xiii) Sections 40 to 43, inclusive, *agreed to.*

(xiv) Alt 44.

(xiv) Section 44.

Tairgeadh leasú 101 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 101 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 102 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 102 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived.*

Tairgeadh leasú 103 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 103 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 104 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 104 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 105 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,*

Amendment 105 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 106 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 106 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 107 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 107 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 108 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 108 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 109 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 109 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 110 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 110 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 111 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 111 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 112 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 112 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 113 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 113 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 114 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 114 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 115 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 115 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 116 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 116 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 117 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 117 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 118 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 118 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 119 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 119 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 120 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 120 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 121 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 121 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 122 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 122 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 123 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 123 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 124 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 124 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 125 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 125 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 126 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 126 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 127 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 127 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 128 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 128 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 129 ( <i>Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen</i> ) agus diúltaíodh dó.	Amendment 129 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) <i>proposed and negatived.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 130 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 130 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 131 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 131 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 132 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 132 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 133 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 133 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 134 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 134 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 135 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 135 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 136 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 136 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 137 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 137 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 138 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 138 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to.*

(xv) Alt 45.

(xv) Section 45.

Tairgeadh leasú 139 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus cinneadh aontach a rinneadh air.

Amendment 139 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*) *proposed and decided in the affirmative.*

Tairgeadh leasú 140 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 140 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 141 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 141 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 142 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 142 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 143 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 143 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*



Tairgeadh leasú 144 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 144 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 145 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 145 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.	Section, as amended, agreed to.
(xvi) Alt 46.	(xvi) Section 46.
Tairgeadh leasú 146 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 146 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 147 ( <i>Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen</i> ) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chhead.	Amendment 147 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, <i>withdrawn.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 148 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 148 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 149 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 149 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 150 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 150 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 151 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 151 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 152 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 152 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 153 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 153 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 154 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 154 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 155 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 155 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 156 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 156 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 157 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 157 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 158 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 158 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 159 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 159 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 160 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 160 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 161 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 161 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 162 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 162 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 163 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 163 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 164 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 164 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 165 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 165 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 166 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 166 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 167 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 167 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 168 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 168 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 169 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 169 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 170 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 170 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 171 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 171 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 172 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 172 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 173 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 173 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 174 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 174 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 175 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 175 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 176 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 176 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 177 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 177 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 178 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 178 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 179 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 179 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 180 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 180 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 181 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 181 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 182 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 182 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 183 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 183 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 184 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 184 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 185 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 185 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 186 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 186 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 187 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 187 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 188 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 188 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 189 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 189 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 190 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 190 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 191 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 191 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 192 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 192 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 193 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 193 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 194 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 194 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 195 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 195 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 196 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 196 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 197 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 197 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 198 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 198 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 199 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 199 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 200 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 200 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 201 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 201 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 202 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 202 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 203 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 203 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 204 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 204 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 205 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 205 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 206 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 206 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 207 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 207 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 208 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 208 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 209 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 209 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 210 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 210 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 211 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 211 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 212 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 212 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 213 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 213 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 214 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 214 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 215 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 215 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 216 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 216 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 217 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 217 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 218 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 218 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 219 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 219 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 220 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 220 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>



*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 221 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 221 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 222 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 222 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 223 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 223 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 224 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 224 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 225 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 225 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 226 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 226 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 227 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 227 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 228 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 228 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 229 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 229 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 230 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 230 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 231 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 231 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 232 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 232 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 233 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 233 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 234 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 234 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 235 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 235 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 236 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 236 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 237 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 237 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 238 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 238 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 239 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 239 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 240 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 240 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 241 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 241 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 242 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 242 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 243 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 243 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 244 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 244 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 245 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 245 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 246 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 246 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 247 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 247 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 248 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 248 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 249 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 249 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 250 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 250 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 251 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 251 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 252 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 252 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 253 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 253 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 254 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 254 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 255 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 255 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 256 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 256 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 257 (*An Teachta Mac Fhionnáin) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Amendment 257 (*Deputy Gannon) proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 258 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 258 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 259 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 259 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 260 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 260 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 261 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 261 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 262 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 262 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 263 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 263 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 264 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 264 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 265 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 265 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 267 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 267 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 268 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 268 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 269 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 269 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

Tairgeadh leasú 270 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 270 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 271 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 271 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 272 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 272 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 273 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 273 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 274 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 274 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 275 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 275 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 276 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 276 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 277 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 277 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 278 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i> ) agus aontaíodh an leasú.	Amendment 278 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>
Tairgeadh leasú 278 ( <i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,</i>	Amendment 278 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i>

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Tairgeadh leasú 279 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 279 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 280 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 280 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 281 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 281 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 282 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 282 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 283 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 283 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 284 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 284 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 285 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 285 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, agreed to.

(xvii) Alt 47.

(xvii) Section 47.

Tairgeadh leasú 286 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Amendment 286 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

<p>Tairgeadh leasú 287 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 287 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 288 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 288 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 289 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 289 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 290 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 290 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 291 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 291 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 292 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 292 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.</p>	<p>Section, as amended, agreed to.</p>
<p>(xviii) Alt 48.</p>	<p>(xviii) Section 48.</p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 293 (<i>An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán</i>) agus aontaíodh an leasú.</p>	<p>Amendment 293 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) <i>proposed and agreed to.</i></p>
<p>Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.</p>	<p>Section, as amended, agreed to.</p>
<p>(xix) Aontaíodh alt 49.</p>	<p>(xix) Section 49 <i>agreed to.</i></p>
<p>(xx) Alt 50.</p>	<p>(xx) Section 50.</p>
<p>Tairgeadh leasú 294 (<i>Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen</i>) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.</p>	<p>Amendment 294 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, <i>withdrawn.</i></p>



Tairgeadh leasú 295 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 295 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 296 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 296 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 297 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 297 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 298 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 298 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 299 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 299 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 300 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 300 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 301 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 301 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 302 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 302 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 303 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 303 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Tairgeadh leasú 304 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus*

Amendment 304 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn.*

*Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 305 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú.*

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

(xxi) Aontaíodh ailt 51 agus 52.

(xxii) Alt 53.

Tairgeadh leasú 306 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus diúltaíodh dó.*

Tairgeadh leasú 307 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 308 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 309 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 310 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 311 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Tairgeadh leasú 312 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.*

Amendment 305 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to.*

Section, as amended, agreed to.

(xxi) Sections 51 and 52 *agreed to.*

(xxii) Section 53.

Amendment 306 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and negatived.*

Amendment 307 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Amendment 308 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Amendment 309 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Amendment 310 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Amendment 311 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Amendment 312 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) *proposed and, by leave, withdrawn.*

Tairgeadh leasú 313 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 313 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 314 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Amendment 314 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Tairgeadh leasú 315 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus diúltaíodh dó.

Amendment 315 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and *negatived*.

Aontaíodh an t-alt.

Section *agreed to*.

(xxiii) Aontaíodh ailt 54 go 66, go huile.

(xxiii) Sections 54 to 66, inclusive, *agreed to*.

(xxiv) Alt 67.

(xxiv) Section 67.

Tairgeadh leasú 316 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 316 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to*.

(xxv) Aontaíodh ailt 68 agus 68.

(xxv) Sections 68 and 69 *agreed to*.

(xxvi) Alt 70.

(xxvi) Section 70.

Tairgeadh leasú 317 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 317 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 318 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

Amendment 318 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

Aontaíodh an t-alt, mar a leasaíodh.

Section, as amended, *agreed to*.

(xxvii) Aontaíodh ailt 71 go 77, go huile.

(xxvii) Sections 71 to 77, inclusive, *agreed to*.

Tairgeadh leasú 319 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon,*

Amendment 319 (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*)

*Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán) agus aontaíodh an leasú -cuireadh isteach an t-alt nua.*

(xxviii) An Teideal.

Tairgeadh leasú 320 (*Na Teachtaí Ó Snodaigh, Uí Mhuimhneacháin agus Mythen*) agus tarraingíodh siar an leasú, faoi chead.

Tairgeadh leasú 321 (*An tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*) agus aontaíodh an leasú.

(xvix) *Aontaíodh* an Teideal, mar a leasaíodh.

#### 4. CRÍOCHNÚ AN GHNÓ.

Chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille ar 4:35 p.m.

#### 5. TEACHTAIREACHT CHUIG DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Cuireadh teachtaireacht chun na Dála á chur in iúl di gur chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille agus go raibh leasuithe déanta aige air agus go raibh leasú déanta aige ar an Teideal chun go léifidh sé mar a leanas:

ACHT DO LEASÚ AN ACHTA CRAOLACHÁIN, 2009 CHUN SOCRÚ A DHÉANAMH MAIDIR LE COMHLACHT A BHUNÚ AR A DTABHARFAR COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN; DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE TREOIR 2010/13/AE Ó PHARLAIMINT NA HEORPA AGUS ÓN GCOMHAIRLE AN 10 MÁRTA 2010, ARNA LEASÚ LE TREOIR (AE) 2018/1808 Ó PHARLAIMINT NA HEORPA AGUS ÓN GCOMHAIRLE AN 14 SAMHAIN 2018, A CHUR I NGNÍOMH; D'FHONN FREAGRACHTAÍ AN STÁIT FAOI NA TREORACHA SIN A

*proposed and agreed to – new section inserted.*

(xxviii) Title.

Amendment 320 (Deputies Ó Snodaigh, Munster and Mythen) proposed and, by leave, *withdrawn*.

Amendment 321 (Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media) *proposed and agreed to*.

(xvix) Title, as amended, *agreed to*.

#### 4. CONCLUSION OF BUSINESS.

The Committee concluded its consideration of the Bill at 4:35 p.m.

#### 5. MESSAGE TO DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Message sent to the Dáil acquainting it that the Committee had completed its consideration of the Bill and had made amendments thereto and had amended the Title to read as follows:

AN ACT TO AMEND THE BROADCASTING ACT 2009 TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A BODY TO BE KNOWN AS COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF DIRECTIVE 2010/13/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL OF 10 MARCH 2010 AS AMENDED BY DIRECTIVE (EU) 2018/1808 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL OF 14 NOVEMBER 2018; FOR THE PURPOSE OF FULFILLING THE STATE'S RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THOSE DIRECTIVES, OR OTHERWISE

CHOMHLÍONADH, NÓ THAIRIS SIN AR MHAITHE LE LEAS AN PHOBAIL, D'FHORCHUR OIBLEAGÁIDÍ AR SHOLÁTHRAITHE SEIRBHÍ Sí CRAOLACHÁIN AGUS SEIRBHÍ Sí MEÁN CLOSAMHAIRC AR ÉILEAMH, AGUS DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE RIALÁIL A DHÉANAMH AR ÁBHAR ATÁ AR FÁIL AR SHEIRBHÍ Sí IOMCHUÍ AR LÍNE AGUS AR ÁBHAR DOCHRACH AR LÍNE ATÁ AR FÁIL AR SHEIRBHÍ Sí SAINAINMNITHE AR LÍNE; DÁ CHUMASÚ D'OIFIGIGH ÚDARAITHE DO CHOIMISIÚN NA MEÁN IMSCRÚDITHE A DHÉANAMH D'FHONN A CHINNTIÚ GO GCOMHLÍONFAR OIBLEAGÁIDÍ ARNA BHFORCHUR AR DHAOINE LEIS AN ACHT SEO NÓ FAOIN ACHT SEO; DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE SMACHTBHANNAÍ A FHORCHUR AR DHAOINE MAR GHEALL AR MHAINNEACHTAIN OIBLEAGÁIDÍ ARNA BHFORCHUR LEIS AN ACHT SEO NÓ FAOIN ACHT SEO A CHOMHLÍONADH, LENA N-ÁIRÍTEAR DÁ CHUMASÚ DO CHOIMISIÚN NA MEÁN SMACHTBHANNAÍ RIRACHÁIN AIRGEADAIS A FHORCHUR AR SHOLÁTHRAITHE SEIRBHÍ Sí CRAOLACHÁIN, SEIRBHÍ Sí MEÁN CLOSAMHAIRC AR ÉILEAMH AGUS SEIRBHÍ Sí SAINAINMNITHE AR LÍNE MAR GHEALL AR MHAINNEACHTAIN OIBLEAGÁIDÍ DEN SÓRT SIN A CHOMHLÍONADH; DÁ CHUMASÚ DO CHOIMISIÚN NA MEÁN, D'FHONN A CHAITEACHAIS A ÍOC AGUS A CHEANGLAIS CAIPITIL OIBRE A CHOMHLÍONADH, TOBHACH A FHORCHUR AR SHOLÁTHRAITHE SEIRBHÍ Sí CRAOLACHÁIN, SEIRBHÍ Sí MEÁN CLOSAMHAIRC AR ÉILEAMH AGUS SEIRBHÍ Sí SAINAINMNITHE AR LÍNE; DO BHUNÚ CLÁR DE SHOLÁTHRAITHE SEIRBHÍ Sí MEÁN

IN THE INTERESTS OF THE COMMON GOOD, TO IMPOSE OBLIGATIONS ON PROVIDERS OF BROADCASTING SERVICES AND AUDIOVISUAL ON-DEMAND MEDIA SERVICES, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION OF CONTENT AVAILABLE ON RELEVANT ONLINE SERVICES AND HARMFUL ONLINE CONTENT AVAILABLE ON DESIGNATED ONLINE SERVICES; TO ENABLE AUTHORISED OFFICERS OF COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN TO CARRY OUT INVESTIGATIONS FOR THE PURPOSES OF ENSURING COMPLIANCE WITH OBLIGATIONS IMPOSED ON PERSONS BY OR UNDER THIS ACT; TO PROVIDE FOR SANCTIONS TO BE IMPOSED ON PERSONS FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH OBLIGATIONS IMPOSED BY OR UNDER THIS ACT, INCLUDING TO ENABLE COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN TO IMPOSE ADMINISTRATIVE FINANCIAL SANCTIONS ON PROVIDERS OF BROADCASTING SERVICES, AUDIOVISUAL ON-DEMAND MEDIA SERVICES AND DESIGNATED ONLINE SERVICES FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH SUCH OBLIGATIONS; TO ENABLE COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING ITS EXPENSES AND ITS WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS, TO IMPOSE A LEVY ON PROVIDERS OF BROADCASTING SERVICES, AUDIOVISUAL ON-DEMAND MEDIA SERVICES AND DESIGNATED ONLINE SERVICES; TO ESTABLISH A REGISTER OF PROVIDERS OF AUDIOVISUAL ON-DEMAND MEDIA SERVICES; TO ENABLE COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN TO IMPOSE A LEVY ON PROVIDERS OF AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSES OF FUNDING A SCHEME TO SUPPORT THE PRODUCTION OF EUROPEAN WORKS; TO ENABLE

CLOSAMHAIRC AR ÉILEAMH; DÁ CHUMASÚ DO CHOIMISIÚN NA MEÁN TOBHACH A FHORCHUR AR SHOLÁTHRAITHE SEIRBHÍSÍ MEÁN CLOSAMHAIRC CHUN SCÉIM A MHAOINIÚ IS SCÉIM CHUN TACÚ LE SAOTHAIR EORPACHA A THÁIRGEADH; DÁ CHUMASÚ DO CHOIMISIÚN NA MEÁN SCÉIM A ULLMHÚ CHUN CISTÍ A SHOLÁTHAR DO CHRAOLTÓIRÍ FUAIME ÁITIÚLA AGUS DO CHRAOLTÓIRÍ FUAIME POBAIL D'FHONN TACÚ LE DEACHLEACHTAIS IRISEOIREACHTA GHAIRMIÚLA; DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE HÚDARÁS CRAOLACHÁIN NA HÉIREANN A DHÍSCAOILEADH AGUS MAIDIR LENA FHEIDHMEANNA A AISTRÍÚ CHUIG COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN; DO LEASÚ AGUS DO LEATHNÚ AN ACHTA CRAOLACHÁIN, 2009 THAIRIS SIN; DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ MAIDIR LE LEASÚ IARMHARTACH A DHÉANAMH AR ACHTACHÁIN ÁIRITHE EILE; AGUS DO DHÉANAMH SOCRÚ I DTAOBH NITHE GAOLMHARA.

6. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 4:35 p.m. *sine die*.

COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN TO PREPARE A SCHEME FOR THE PROVISION OF FUNDS TO LOCAL SOUND BROADCASTERS AND COMMUNITY SOUND BROADCASTERS FOR THE SUPPORT OF GOOD PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTIC PRACTICES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE BROADCASTING AUTHORITY OF IRELAND AND THE TRANSFER OF ITS FUNCTIONS TO COIMISIÚN NA MEÁN; TO OTHERWISE AMEND AND EXTEND THE BROADCASTING ACT 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENT OF CERTAIN OTHER ENACTMENTS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS.

6. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 4:35 p.m. *sine die*.



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Niamh Smyth, T.D.

Cathaoirleach

26<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR,  
EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN**

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE,  
ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

*Dé Céadaoin, 23 Samhain, 2022*

*Wednesday, 23 November 2022*

1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 5:33 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 5:33 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR<sup>5</sup>.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT<sup>6</sup>.

An Teachta Niamh Nic Gabhann (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Caitríona Ní Mháirtín (*an tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*), na Teachtaí Peadar Mac Ghiolla Phádraig, Seán Mythen, agus Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

Deputy Niamh Smyth (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*), Deputies Peter Fitzpatrick, Johnny Mythen, and Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

3. BREITHNIÚ AR THAIRISCINT.

3. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION.

Bhreithnigh an Coiste an tairiscint seo a leanas arna tarchur ag Dáil Éireann an 16 Samhain, 2022—

The Committee considered the following motion referred by Dáil Éireann on 16 November 2022—

“Go dtabharfaidh an Dáil cead chun na Meastacháin Fhorlíontacha seo a leanas a thabhairt isteach le haghaidh sheirbhís na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2022:

“That leave be given by the Dáil to introduce the following Supplementary Estimates for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2022:

Vóta 33 — Turasóireacht, Cultúr, Ealaíona, Gaeltacht, Spórt agus Meáin (Meastachán Forlíontach).”

Vote 33 — Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media (Supplementary Estimate).”

Críochnaíodh an breithniú ar an tairiscint.

Consideration of the motion was concluded.

Cuireadh teachtaireacht chun na Dála de réir Bhuan-Ordú 101 agus Ordú an 23

Message sent to the Dáil in accordance with Standing Order 101 and the Order of the

<sup>5</sup> Bhí an Teachta Aengus Ó Snodaigh i láthair [B.O. 106(3)].

<sup>6</sup> Deputy Aengus Ó Snodaigh attended [S.O. 106(3)].

Samhain, 2022 ón Dáil, á chur in iúl di gur chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an tairiscint.

4. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 6:13 p.m. *sine die*.

Dáil of 23 November 2022, acquainting it that the Committee had completed its consideration of the motion.

4. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 6:13 p.m. *sine die*.



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Niamh Smyth T.D.

Cathaoirleach

23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022



**IMEACHTAÍ AN ROGHCHOISTE UM THURASÓIREACHT, CULTÚR,  
EALAÍONA, SPÓRT AGUS MEÁIN**

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, CULTURE,  
ARTS, SPORT AND MEDIA**

*Dé Céadaoin, 23 Samhain, 2022*

*Wednesday, 23 November 2022*

1. Chruinnigh an Coiste ar 6:18 p.m.

1. The Committee met at 6:18 p.m.

2. COMHALTAÍ I LÁTHAIR<sup>7</sup>.

2. MEMBERS PRESENT<sup>8</sup>.

An Teachta Niamh Nic Gabhann (*i gCeannas*), An Teachta Caitríona Ní Mháirtín (*an tAire Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán*), na Teachtaí Peadar Mac Ghiolla Phádraig, Seán Mythen, agus Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

Deputy Niamh Smyth (*in the Chair*), Deputy Catherine Martin (*Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media*), Deputies Peter Fitzpatrick, Johnny Mythen, and Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

3. AN BILLE UM ÚDARÁS NÁISIÚNTA FORBARTHA TURASÓIREACHTA (LEASÚ), 2022.

3. NATIONAL TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL 2022.

CHROM AN COISTE AR AN MBILLE A BHREITHNIÚ.

THE COMMITTEE TOOK THE BILL INTO CONSIDERATION.

(i) Alt 1.

(i) Section 1.

*Aontaíodh an t-alt.*

*Section agreed to.*

(ii) Alt 2.

(ii) Section 2.

*Aontaíodh an t-alt.*

*Section agreed to.*

(iii) *Aontaíodh an Teideal.*

(iii) *Title agreed to.*

4. CRÍOCHNÚ AN GHNÓ.

4. CONCLUSION OF BUSINESS.

<sup>7</sup> Bhí an Teachta Aengus Ó Snodaigh i láthair [B.O. 106(3)].

<sup>8</sup> Deputy Aengus Ó Snodaigh attended [S.O. 106(3)].

Chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille ar 6:23 p.m.

5. TEACHTAIREACHT CHUIG DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Cuireadh teachtaireacht chun na Dála á chur in iúl di gur chríochnaigh an Coiste a bhreithniú ar an mBille agus nach raibh aon leasú déanta aige air.

6. ATHLÁ.

Chuaigh an Coiste ar athló ar 6:23 p.m. *sine die*.

The Committee concluded its consideration of the Bill at 6:23 p.m.

5. MESSAGE TO DÁIL ÉIREANN.

Message sent to the Dáil acquainting it that the Committee had completed its consideration of the Bill and had made no amendment thereto.

6. ADJOURNMENT.

The Committee adjourned at 6:23 p.m. *sine die*.



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Niamh Smyth T.D.

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