

Dé Máirt, 21 Meitheamh, 2005
Tuesday, 21st June, 2005
2.30 p.m.

ORD GNÓ
ORDER OF BUSINESS

12. Tairiscint *maidir le* Meastacháin Athbhreithnithe i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí 2005 [Vótaí 1 go 16 agus 18 go 40].
Motion *re* Revised Estimates for Public Services 2005 [Votes 1 to 16 and 18 to 40].
13. Tairiscint *maidir le* Ceadú beartaithe ag Dáil Éireann i ndáil le Cinneadh ón gComhairle maidir le malartú faisnéise agus le comhar i dtaca le cionta sceimhlitheoireachta a Tharchur chuig Comhchoiste.
Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann for a Council Decision on the exchange of information and co-operation concerning terrorist offences.
14. An Bille um Shábháilteacht Mhuirí 2004 [*Seanad*] — Treoir do Choiste.
Maritime Safety Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Instruction to Committee.
24. Ráitis maidir leis an gComhairle Eorpach, An Bhruiséil.
Statements on European Council, Brussels.
25. (l) An Bille um Shábháilteacht Mhuirí 2004 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
(a) Maritime Safety Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA
PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

56. Tairiscint *maidir le* Tuarascálacha Bhinse Morris agus Bunú Coimisiúin ar Phóilíneacht.
Motion *re* Morris Tribunal Reports and Establishment of Commission into Policing.

I dTOSACH GNÓ PHOIBLÍ
AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Billí ón Seanad : Bills from the Seanad

1. An Bille Aerloingseoireachta agus Aeriompair (Slánaíochtaí) 2005 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.
Air Navigation and Transport (Indemnities) Bill 2005 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.

2. An Bille um Leasanna Idirnáisiúnta i dTrealamh Soghluaiste (Coinbhinsiún Cape Town) 2005 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.
International Interests in Mobile Equipment (Cape Town Convention) Bill 2005 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.

3. An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Gealtacht) 2002 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.
Criminal Law (Insanity) Bill 2002 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.

4. An Bille um Athchóiriú an Dlí Reachtuil (Réamh-1922) 2004 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.
Statute Law Revision (Pre-1922) Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.

5. An Bille um Shaoire do Thuismitheoirí (Leasú) 2004 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.
Parental Leave (Amendment) Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.

Billí a thionscnamh : Initiation of Bills

Tíolactha:
Presented:

6. An Bille um Sheirbhís Bhuiséadaithe agus Comhairle Airgid 2002 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Money Advice and Budgeting Service Bill 2002 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le seirbhís bhainistithe fiachais a fhorbairt agus a chur chun feidhme d'fhonn cuidiú le daoine aonair le linn fiachas tomhaltóra a bhainistiú, a laghdú agus a urscaoileadh; d'fhonn comhoibriú idir daoine agus an tAire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha, Pobail agus Teaghlaigh a éascú chun cuideachtaí a bhunú chun an tseirbhís a sholáthar; do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis na cuideachtaí sin do dhéanamh comhaontuithe leis an Aire chun an tseirbhís a sholáthar mar sholáthraithe seirbhíse áitiúla; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le príomhchuspóirí soláthraithe seirbhíse áitiúla; do thabhairt feidhmeanna don Aire maidir le cistiú, faireachán agus measúnú na seirbhíse; do bhunú Coiste Comhairleach Náisiúnta um Sheirbhís Bhuiséadaithe agus Comhairle Airgid chun dul i gcomhairle leis an Aire agus comhairle a thabhairt don Aire i dtaobh nithe a bhaineann le beartas i ndáil leis an tseirbhís, agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to provide for the development and implementation of a debt management service to assist individuals in managing, reducing and discharging consumer debt; to facilitate co-operation between persons and the Minister for Social, Community and Family Affairs for the purpose of establishing companies to provide the service; to provide for those companies to enter into agreements with the Minister to provide the service as local service providers; to provide for the principal objects of local service providers; to confer on the Minister functions in respect of the funding, monitoring and evaluation of the service; to establish a National Money Advice and Budgeting Service Advisory Committee to consult with and advise the Minister on matters of policy relating to the service, and to provide for related matters.

— *An tAire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha, Pobail agus Teaghlaigh.*

7. An Bille um an Ochtú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2005 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Twenty-eighth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2005 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht chun an Bille entitled an Act to amend the
Bunreacht a leasú. Constitution.

— *An tAire Gnóthaí Eachtracha.*

8. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2004 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2004 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta um Pleanáil agus Forbairt 2000 chun socrú a dhéanamh maidir le húdarais phleanála do dhíúltú cead pleanála do dhaoine a mhainnigh san am a caitheadh cead pleanála a deonaíodh a chomhlíonadh. U Bill entitled an Act to amend the Planning and Development Act 2000 to make provision for the refusal by planning authorities of planning permission to persons who in the past failed to comply with planning permission granted.

— *Michael Noonan.*

9. An Bille chun na hAchtanna um Chiontaí in aghaidh an Stáit (1939 go 1998) a Aisghairm 2004 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Offences Against the State Acts (1939 to 1998) Repeal Bill 2004 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht d'aisghairm na nAchtanna um Chiontaí in aghaidh an Stáit 1939 go 1998. Bill entitled an Act to repeal the Offences against the State Acts 1939 to 1998.

— *Aengus Ó Snodaigh.*

10. An Bille um Chomhairle (Leasú) 2004 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Comhairle (Amendment) Bill 2004 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta um Chomhairle 2000 chun feidhmeanna Chomhairle a leasú agus a leathnú, do dhéanamh athruithe áirithe ar a comhaltas agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara. Bill entitled an Act to amend the Comhairle Act 2000 to amend and extend the functions of Comhairle, to make certain changes to its membership and to provide for related matters.

— *An tAire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh.*

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Introduction:

11. An Bille Fluairíde (Achtacháin a Aisghairm) 2005 — An Chéad Chéim.

Fluoride (Repeal of Enactments) Bill 2005 — First Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú chun an tAcht Sláinte (Soláthairtí Uisce a Fhluairídiú) 1960 a aisghairm. Bill entitled an Act to provide for the repeal of the Health (Fluoridation of Water Supplies) Act 1960.

— *John Gormley.*

Fógraí Tairisceana : Notices of Motions

12. “Meastacháin i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí [2005]: Estimates for Public Services [2005]:

Vóta 1 (Teaghlachas an Uachtaráin) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe). *Vote 1 (President’s Establishment) (Revised Estimate).*

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €2,447,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a granted to defray the charge which will

thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig Rúnaí an Uachtaráin, le haghaidh costas áirithe eile a bhaineann le Teaghlachas an Uachtaráin agus le haghaidh deontas áirithe.

Vóta 2 (Roinn an Taoisigh) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €38,965,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Roinn an Taoisigh, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na Roinne agus chun deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair a íoc.

Vóta 3 (Oifig an Ard-Aighne) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €15,136,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Ard-Aighne, lena n-áirítear deontas-i-gcabhair.

Vóta 4 (An Phríomh-Oifig Staidrimh) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €55,247,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Príomh-Oifige Staidrimh.

Vóta 5 (Oifig an Ard-Reachtair Cuntas agus Ciste) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €8,762,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Ard-Reachtair Cuntas agus Ciste.

Vóta 6 (Oifig an Aire Airgeadais) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €101,226,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Airgeadais, lena n-áirítear Oifig an Phámháistir Ghinearálta, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh Oifig an

come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Secretary to the President, for certain other expenses of the President's Establishment and for certain grants.

Vote 2 (Department of the Taoiseach) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €38,965,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Department of the Taoiseach, including certain services administered by the Department and for payment of grants and grants-in-aid.

Vote 3 (Office of the Attorney General) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €15,136,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Attorney General, including a grant-in-aid.

Vote 4 (Central Statistics Office) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €55,247,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Central Statistics Office.

Vote 5 (Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €8,762,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General.

Vote 6 (Office of the Minister for Finance) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €101,226,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Finance, including the Paymaster-General's Office, for certain services administered by the Office of the

Aire agus chun deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 7 (Aoisliúntas agus Liúntais Scoir) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €256,770,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh pinsean, aoisliúntais, díobhálacha ceirde, agus liúntas agus aiscí, breise agus eile, faoi na hAchtanna Aoisliúntas 1834 go 1963, agus faoin Acht Aoisliúntas agus Pinsean 1976, agus faoi reachtanna iolartha eile; le haghaidh pinsean, liúntas agus aiscí seach-reachtúla arna ndámhachtain ag an Aire Airgeadais, táillí do liaréiteoirí agus táillí ócáideacha do dhochtúirí; cúitimh agus íocaíochtaí eile i leith díobhálacha pearsanta; táillí don Bhord Pinsean; íocaíochtaí i leith an Chórais Sochair Pinsean, íocaíochtaí ilghnéitheacha, etc.

Vóta 8 (Oifig na gCoimisinéirí Achomhairc) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €607,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig na gCoimisinéirí Achomhairc.

Vóta 9 (Oifig na gCoimisinéirí Ioncaim) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €350,155,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig na gCoimisinéirí Ioncaim, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe eile atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin.

Vóta 10 (Oifig na nOibreacha Poiblí) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €469,361,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig na nOibreacha Poiblí; le haghaidh seirbhísí atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, lena n-áirítear Oifig an tSoláthair mar chuid de Ghníomhaireacht Soláthair an Rialtais, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc agus chun caiteachas áirithe i ndáil le faoiseamh tuile a chúiteamh.

Minister and for payment of certain grants and grants-in-aid.

Vote 7 (Superannuation and Retired Allowances) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €256,770,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for pensions, superannuation, occupational injuries, and additional and other allowances and gratuities under the Superannuation Acts 1834 to 1963 and the Superannuation and Pensions Act 1976 and sundry other statutes; extra-statutory pensions, allowances and gratuities awarded by the Minister for Finance, fees to medical referees and occasional fees to doctors; compensation and other payments in respect of personal injuries; fees to Pensions Board; payments in respect of Pensions Benefit System, miscellaneous payments, etc.

Vote 8 (Office of the Appeals Commissioners) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €607,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Appeal Commissioners.

Vote 9 (Office of the Revenue Commissioners) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €350,155,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Revenue Commissioners, including certain other services administered by that Office.

Vote 10 (Office of Public Works) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €469,361,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of Public Works; for services administered by that Office including the Stationery Office as part of the Government Supplies Agency, and for payment of certain grants and for the recoupment of certain expenditure in connection with flood relief.

Vóta 11 (An tSaotharlann Stáit) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €14,451,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Saotharlainne Stáit.

Vóta 12 (An tSeirbhís Shicréideach) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €786,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh na Seirbhíse Sicréidí.

Vóta 13 (Oifig an Phríomh-Aturnae Stáit) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €36,025,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Phríomh-Aturnae Stáit.U

Vóta 14 (Oifig an Stiúrthóra Ionchúiseamh Poiblí) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €33,656,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Stiúrthóra Ionchúiseamh Poiblí.

Vóta 15 (An Oifig Luachála) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €10,992,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na hOifige Luachála agus mionseirbhísí áirithe.

Vóta 16 (An tSeirbhís um Cheapacháin Phoiblí) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €12,487,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Seirbhíse um Cheapacháin Phoiblí.U

Vóta 18 (Oifig an Ombudsman) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €6,177,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a

Vote 11 (State Laboratory) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €14,451,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the State Laboratory.

Vote 12 (Secret Service) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €786,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for Secret Service.

Vote 13 (Office of the Chief State Solicitor) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €36,025,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Chief State Solicitor.

Vote 14 (Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €33,656,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions.

Vote 15 (Valuation Office) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €10,992,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Valuation Office and certain minor services.

Vote 16 (Public Appointments Service) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €12,487,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Public Appointments Service.

Vote 18 (Office of the Ombudsman) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €6,177,000 be granted to defray the charge which will

thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Ombudsman, an Choimisiúin um Chaighdeáin in Oifigí Poiblí agus Oifig an Choimisinéara Faisnéise.

Vóta 19 (Dlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas agus Athchóiriú Dlí) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €358,178,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí, agus seirbhísí áirithe eile, lena n-áirítear íocaíochtaí faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 20 (An Garda Síochána) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €1,110,107,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais an Gharda Síochána, lena n-áirítear pinsin, etc.; le haghaidh íocaíochtaí cúitimh agus costas eile i leith seirbhíse sna Caomhnóirí Áitiúla, chun costas finnítithe áirithe a íoc, agus chun deontas-i-gcabhair a íoc.

Vóta 21 (Príosúin) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €389,178,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Seirbhíse Príosúin, foirne promhaidh agus leasa agus costas eile i ndáil le príosúin, lena n-áirítear ionaid choinneála; le haghaidh seirbhísí promhaidh agus leasa; agus chun deontas-i-gcabhair a íoc, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €4,880,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 22 (An tSeirbhís Chúirteanna) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €69,326,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na

come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Ombudsman, the Standards in Public Office Commission and the Office of the Information Commissioner.

Vote 19 (Justice, Equality and Law Reform) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €358,178,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Justice, Equality and Law Reform and of certain other services including payments under cash-limited schemes administered by that Office, and payment of certain grants and grants-in-aid.

Vote 20 (Garda Síochána) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €1,110,107,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Garda Síochána, including pensions, etc.; for payments of compensation and other expenses arising out of service in the Local Security Force, for the payment of certain witnesses' expenses, and for payment of a grant-in-aid.

Vote 21 (Prisons) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €389,178,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Prison Service, probation and welfare staff and other expenses in connection with prisons, including places of detention; for probation and welfare services; and for payment of a grant-in-aid, and that a sum not exceeding €4,880,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 22 (Courts Service) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €69,326,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year

bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh na dtuarastal agus na gcostas sin de chuid na Seirbhíse Cúirteanna agus na Cúirte Uachtaraí, na hArd-Chúirte, na Cúirte Coiriúla Speisialta, na Cúirte Cuarda agus na Cúirte Dúiche agus mionseirbhísí áirithe eile nach muirear ar an bPríomh-Chiste, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €1,600,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 23 (Clárlann na Talún agus Clárlann na nGníomhas) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €38,048,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Chlárlann na Talún agus Chlárlann na nGníomhas.

Vóta 24 (Tabhartais agus Tiomnachtaí Carthanúla) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €429,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig na dTabhartas agus na dTiomnachtaí Carthanúla.

Vóta 25 (Comhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Rialtas Áitiúil) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €2,500,182,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Comhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Rialtais Áitiúil, lena n-áirítear deontais d'Údarás Áitiúla, deontais agus costais eile i ndáil le tithíocht, agus scéimeanna, fóirdheontais agus deontais ilghnéitheacha agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €75,601,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 26 (Oideachas agus Eolaíocht) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €6,933,896,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na

ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for such of the salaries and expenses of the Courts Service and of the Supreme Court, the High Court, the Special Criminal Court, the Circuit Court and the District Court and of certain other minor services as are not charged to the Central Fund, and that a sum not exceeding €1,600,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 23 (Land Registry and Registry of Deeds) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €38,048,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Land Registry and of the Registry of Deeds.

Vote 24 (Charitable Donations and Bequests) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €429,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Charitable Donations and Bequests Office.

Vote 25 (Environment, Heritage and Local Government) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €2,500,182,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government, including grants to Local Authorities, grants and other expenses in connection with housing, miscellaneous schemes, subsidies and grants, and that a sum not exceeding €75,601,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 26 (Education and Science) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €6,933,896,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year

bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Oideachais agus Eolaíochta, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €50,000,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 27 (An Roinn Gnóthaí Pobail, Tuaithe agus Gaeltachta) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €341,618,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnóthaí Pobail, Tuaithe agus Gaeltachta, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 28 (Gnóthaí Eachtracha) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €188,216,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnóthaí Eachtracha, agus le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, lena n-áirítear deontais-i-gcabhair, agus ranníocaí le hEagraíochtaí Idirnáisiúnta.

Vóta 29 (Comhar Idirnáisiúnta) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €470,816,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh Cúnaimh Oifigiúil Forbartha áirithe, lena n-áirítear deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe, agus le haghaidh ranníocaí d'Eagraíochtaí Idirnáisiúnta áirithe a bhaineann le Cúnamh Forbartha agus le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais i ndáil leo sin.

Vóta 30 (Cumarsáid, Muir agus Acmhainní Nádirtha) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €275,040,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005,

ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Education and Science, for certain services administered by that Office, and for the payments of certain grants and grants-in-aid, and that a sum not exceeding €50,000,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 27 (Department of Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €341,618,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs, for certain services administered by that Office, and for the payment of certain grants.

Vote 28 (Foreign Affairs) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €188,216,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Foreign Affairs, and for certain services administered by that Office, including grants-in-aid and contributions to International Organisations.

Vote 29 (International Co-operation) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €470,816,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for certain Official Development Assistance, including certain grants-in-aid, and for contributions to certain International Organisations involved in Development Assistance and for salaries and expenses in connection therewith.

Vote 30 (Communications, Marine and Natural Resources) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €275,040,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005,

le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais agus ildeontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €10,000,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 31 (Talmhaíocht agus Bia) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €976,007,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Talmhaíochta agus Bia, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus Choimisiún Talún na hÉireann agus chun deontais, fóirdheontais agus ildeontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc agus chun deontais áirithe faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta a íoc, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €17,949,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 32 (Iompar) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €2,159,715,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Iompair, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, chun deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc, agus le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe eile, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €42,700,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 33 (An Dánlann Náisiúnta) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €9,178,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Dánlainne Náisiúnta, lena n-áirítear deontais-i-gcabhair.

for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, including certain services administered by that Office, and for payment of certain grants and sundry grants-in-aid, and that a sum not exceeding €10,000,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 31 (Agriculture and Food) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €976,007,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Agriculture and Food, including certain services administered by that Office, and of the Irish Land Commission and for payment of certain grants, subsidies and sundry grants-in-aid and for the payment of certain grants under cash-limited schemes, and that a sum not exceeding €17,949,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 32 (Transport) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €2,159,715,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Transport, including certain services administered by that Office, for payment of certain grants and grants-in-aid, and certain other services, and that a sum not exceeding €42,700,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004.

Vote 33 (National Gallery) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €9,178,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the National Gallery, including grants-in-aid.

Vóta 34 (Fiontair, Trádáil agus Fostaíocht) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €1,230,570,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Fiontar, Trádála agus Fostaíochta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, chun fóirdheontais, deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta, agus go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €34,237,000 trí leithreasáí nár caitheadh agus a bhféadfar a dtabhairt suas a iarchur faoi Alt 91 den Acht Airgeadais 2004, a chur chun feidhme le haghaidh seirbhísí soláthair caipitiúla.

Vóta 35 (Ealaíona, Spóirt agus Turasóireacht) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €483,005,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Ealaíon, Spóirt agus Turasóireachta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun fóirdheontais, deontais agus deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 36 (Cosaint) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €737,982,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Cosanta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin; le haghaidh phá agus chostais Óglaigh na hÉireann; agus chun deontais-i-gcabhair áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 37 (Arm-Phinsin) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €164,392,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh pá scoir, pinsean, cúitimh, liúntas agus aiscí is iníoctha faoi reachtanna iolartha le comhaltáí d'Óglaigh na hÉireann agus d'Eagraíochtaí Míleata áirithe eile, etc., nó ina leith sin; agus le haghaidh ilranníocaí agus ilchostas i ndáil leo sin; le

Vote 34 (Enterprise, Trade and Employment) (Further Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €1,230,570,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, including certain services administered by that Office, for the payment of certain subsidies, grants and grants-in-aid, and for the payment of certain grants under cash-limited schemes, and that a sum not exceeding €34,237,000 be granted by way of the application for capital supply services of unspent appropriations, the surrender of which may be deferred under Section 91 of the Finance Act 2004."

Vote 35 (Arts, Sport and Tourism) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €483,005,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Arts, Sport and Tourism, including certain services administered by that Office, and for payment of certain subsidies, grants and grants-in-aid.

Vote 36 (Defence) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €737,982,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Defence, including certain services administered by that Office; for the pay and expenses of the Defence Forces; and for payment of certain grants-in-aid.

Vote 37 (Army Pensions) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €164,392,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for retired pay, pensions, compensation, allowances and gratuities payable under sundry statutes to or in respect of members of the Defence Forces and certain other Military Organisations, etc., and for sundry contributions and expenses in connection

haghaidh liúntas eisreachtúil áirithe leanaí agus íocaíochtaí eile agus le haghaidh ildeontas.

Vóta 38 (Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €6,533,952,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe eile atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus le haghaidh deontas áirithe lena n-áirítear deontas-igcabhair.

Vóta 39 (Sláinte agus Leanáí) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €233,418,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Sláinte agus Leanáí (lena n-áirítear Oifig an Ard-Chláraitheora), agus seirbhísí áirithe eile atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, lena n-áirítear deontais ilghnéitheacha.

Vóta 40 (Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte) (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €9,554,739,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2005, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Fheidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte agus seirbhísí áirithe eile atá faoi riaradh na Feidhmeannachta, lena n-áirítear deontais ilghnéitheacha.

therewith; for certain extra-statutory children's allowances and other payments and for sundry grants.

Vote 38 (Social and Family Affairs) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €6,533,952,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Social and Family Affairs, for certain services administered by that Office and for certain grants including a grant-in-aid.

Vote 39 (Health and Children) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €233,418,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Health and Children (including Oifig an Ard-Chláraitheora), and certain other services administered by that Office, including miscellaneous grants.

Vote 40 (Health Service Executive) (Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €9,554,739,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2005, for the salaries and expenses of the Health Service Executive and certain other services administered by the Executive, including miscellaneous grants."

— *An tAire Airgeadais.*

13. "Go ndéanfar an togra go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an Stát d'fheidhmiú an roghnaithe nó na rogha arna gcur ar fáil le hAirteagal 1.11 de Chonradh Amstardam a bheith páirteach i nglacadh an bhirt bheartaithe seo a leanas:

togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle maidir le malartú faisnéise agus le comhar i dtaca le cionta sceimhlithe-oireachta,

ar leagadh cóipeanna de ina dhréacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 16 Meitheamh, 2005, a tharchur chuig an gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan, de réir mhír (2)

That the proposal that Dáil Éireann approve the exercise by the State of the option or discretion provided by Article 1.11 of the Treaty of Amsterdam to take part in the adoption of the following proposed measure:

proposal for a Council Decision on the exchange of information and co-operation concerning terrorist offences,

copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 16th June, 2005, be referred to the Joint Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights, in accordance with paragraph (2) of the

d'Orduithe Tagartha an Choiste sin, agus go ndéanfaidh an Coiste sin, tráth nach déanaí ná an 29 Meitheamh, 2005, teachtaireacht a chur chuig an Dáil ar an modh a fhorordaítear i mBuan-Ordú 85, agus go mbeidh feidhm ag Buan-Ordú 84(2) dá réir sin.

— *Tomás Ó Ceit, Aire Stáit ag Roinn an Taoisigh.*

14. “D’ainneoin aon ní sna Buan-Orduithe, go mbeidh sé ina threoir don Choiste chun a bhféadfar an Bille um Shábháilteacht Mhuirí 2004 a chur faoi athchúrsa maidir le leasuithe áirithe, go bhfuil cumhacht aige socrú a dhéanamh sa Bhille chun foráil a dhéanamh maidir le CUID 6 NUA do mhíniú teorann forimealláí Imill Trá agus do dhéanamh forálacha iarmhartacha is gá, do leasú alt 222B den Acht Iascaigh (Comhdhlúthú) 1959 (do dhéanamh socrú maidir le hathnuachan ceadúnas báid iascaireachta mara agus d’athbhreithniú socruithe suirbhé sábháilteachta-muiracmhainneachta chun go gceadúnófar báid den sórt sin), do leasú alt 4 den Acht um Thiarnaí Talún agus Tionóntaí (Bunchíosanna) (Uimh. 2) 1978 (do chosaint léasanna ag Cuideachtaí Cuain a bhfuil feidhm ag na hAchtanna Cuanta 1996 agus 2000 maidir leo), do leasú an Achta Loingis Cheannaíochta 1947, an Achta Loingis Cheannaíochta (Deimhniúchán Mairnéalach) 1979 agus an Achta Loingis Cheannaíochta (Taismí Muirí a Imscrúdú) 2000 agus d’aisghairm forálacha d’Achtanna breise áirithe (alt 220 den *Merchant Shipping Act* 1894; iomlán an Achta um Iompar de Mhuir (Earraí Trom) 1934 agus an Achta Loingis Cheannaíochta (Cogadh Cathardha na Spáinne) 1937; alt 11 den Acht Loingis Cheannaíochta 1947; ailt 4 & 5 den Acht Loingis Cheannaíochta 1981; ailt 23 agus 24 den Acht Loingis Cheannaíochta 1992 agus alt 44(2) go (9) agus (11) den Acht Loingis Cheannaíochta (Taismí Muirí a Imscrúdú) 2000).

— *An tAire Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádirtha.*

15. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an scéim seo a leanas ina dréacht:

An Scéim um Chothromú Fiontar (Leasú), 2005,

ar leagadh cóipeanna di ina dréacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 15 Meitheamh, 2005.

Orders of Reference of that Committee, which, not later than 29th June, 2005, shall send a message to the Dáil in the manner prescribed in Standing Order 85, and Standing Order 84(2) shall accordingly apply.”

That, notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders, it be an instruction to the Committee to which the Maritime Safety Bill 2004 may be recommitted in respect of certain amendments, that it has power to make provision in the Bill to provide for a NEW PART 6 to define the outer limit of Foreshore and make necessary consequential provisions, to amend section 222B of the Fisheries (Consolidation) Act 1959 (to provide for renewal of sea-fishing boat licences and revise safety-seaworthiness survey arrangements for such boats to be licensed), to amend section 4 of the Landlord and Tenant (Ground Rents) (No. 2) Act 1978 (to protect leases by Harbour Companies to which the Harbours Acts 1996 and 2000 apply), to amend the Merchant Shipping Act 1947, Merchant Shipping (Certification of Seamen) Act 1979 and Merchant Shipping (Investigation of Marine Casualties) Act 2000 and to repeal provisions of certain additional Acts (section 220 of Merchant Shipping Act 1894; the whole of the Carriage by Sea (Heavy Articles) Act 1934 and Merchant Shipping (Spanish Civil War) Act 1937; section 11 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1947; sections 4 & 5 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1981; sections 23 and 24 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1992 and section 44(2) to (9) and (11) of the Merchant Shipping (Investigation of Marine Casualties) Act 2000).”

That Dáil Éireann approves the following scheme in draft:

Risk Equalisation (Amendment) Scheme, 2005,

copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 15th June, 2005.”

— *An Tánaiste agus an tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí.*

16. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann na Rialacháin seo a leanas ina ndrúacht:

Na Rialacháin um an Acht Árachais Sláinte 1994 (Sochar Íosta) (Leasú), 2005, ar leagadh cóipeanna díobh ina ndrúacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 15 Meitheamh, 2005.

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Regulations in draft:

Health Insurance Act 1994 (Minimum Benefit) (Amendment) Regulations, 2005, copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 15th June, 2005.”

— *An Tánaiste agus an tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí.*

17. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann na Rialacháin seo a leanas ina ndrúacht:

Na Rialacháin um an Acht Árachais Sláinte 2001 (Rollú Oscailte), 2005, ar leagadh cóipeanna díobh ina ndrúacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 15 Meitheamh, 2005.

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Regulations in draft:

Health Insurance Act 2001 (Open Enrolment) Regulations, 2005, copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 15th June, 2005.”

— *An Tánaiste agus an tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí.*

18. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe idir Rialtas na hÉireann agus Rialtas Phoblacht na Bulgáire ar chomhoibriú maidir le gáinneáil aindleathach drugaí agus réamhtheachtaithe, sciúradh airgid, coireacht eagraithe, gáinneáil ar dhaoine, sceimhlitheoireacht agus coireacht thromchúiseach eile a chomhrac a síníodh i mBaile Átha Cliath an 31 Eanáir, 2002, agus ar leagadh cóipeanna de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 21 Feabhra, 2002.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Agreement between the Government of Ireland and the Government of the Republic of Bulgaria on co-operation in combating illicit trafficking in drugs and precursors, money laundering, organised crime, trafficking in persons, terrorism and other serious crime which was signed in Dublin on 31st January, 2002, copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 21st February, 2002.”

— *An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí.*

19. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe idir Rialtas na hÉireann agus Rialtas Phoblacht na Cipire ar chomhoibriú maidir le gáinneáil aindleathach drugaí, sciúradh airgid, coireacht eagraithe, gáinneáil ar dhaoine, sceimhlitheoireacht agus coireacht thromchúiseach eile a chomhrac a síníodh i mBaile Átha Cliath an 8 Márta, 2002, agus ar leagadh cóipeanna de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 21 Márta, 2002.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Agreement between the Government of Ireland and the Government of the Republic of Cyprus on co-operation in combating illicit drug trafficking, money laundering, organised crime, trafficking in persons, terrorism and other serious crime which was signed in Dublin on 8th March, 2002, copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 21st March, 2002.”

— *An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí.*

20. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe idir Rialtas na hÉireann agus Rialtas Phoblacht na Polainne ar chomhoibriú maidir le coireacht eagraithe agus coireacht thromchúiseach eile a chomhrac, a síníodh i Vársá an 12 Bealtaine, 2001, agus ar leagadh cóipeanna de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 31 Bealtaine, 2002.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Agreement between the Government of Ireland and the Government of the Republic of Poland on co-operation in combating organised crime and other serious crime which was signed in Warsaw on 12th May, 2001, copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 31st May, 2002.”

— *An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí.*

21. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann na Rialacháin seo a leanas ina ndrúacht:

Na Rialacháin um Pleanáil agus Forbairt 2005

ar leagadh cóipeanna díobh ina ndrúacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 16 Meitheamh, 2005.

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Regulations in draft:

Planning and Development Regulations 2005,

copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 16th June, 2005.”

— *An tAire Comhshaoil, Oidhreachta agus Rialtais Áitiúil.*

22. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an Stát d’fheidhmiú an roghnaithe nó na rogha arna gcur ar fáil le hAirteagal 1.11 de Chonradh Amstardam a bheith páirteach i nglacadh an bhirt bheartaithe seo a leanas:

togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle maidir le malartú faisnéise agus le comhar i dtaca le cionta sceimhlitheoireachta,

ar beart beartaithe é ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 16 Meitheamh, 2005.

That Dáil Éireann approves the exercise by the State of the option or discretion provided by Article 1.11 of the Treaty of Amsterdam to take part in the adoption of the following proposed measure:

proposal for a Council Decision on the exchange of information and co-operation concerning terrorist offences,

a copy of which proposed measure was laid before Dáil Éireann on 16 June, 2005.”

— *An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí.*

23. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an tuarascáil ón Aire Cosanta de bhun Alt 4 den Acht Cosanta (Leasú), 1993 ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 11 Samhain, 2004.

That Dáil Éireann approves the report by the Minister for Defence pursuant to Section 4 of the Defence (Amendment) Act 1993, copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 11th November, 2004.”

— *An tAire Cosanta.*

ORDUITHE AN LAE ORDERS OF THE DAY

24. Ráitis maidir leis an gComhairle Eorpach, An Bhruiséil.
Statements on European Council, Brussels.

25. (l). An Bille um Shábháilteacht Mhuirí 2004 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
(a) Maritime Safety Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

26. (l) Bille an Gharda Síochána 2004 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
(a) Garda Síochána Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

27. An Bille um Chistí Infheistíochta, Cuideachtaí agus Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha 2005 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
Investment Funds, Companies and Miscellaneous Provisions Bill 2005 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

28. Ráitis maidir le hAthchóiriú na Náisiún Aontaithe agus Cruinniú Mullaigh an G8.
Statements on U.N. Reform and G8 Summit.

29. An Bille fán Údarás um Thástáil agus Caighdeáin do Thiománaithe 2004 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Driver Testing and Standards Authority Bill 2004 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

30. (l) An Bille Toghcháin (Leasú) 2005 — An Tuarascáil (*Leasú 1, atógáil*).
(a) Electoral (Amendment) Bill 2005 — Report (*Amendment 1, resumed*).
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31. An Bille um Chosaint Sceithirí 1999 — An Coiste.
Whistleblowers Protection Bill 1999 — Committee.
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32. An Bille um Shaoire Uchtaíoch 2004 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
Adoptive Leave Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.
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33. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil 2004 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Criminal Justice Bill 2004 — Second Stage (*resumed*).
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34. An Bille Talún 2004 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Land Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage (*resumed*).
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35. An Bille um Ghairmithe Sláinte agus Cúraim Shóisialaigh 2004 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Health and Social Care Professionals Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage (*resumed*).
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36. An Bille um Chleachtadh Tréidliachta 2004 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
Veterinary Practice Bill 2004 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.
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37. An Bille um Fhorghníomhú Pianbhreitheanna a Aistriú 2003 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
Transfer of Execution of Sentences Bill 2003 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.
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38. Bille na bPaitinní (Leasú) 1999 — An Coiste.
Patents (Amendment) Bill 1999 — Committee.
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39. (l) . An Bille um Shábháilteacht Iarnróid 2001 — Ordú don Tuarascáil.
(a) Railway Safety Bill 2001 — Order for Report.
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40. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2004] (*Tairiscint 2, atógáil*).
Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2004] (*Motion 2, resumed*).
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Tairiscint (atógáil):

Motion (resumed):

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| <p>41. “Go ndéanann Dáil Éireann, de bhun Bhuain-Ordú 63A,</p> | <p>That Dáil Éireann, pursuant to Standing Order 63A,</p> |
| <p>1. Á thabhairt dá haire an fhaisnéis seo a leanas ón Aire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí:</p> <p>(a) go ndearna an Garda Síochána, i mí Lúnasa 2001, ar fhaisnéis a fháil ó Interpol ar faisnéis í a fuair <i>The United States Postal Inspection Service</i> le linn cuardaigh ar áitreabh in Fort Worth, Texas, a bhain le mionsonraí</p> | <p>1. Noting the following information from the Minister for Justice, Equality and Law Reform:</p> <p>(a) that the Garda Síochána in August 2001, on receipt of information from Interpol obtained by the United States Postal Inspection Service during a search of premises in Fort Worth, Texas, concerning details of</p> |

custaiméirí líomhnaithe cuideachta a raibh rochtain á tairiscint aici ar shuímh idirlín pornagrafaíochta leanaí, tús a chur le hoibríocht i ndáil le daoine ón dlínse seo a líomhnaíodh a bheith aitheanta amhlaidh,

- (b) go raibh san áireamh sna mionsonraí sin ainmneacha, pasfhocail agus mionsonraí cárta creidmheasa agus cárta muirir daoine áirithe,
- (c) go raibh duine darb ainm *Brian Curtin*, 35 *Ashe Street, Tralee, Co. Kerry*, ar dhuine de na daoine ón dlínse seo a ainmníodh amhlaidh agus gur léirigh fiosrúcháin dá éis sin gurbh é *Brian Curtin*, Breitheamh den Chúirt Chuarda, agus seoladh tí cónaithe 24 Ard na Lí, Trá Lí, Co. Chiarraí aige, an duine sin,
- (d) go ndearna an Chúirt Dúiche barántas chun teach cónaithe an Bhreithimh Curtin a chuardach faoi alt 7 den Acht um Gháinneáil ar Leanaí agus Pornagrafaíocht Leanaí 1998 a eisiúint de bhun iarratais ó chomhalta den Gharda Síochána an 20 Bealtaine 2002,
- (e) go ndearnadh cuardach ar theach cónaithe an Bhreithimh Curtin dá éis sin de bhun an bharántais sin agus gur ghlac Gardaí seilbh ar ríomhaire pearsanta agus ar ábhar eile le linn an chuardaigh,
- (f) gur chuir údaráis an Gharda comhad imscrúdaithe faoi bhráid an Stiúrthóra Ionchúiseamh Poiblí i mí Dheireadh Fómhair 2002, agus gur threoraigh an Stiúrthóir Ionchúiseamh Poiblí go ndéanfaí an Breitheamh Curtin a ionchúiseamh as pornagrafaíocht leanaí a bheith ina sheilbh go feasach contrártha d'alt 6 den Acht um Gháinneáil ar Leanaí agus Pornagrafaíocht Leanaí 1998,
- (g) gur thosaigh triail an chúisimh sin an 20 Aibreán 2004 i gCúirt Chuarda Thrá Lí agus go bhfuarthas an Breitheamh Curtin neamhchiontach sa chúiseamh sin an 23 Aibreán 2004 gan fianaise a bheith tugtha i ndáil le hábhar an chúisimh, tar éis don Chúirt Chuarda Choiriúil a chinneadh go raibh an barántas sin a

alleged customers of a company offering access to child pornography websites, commenced an operation in relation to persons allegedly so identified from this jurisdiction,

- (b) that these details included the names, passwords and credit card and charge card details of certain persons,
- (c) that one of the persons from this jurisdiction so named was a *Brian Curtin*, 35 *Ashe Street, Tralee, Co. Kerry*, and that subsequent enquiries indicated that this person was *Brian Curtin*, Judge of the Circuit Court, with a home address of 24 *Ard na Lí, Tralee, Co Kerry*,
- (d) that a warrant to search Judge Curtin's home under section 7 of the *Child Trafficking and Pornography Act 1998* issued from the District Court on foot of an application by a member of the *Garda Síochána* on 20 May 2002,
- (e) that Judge Curtin's home was subsequently searched on foot of the said warrant and that Gardaí took possession of a personal computer and other material during the search,
- (f) that an investigation file was submitted to the Director of Public Prosecutions by the Garda authorities in October 2002 and that the Director of Public Prosecutions instructed that Judge Curtin be prosecuted for knowingly having in his possession child pornography contrary to section 6 of the *Child Trafficking and Pornography Act 1998*,
- (g) that the trial of the said charge commenced on 20 April 2004 at *Tralee Circuit Court* and that on 23 April 2004 Judge Curtin was found not guilty of that charge without evidence being given in relation to the subject matter of the charge, the *Circuit Criminal Court* having determined that the aforesaid

dúradh imithe in éag nuair a forghníomhaíodh é i dteach cónaithe an Bhreithimh Curtin.

warrant was spent when executed at the home of Judge Curtin.

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2. A éileamh go ndéanfar, de bhun Airteagal 35.4 den Bhunreacht agus alt 39 den Acht Cúirteanna Breithiúnais 1924, an tOnórach an Breitheamh Brian Curtin, Breitheamh den Chúirt Chuarda, a chur as oifig de dheasca mí-iompair a luafar, arb é atá i gceist ann a chuid iompair maidir le síntiús a thabhairt do shuímh idirlín ar a raibh íomhánna pornagrafaíochta leanaí, rochtain a fháil ar na suímh sin agus na suímh sin a úsáid agus i ndáil leis na nithe sin agus é féin a fhágáil mí-oiriúnach dá dheasca sin chun oifig Breithimh den Chúirt Chuarda a fheidhmiú.

2. Calls for the removal, pursuant to Article 35.4 of the Constitution and section 39 of the Courts of Justice Act 1924, of His Honour Judge Brian Curtin, Judge of the Circuit Court, from office for stated misbehaviour, being his conduct in and in relation to subscribing to, accessing and use of websites containing child pornographic images and thereby rendering himself unsuitable to exercise the office of a Judge of the Circuit Court.”

— *An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí.*

42. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2003] (*Tairiscint 5, atógáil*).
Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2003] (*Motion 5, resumed*).

43. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2002] (*Tairiscint 11, atógáil*).
Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2002] (*Motion 11, resumed*).

44. Ráitis faoin Tuarascáil maidir le Saincheisteanna Áirithe Bainistíochta agus Riaracháin sa Roinn Sláinte agus Leanaí a bhaineann leis an gcleachtas i dtaobh táillí do dhaoine i gcúram fadchónaí i bhForais Boird Sláinte agus le nithe gaolmhara (*atógáil*).

Statements on the Report on Certain Issues of Management and Administration in the Department of Health and Children associated with the practice of charges for persons in long-stay care in Health Board Institutions and related matters (*resumed*).

GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS.

Gnó a ordáíodh:
Business ordered:

45. An Bille um Misin Síochána Idirnáisiúnta 2003 — An Dara Céim.
International Peace Missions Bill 2003 — Second Stage.
— *Gay Mitchell and Dinny McGinley.*

46. Bille an tSamáraigh Mhaith 2005 — An Dara Céim.
Good Samaritan Bill 2005 — Second Stage.
— *Billy Timmins.*

47. An Bille um Gháinneáil ar Leanaí agus Pornagrafaíocht Leanaí (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2004 — An Dara Céim.
Child Trafficking and Pornography (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2004 — Second Stage.
— *Jim O’Keeffe.*

48. An Bille chun Mangairí Ticéad a Thoirmeasc 2005 — An Dara Céim.
Prohibition of Ticket Touts Bill 2005 — Second Stage. — *Jimmy Deenihan.*
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49. An Bille Fíneálacha 2004 — An Dara Céim.
Fines Bill 2004 — Second Stage. — *Jim O’Keeffe.*
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50. An Bille um Bainistiú Dramhaíola (Leasú) 2003 — An Dara Céim.
Waste Management (Amendment) Bill 2003 — Second Stage. — *Arthur Morgan.*
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51. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) (Uimh. 3) 2004 — An Dara Céim.
Planning and Development (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill 2004 — Second Stage. — *Eamon Gilmore.*
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52. An Bille um Thoghcháin Áitiúla 2003 — An Dara Céim.
Local Elections Bill 2003 — Second Stage. — *Eamon Gilmore.*
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53. An Bille um Atáirgeadh Daonna 2003 — An Dara Céim.
Human Reproduction Bill 2003 — Second Stage. — *Mary Upton.*
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54. An Bille um Chlárú Brústocairí 2003 — An Dara Céim.
Registration of Lobbyists Bill 2003 — Second Stage. — *Pat Rabbitte.*
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55. An Bille Cosanta (Leasú) 2005 — An Dara Céim.
Defence (Amendment) Bill 2005 — Second Stage. — *Billy Timmins.*
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Fógraí Tairisceana:
Notices of Motions:

56. “That Dáil Éireann,
- conscious of the widespread and justified public disquiet at the findings of the First and Second Reports of the Tribunal of Inquiry into complaints concerning some Gardaí of the Donegal Division;
 - appreciative of the work of Mr. Justice Morris and of the significance of his recommendations for the future operation of the Garda Síochána;
 - noting in particular the Tribunal’s findings:
 - of appalling management of the Garda Síochána coupled with the manipulation of facts and circumstances in order to present to Garda Headquarters, and to the world at large, an untruthful appearance of honesty and integrity in the Donegal Garda Division;
 - that the scandalous situation detailed in its Second Report was caused by a combination of gross negligence at senior level within the Garda Síochána, amounting to the criminal negligence standard in law, and a lack of objectivity and corruption at lower levels within the Force;
 - that, if there was a lack of proper management at senior level, corruption at middle level and a lack of review throughout the Force, then similar such situations could occur again; and

- that there will be no possibility of progress for the Garda Síochána until the infighting between officers, the failure of Gardaí to account immediately and truthfully for their duties and the consequent effect on good morale are all fully addressed and there is in place an authority which is empowered to react;
- conscious of the recommendation of the Tribunal that, at a minimum, the provisions of the Garda Síochána Bill 2004 should be reviewed by the Oireachtas so as to satisfy the legitimate disquiet arising from the lack of any independent body to receive legitimate concerns about Garda behaviour;
- aware of the need for fundamental structural reforms to ensure a policing service that is both democratically accountable and compliant with the rule of law; and
- convinced of the need for systematic independent examination and review of the structures and procedures of policing in the State and of the governing legislation, with a view to recommendations for reform;

calls on the Government to establish an independent commission to inquire into policing in Ireland, with the following terms of reference:

- (1) To consult widely, with both members of the general public, public bodies and non-governmental organisations and, on the basis of its findings, to bring forward proposals for future policing structures and arrangements, with particular regard to the need to ensure that:
 - (a) policing arrangements are such that the State has a police service that can enjoy widespread support from, and is seen as an integral part of, the community as a whole;
 - (b) the Garda Síochána is structured, managed and resourced so that it can be effective in discharging its full range of functions, including structured co-operation with other police forces;
 - (c) the education and training of members of the Garda Síochána is of the highest order;
 - (d) there is a transparent and impartial mechanism for promotions and appointments at all levels of the service;
 - (e) the police service is delivered in constructive and inclusive partnerships with the community at all levels;
 - (f) the legislative and constitutional framework requires the impartial discharge of policing functions and conforms with internationally accepted norms in relation to policing standards; and
 - (g) the Garda Síochána operates within a clear framework of accountability to the law and the community it serves, so that:
 - (i) it is constrained by, accountable to and acts only within the law;
 - (ii) its powers and procedures, like the law it enforces, are clearly established and publicly available;
 - (iii) there are open, accessible and independent means of investigating and adjudicating upon complaints against its members;
 - (iv) there are clearly established arrangements enabling local communities, and their political representatives, to articulate their views and concerns about policing and to establish publicly policing priorities and influence policing policies, subject to safeguards to ensure police impartiality and freedom from partisan political control;

- (v) there are arrangements for accountability and for the effective, efficient and economic use of resources in achieving policing objectives; and
 - (vi) there are means to ensure independent professional scrutiny and inspection of the police service to ensure that proper professional standards are maintained.
- (2) To complete its consultations and deliberations and to report its findings and recommendations to the Houses of the Oireachtas in as efficient and economical a manner as possible and at the earliest possible date consistent with a fair examination of the matters referred to it and, in any event, no later than 18 months from the date of its establishment.” — *Pat Rabbitte, Joe Costello, Liz McManus, Emmet Stagg, Joan Burton, Thomas P. Broughan, Eamon Gilmore, Michael D. Higgins, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Breeda Moynihan-Cronin, Brian O’Shea, Jan O’Sullivan, Seamus Pattison, Willie Penrose, Ruairi Quinn, Seán Ryan, Joe Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.*

[17 June, 2005]

57. “That Dáil Éireann:

- notes the following matters of grave concern:
 - the decision not to introduce a carbon tax to help reduce Ireland’s greenhouse gas emissions;
 - the announcement that the EU has approved the sale of genetically modified seeds;
 - the long delayed opening of the second Luas line which was repeatedly deferred and the non-event that was car-free day;
 - the Government’s ‘persistent, widespread and serious’ failure to comply with EU Waste Law according to the European Court’s Advocate General;
 - that 350 acres of the best land in Ireland is being lost to a mega-dump at Tooman in Fingal only a few miles from the largest existing dump in Ireland and that the Government proposes to ignore the opposition of Dublin City Council to the incinerator at Ringsend;
 - the continued breach at Sellafeld for 27 years of a breach of planning permission related to cancer-causing pollution;
 - the Government’s gross negligence in failing to dealing with the toxic waste at Haulbowline Island in Cork harbour which constitutes the most serious environmental hazard facing the region;
 - the consolidation of power into the hands of the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government by the National Monuments (Amendment) Act 2004 which allows him to act as judge, jury and executioner of our heritage;
 - the continuing expense of the various Tribunals which have become a ‘grave train’ for many;
 - the spectacular failure of the Government’s policy on social and affordable housing which has not seen one house built nor planning permission applied for;
 - the study ‘Statement on Prices and Costs’, by the National Competitiveness Council (NCC) which concluded that the Irish pay more for food and rent than consumers in any other euro zone country;
 - the publication of a Disability Bill in which the much heralded rights are minimal and the finances unclear;

- the continued targeting of young people by alcohol distributors and the lack of action to tackle binge drinking and other alcohol related problems in society;
- almost one third of primary school children in disadvantaged areas suffer from severe literacy problems;
- the spiralling rates of obesity resulting from unhealthy eating habits and lack of exercise;
- the deteriorating situation in Iraq where it is clear that the interim Government, propped up by occupying forces, cannot establish any kind of democratic structures;
- the failure of the Sudanese Government to stop atrocities in the Darfur region;
- calls on the Government to:
 - ensure that the incoming Minister for Finance's first act is to reverse Minister McCreevy's decision not to introduce a carbon tax;
 - urgently seek GM-free status for the island of Ireland as a whole;
 - put a plan in place to connect the two Luas rail lines across Dublin city centre and to properly support and promote the 2005 car-free day so that the citizens of our cities can see a practical example of the alternatives to reliance on the private car;
 - bring forward proposals for waste reduction as well as improving our recycling rates which are currently only one-third of the rate in many European countries;
 - demand the immediate suspension of operations at the Thorp plant at Sellafield to prevent the carcinogenic pollution from emissions;
 - allow the Public Accounts Committee to investigate the €30 million cost of the environmental clean-up of Haulbowline to the Irish tax-payer, how and why this cost was allowed to increase, and why toxic and hazardous materials still remain on the island;
 - ensure that the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government uses his new powers to see that the impact of new developments on our heritage is minimised;
 - introduce more sensible legal fees for Tribunals with immediate effect, rather than waiting up to two years;
 - restore the Part V provisions for social housing in the Planning and Development Act 2000, providing 10,000 social housing units per year until waiting lists are cleared;
 - urgently curb costs in this country, especially before the maturing SSIA's apply further pressures on the economy;
 - radically redraft the Disability Bill to recognise that people with disabilities have the same civil and human rights as others;
 - expedite the Alcohol Products Bill to curb alcohol advertising;
 - guarantee the National Education Welfare Board the necessary funding to tackle the unacceptably high levels of non-attendance revealed in the preliminary findings of the national audit of non-attendance;
 - launch interdepartmental initiatives to ensure proper physical education in schools, safe cycle routes and promote healthier foods;

- work through the United Nations to try to establish a ceasefire in Iraq with a timetable for the withdrawal of occupying forces and the establishment of democratic structures free from foreign influence; and
- seek the widening of the mandate of African Union peacekeeping forces in Darfur to allow them to ensure the safety of civilians as a priority and the delivery of badly needed aid.” — *Trevor Sargent, John Gormley, Dan Boyle, Ciarán Cuffe, Eamon Ryan, Paul Gogarty.* [28 September, 2004]

58. “That Dáil Éireann calls on the Minister for Education and Science to reverse his decision to close St. Catherine’s College of Home Economics, Sion Hill, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.” — *Eamon Gilmore, Pat Rabbitte, Michael D. Higgins, Liz McManus, Emmet Stagg, Thomas P. Broughan, Joan Burton, Joe Costello, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Breeda Moynihan-Cronin, Jan O’Sullivan, Brian O’Shea, Seamus Pattison, Willie Penrose, Ruairi Quinn, Seán Ryan, Joe Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.* [29 September, 2004]

59. “That Dáil Éireann:

- welcomes the publication in April, 2004 of the Ninth Progress Report of the All-Party Oireachtas Committee on the Constitution, on private property;
- notes the description by the Tánaiste in this House on the 8th April of the report as an excellent and her hope that it would be acted upon quickly;
- endorses the conclusions of that committee that constitutional change is not necessary before a reform of the existing system of compulsory purchase and acquisition of land is attempted and that statutory provision for the compulsory acquisition of land required for development by local authorities at existing use values plus 25% would not be found to be unconstitutional; and
- calls on the Government to prepare proposals for legislation accordingly.” — *Eamon Gilmore, Pat Rabbitte, Emmet Stagg, Liz McManus, Thomas P. Broughan, Joan Burton, Joe Costello, Michael D. Higgins, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Breeda Moynihan-Cronin, Brian O’Shea, Jan O’Sullivan, Seamus Pattison, Willie Penrose, Ruairi Quinn, Seán Ryan, Joe Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.* [19 October, 2004]

60. “That Dáil Éireann,

- noting the serious backlog in Irish broadband infrastructure identified by international indices like the D.S.L. (Digital Subscriber Line) Forum and the O.E.C.D.;
- concerned by the alarming number of households and businesses whose phone lines fail the quality test indicator and disturbing reports of falling investment by the incumbent network operator;
- aware of the significant market power enjoyed by a small number of telecoms companies;
- worried by the total lack of a coherent national plan for broadband enablement, the lack of urgency given by this government to the programmes of e-government and e-learning and the failure to promote e-inclusion for all regions and income groups in Ireland; and
- believing that it is critically important for the Irish economy and society to regain it’s leading world role in I.C.T. and broadband communications;

calls on the Government to:

- set out a clear national policy and urgent timeframe for the national broadband communications network;
- quickly address logjams in first mile infrastructure and local loop unbundling;
- greatly strengthen the resources, regulatory powers and sanctions of Comreg to prevent market and regulatory failure; and
- implement the key recommendations of the all party Second Report of the Joint Committee on Communications, Marine and Natural Resources on the ‘Provision of A National High Speed Broadband Infrastructure’.” — *Thomas P. Broughan, Pat Rabbitte, Liz McManus, Emmet Stagg, Joan Burton, Joe Costello, Eamon Gilmore, Michael D. Higgins, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Breeda Moynihan-Cronin, Brian O’Shea, Jan O’Sullivan, Seamus Pattison, Willie Penrose, Ruairi Quinn, Seán Ryan, Joe Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.*

[9 November, 2004]

61. “That Dáil Éireann,

recognising the:

- infrastructural needs of the country generally;
- considerable financial assistance available through E.U. funding;
- urgency of implementing the National Development Plan; and
- ongoing failure of implementing in full the B.M.W. element of the National Development Plan.

calls on the Government to:

- allocate whatever resources are required to implement the B.M.W. element of the National Development Plan;
- undertake immediate assessment of the reasons for the lack of implementation in full of the B.M.W. element of the National Development Plan;
- ensure that any existing allocation of funds to the B.M.W. region will not be lost or reallocated to any other region; and
- ensure that any additional expenditure committed to under the National Development Plan will be allocated between the B.M.W. and south and east regions in a balanced way to reflect the Government’s commitment to a balanced regional development policy.” — *Beverley Cooper-Flynn.*

[9 November, 2004]

62. “That Dáil Éireann,

- recognising the importance of Bewley’s cafés to the social, economic and cultural life of Dublin City;
- cognisant of the State’s role in the operation of the Great Southern Hotels Group and Restaurant Na Mara in Dún Laoghaire; and recognising the role of the National Trust in securing the future of the Crown Bar in Belfast;
- acknowledging the historical significance of the cafés in the literary and historic life of the capital and its importance as a theatrical venue;
- noting that the premises at Westmoreland Street and Grafton Street are protected structures and worthy of protection in the Dublin City development plan;

- recognising the need to facilitate continued public access and viewing of the artistic excellence of the stained glass windows created by the late Harry Clarke;
- acknowledging the emphasis that the Bewley family placed on the sourcing of fresh foods directly from farms and producers; and

calls on the Taoiseach, the Minister for Arts, Sports and Tourism and the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, to intercede and purchase the leases, freehold and furnishings of the cafés, and subsequently either franchise the cafés out to an operator who will uphold and continue the tradition of hospitality and excellence that the cafés offer to Dubliners, Irish people and visitors from abroad or alternatively use the Bewley's premises to promote the history and cultural life of Dublin as well as retaining a partial café function and thereby safeguard this important cultural institution.” — *Trevor Sargent, John Gormley, Dan Boyle, Ciarán Cuffe, Eamon Ryan, Paul Gogarty.*

[30 November, 2004]

63. “That Dáil Éireann, conscious of the inexcusable delay in the consideration in select committee of the Whistleblowers Protection Bill 1999, which was introduced on the 24th March, 1999, given a second reading and referred to the Select Committee on Enterprise and Small Business on the 16th June, 1999, lapsed on the dissolution of the 28th Dáil and was the subject of a resolution of the 18th June, 2002, restoring it to the Order Paper,

Resolves that, notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders—

- (1) the Order of the Dáil of the 18th June, 2002, to the extent that it orders that the Whistleblowers Protection Bill 1999 be considered in Committee of the whole Dáil, be discharged and that the Bill be referred to the Select Committee on Enterprise and Small Business pursuant to Standing Order 112 and paragraph (1) (a) (i) of the Committee's Orders of Reference,
- (2) that it be an Instruction to the Select Committee that proceedings on the Bill be commenced as the next immediate item of business of the Committee and be progressed with all due expedition and that, immediately after the conclusion of those proceedings, the Committee shall, in accordance with Standing Order 85, send a message to the Dáil in relation to the completion of its consideration of the Bill: Provided that, if those proceedings are not earlier concluded, the Select Committee shall report back to the Dáil its progress on those proceedings on the 1st day of March, 2005.” — *Pat Rabbitte, Michael D. Higgins, Liz McManus, Emmet Stagg, Thomas P. Broughan, Joan Burton, Joe Costello, Eamon Gilmore, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Breeda Moynihan-Cronin, Jan O'Sullivan, Brian O'Shea, Seamus Pattison, Willie Penrose, Ruairi Quinn, Seán Ryan, Joe Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.*

[3 December, 2004]

64. “That Dáil Éireann,

notes the recent examples of the Government's appalling incompetence across many areas including the:

- complete lack of urgency regarding climate change, the greatest crisis facing our planet, including the uncertainty which the Government has allowed to develop over the future role of wind and other renewable energy technologies at a time when it is imperative that we reduce greenhouse gas emissions;
- legal action being taken by the EU Commission against the Government for eight breaches of environmental law;
- continuing indecision on major public transport projects such as the Dublin Metro while at the same time trying to shift the blame for delays onto environmental groups;

- increases in rail and bus fares at a time when we need more than ever to encourage people to switch to public transport;
- plan to increase the capacity of the M50 in the knowledge that the widened motorway will be congested from the day it opens and with air pollution levels already exceeding EU limits in places along the route;
- insistence on driving the M3 by the Hill of Tara through one of the richest areas of heritage sites in the country;
- end of the Tánaiste's honeymoon period in the Department of Health and Children being marked by record numbers on trolleys in Accident and Emergency departments;
- closure of Smurfit's Paper Mills, being the latest blow to recycling infrastructure in Ireland following on the closure of the Irish Glass Bottle Company in Ringsend;
- legal problems and nationwide inconsistencies with waste charge waivers;
- ongoing failure of Government to require energy efficiency standards at least in line with the EU Directive on Energy Performance of Buildings;
- escalating cost of childcare now consuming 20% of earnings compared to an EU average of 12%;
- rejection by the Minister for Education and Science of plans to reform the senior cycle on cost grounds without ever having carried out an analysis of such costs;
- proposal for electronic tagging as a lazy alternative to imprisonment while the probation service goes under-resourced;
- closure of Media Lab, the centrepiece of the Government's Digital Hub initiative, after €35m of public money was pumped into it;
- closure of Carlow sugar factory with the loss of over 300 jobs and the loss of over 1,000 jobs around the country in the first 3 weeks of 2005; and

calls on the Government to:

- act urgently to reduce Ireland's dependence on fossil fuels for 87% of its energy needs by investing in alternative energy sources;
- provide the resources necessary to allow the EPA to efficiently do its job of protecting our environment;
- proceed speedily with the Dublin Metro, the Western Rail Corridor and other public transport projects which provide the only long term solutions to the country's transport problems;
- reverse the increases in rail and bus fares and to subsidise public transport to make it more attractive to motorists;
- ensure that tolling of roads is used to manage traffic properly rather than to make obscene amounts of money for private companies;
- seriously consider alternative plans to cater for traffic using the N3 such as link roads to the existing M1;
- properly fund and staff the primary health care strategy launched over three years ago and deliver on the 3,000 beds promised in the Government's health strategy;
- invest in recycling enterprises not incinerators and properly monitor what happens waste exported for recycling outside this country to ensure that it is not simply going to landfill;
- increase social welfare with a special waste allowance of €5 to €7 per week;

- implement the EU Directive on Energy Performance of Buildings by the target date of January 2006 without seeking any derogations;
- belatedly make provision for childcare which was ignored in the December Budget;
- move without delay towards costing a continuous assessment programme at senior cycle that moves towards a new curriculum that caters for the needs of existing students, encourages creativity and independent learning and positions us for the economic challenges that lie ahead;
- properly resource the probation service so that community service schemes can be used more widely as a far more constructive solution than prison or tagging;
- investigate how the money pumped into Media Lab was spent and the seemingly large expenditure on consultants involved in the development of the Digital Hub; and
- convert the Carlow sugar factory to the production of ethanol for transport fuel.”
— *Trevor Sargent, John Gormley, Dan Boyle, Ciarán Cuffe, Eamon Ryan, Paul Gogarty.*

[26 January, 2005]

65. “That Dáil Éireann:

notes the following:

- acknowledgement by Government of the significant underspend in the E.S.I.O.P. under the N.D.P. in the B.M.W. region;
- that additional monies over and above the N.D.P. have been spent in the South and East region without a proportionate amount being spent in the B.M.W. region;
- the inadequate infrastructure in the B.M.W. region has serious social and economic consequences in the areas of tourism, employment and business development;
- the apparent change of emphasis by Government from the two region approach for investment to focusing on the National Spatial Strategy; and
- that a new ten year transport plan is about to be launched,

calls on the Government to address the regional imbalance in investment in the B.M.W. region by announcing under the ten year public transport plan a commitment to ring fence €365 million in the first five years of the plan to introduce modern passenger and freight services on the Western Rail Corridor, and

notes that the Western Rail Corridor Project:

- represents a flagship project for the region connecting 18 towns on the Western Rail Corridor to a further 20 towns, served by existing mainline rail services in the West of Ireland;
- it is completely compatible with the National Spatial Strategy;
- it connects 3 gateways Sligo, Galway and Limerick and four hub towns Ballina, Castlebar, Tuam and Ennis;
- it can be completed within a five year period;
- it is the only North-South railway line in the region, as it intersects the 4 existing east west radial routes from Dublin to: Sligo, Mayo, Galway and Limerick;
- it has the potential to develop freight business and reduce the level of expenditure on road maintenance, accident costs and congestion; and
- it has huge benefits in the areas of public transport, business development and tourism.” — *Beverley Cooper-Flynn.*

[23 March, 2005]

66. “That Dáil Éireann:

notes that,

- Irish primary schools have the second highest class sizes in the European Union;
- no improvements in mainstream class sizes have been made in the past three years;
- additional teachers are also urgently required to meet the needs of pupils with special educational needs and the needs of pupils from disadvantaged communities; and
- supports the campaign being led by the INTO with the support of local school communities to secure improved staffing levels for our primary schools so that primary classes are reduced to European norms in accordance with best practice, as promised in the Programme for Government, 2002-2007; and
- calls on the Government to allocate increased resources for primary education, including specifically a reduction in primary class size, as a matter of national importance that warrants immediate action.” — *Paul Gogarty, Trevor Sargent, John Gormley, Dan Boyle, Eamon Ryan, Ciarán Cuffe.* [23 March, 2005]

67. “That Dáil Éireann:

- noting that the average class size at primary level in Ireland is higher than the OECD average and amongst the highest in the European Union;
- acknowledging that smaller classes make a real difference to children’s education, and are particularly important for younger children to ensure that they begin their primary schooling on the right foot and avoid educational difficulties later;
- noting that educational disadvantage continues to be a considerable problem throughout the education system as a whole, and that each year more than 1,000 children fail to make the transition from primary to secondary school; and
- concerned that many children within the education system are not reaching their educational potential due to overcrowding, the lack of basic facilities and the lack of action in challenging educational disadvantage;

calls on the Government to:

- ensure that average class sizes are reduced at primary level, particularly in junior classes where at present 80% of children are in classes greater than 20;
- recognise that class sizes in schools designated as disadvantaged should be further reduced, to give children at risk of educational disadvantage the best opportunities for learning and developing through education;
- take immediate action to tackle early school leaving to ensure that all children complete primary schooling and continue on to second level, and publish in full the recent reports on educational disadvantage that have been received by the Department of Education and Science; and
- ensure that all children benefit from the use of the most up-to-date and appropriate teaching methods, and that each child’s educational potential is tapped fully and supported through the best possible teaching methods.” — *Olwyn Enright, Enda Kenny, Richard Bruton, Bernard Allen, Pat Breen, Paul Connaughton, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Padraic McCormack, Dinny McGinley, Paul McGrath, Gay Mitchell, Olivia Mitchell, Gerard Murphy, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Fergus O’Dowd, Jim O’Keeffe, John Perry, Michael Ring, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Liam Twomey.* [12 April, 2005]

68. “That Dáil Éireann:

notes the following matters of grave concern,

- approximately half a million tons of waste has been illegally dumped in County Wicklow;
- a new housing estate has been built within 20 metres of one of the illegal landfills;

condemns the Government for its failure to deal with the issue of illegal waste; and

calls on the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government to issue a general direction, as per section 60 of the Waste Management Act 1996, to the relevant authorities to have the illegally dumped waste immediately removed at:

- the site known as O’Reillys, Whitestown, Stratford on Slaney, County Wicklow;
- the Roadstone Lands at Blessington, County Wicklow; and
- any other known areas.” — *Billy Timmins, Enda Kenny, Richard Bruton, Bernard Allen, Pat Breen, Paul Connaughton, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Paul McGrath, Gay Mitchell, Olivia Mitchell, Gerard Murphy, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Fergus O’Dowd, Jim O’Keeffe, John Perry, Michael Ring, David Stanton, Liam Twomey.*

[20 April, 2005]

69. “That Dáil Éireann:

- recognising the potential of Knock International Airport as a major contributor to regional development in the West;
- recognising that Knock Airport can significantly influence the attraction of indigenous and inward investment;
- recognising that Knock Airport is an integral part of the National Spatial Strategy with a catchment area comprising the Gateways of Sligo and Galway and the hub centres of Ballina, Castlebar and Tuam;
- recognising the key role of Knock Airport as a generator of inward tourism traffic;
- recognising the inadequate level of funding of Knock Airport; and

calls on the Government to:

- confirm the primacy of Knock Airport as the international access point of the B.M.W region;
- confirm the need to build on the potential of Knock Airport in creating employment and investment opportunities;
- confirm a commitment to meaningful and realistic support for the Airport; and
- develop new mechanisms for the funding of regional airports to take account of their vital role in regional development.” — *Beverley Cooper-Flynn.*

[24 May, 2005]

70. “That Dáil Éireann:

acknowledges the,

- central role of the postal services in the social and economic life of the country;
- commitment of the post office, collection and distribution services since the foundation of the State;

- ongoing need for the provision of a modern, efficient and competitive postal service through An Post, in keeping with the demands and requirements of the domestic and industrial consumer;
- potential value of the broadly based network of post offices, sub-post offices and staff; and
- need for the necessary legislative or management decisions required to facilitate the provision of postal, packaging and transmission services in the future;

calls on the Government to:

- address the poor labour relations situation within An Post which has caused unease and distrust in the workforce and clarify the circumstances whereby salary or pension payments or increases, due or anticipated, have not been met;
- create the climate to facilitate the retention of the post office network including sub-post offices and the provision of a modern, competitive, efficient postal service in-line with the increasing needs of the consumer;
- recognise the existence of a public service obligation;
- provide for the modernisation of the collection, distribution and counter services using modern technology;
- facilitate the development and extension of a wide range of compatible services through the post offices; and
- encourage all Government Departments, including the Department of Social and Family Affairs to use the services of An Post for payments or other financial transactions or transmissions.” — *Bernard J. Durkan, Enda Kenny, Richard Bruton, Bernard Allen, Pat Breen, Paul Connaughton, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Padraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Paul McGrath, Gay Mitchell, Olivia Mitchell, Gerard Murphy, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Fergus O’Dowd, Jim O’Keeffe, John Perry, Michael Ring, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Liam Twomey.*

[25 May, 2005]

71. An Dáil a chur ar athló.
Adjournment of the Dáil.

BILLÍ I ROGHCHOISTÍ, I gCOISTÍ SPEISIALTA NÓ I gCOMHCHOISTÍ
BILLS IN SELECT, SPECIAL OR JOINT COMMITTEES

An Bille um an Oifig Náisiúnta d’Fhorbairt Eacnamaíoch agus Shóisialach 2002 — An Roghchoiste um Airgeadas agus an tSeirbhís Phoiblí.
National Economic and Social Development Office Bill 2002 — Select Committee on Finance and the Public Service.

An Bille um an gCúirt Choiriúil Idirnáisiúnta 2003 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.
International Criminal Court Bill 2003 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women’s Rights.

An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2005 — An Roghchoiste um Chomhshaol agus Rialtas Áitiúil.
Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2005 — Select Committee on the Environment and Local Government.

- (l) An Bille um Thruaillíú na Farraiige (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha) 2003 [*Seanad*] — An Roghchoiste um Chumarsáid, Muir agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha.
- (a) Sea Pollution (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2003 [*Seanad*] — Select Committee on Communications, Marine and Natural Resources.

An Bille um Sheirbhísí Uisce 2003 [*Seanad*] — An Roghchoiste um Chomhshaol agus Rialtas Áitiúil.
Water Services Bill 2003 [*Seanad*] — Select Committee on the Environment and Local Government.

**TEACHTAIREACHTAÍ ÓN RIALTAS
MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNMENT**

An Bille Aerloingseoireachta agus Aeriompair (Slánaíochtaí) 2005.
Air Navigation and Transport (Indemnities) Bill 2005.

For the purpose of Article 17.2 of the Constitution, the Government recommend that it is expedient to authorise such payments out of moneys provided by the Oireachtas as are necessary to give effect to any Act of the present session to make provision for the granting of indemnities to air navigation undertakings by the Minister for Transport and to make provision for matters related thereto.

Given on this 20th day of June, 2005

(*Signed*) Bertie Ahern,
Taoiseach.

MEMORANDA

*Dé Máirt, 21 Meitheamh, 2005
Tuesday, 21st June, 2005*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 11 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 11 a.m.

*Dé Céadaoin, 22 Meitheamh, 2005
Wednesday, 22nd June, 2005*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhiontraíocht agus Mionghnóthaí i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Enterprise and Small Business in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
Meeting of the Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Chomhar Forbartha den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 12 meán lae.
Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Development Co-operation of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 12 noon.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol agus Rialtas Áitiúil i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 2.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Environment and Local Government in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 2.30 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Muir agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 3 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Marine and Natural Resources in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 3 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Airgeadas agus an tSeirbhís Phoiblí i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 3 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Finance and the Public Service in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 3 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Ealaíon, Spóirt, Turasóireachta, Pobail, Tuaithe agus Gaeltachta i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 4.15 p.m. (*príobháideach*).

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Arts, Sport, Tourism, Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 4.15 p.m. (*private*).

Déardaoin, 23 Meitheamh, 2005
Thursday, 23rd June, 2005

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht agus Bia i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Agriculture and Food in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 11.30 a.m.

BILLÍ DÁLA SA SEANAD **DÁIL BILLS WITH THE SEANAD**

An Bille um Ghníomhaireacht Forbartha Ghráinseach Ghormáin 2004.
Grangegorman Development Agency Bill 2004.

Bille Rialaithe na Státseirbhíse (Leasú) 2004.
Civil Service Regulation (Amendment) Bill 2004.

An Bille um Míchumas 2004.
Disability Bill 2004.

An Bille Léiriúcháin 2000.
Interpretation Bill 2000.

An Bille um Choimisiún chun Drochúsáid Leanaí a Fhiosrú (Leasú) 2005.
Commission to Inquire into Child Abuse (Amendment) Bill 2005.

SCRÍBHINNÍ A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID NA DÁLA
DOCUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE DÁIL

Reachtúil:

1) Teachtaireacht ón gCoimisiún chuig an gComhairle agus chuig Parlaimint na hEorpa lena mbunaítear don tréimhse 2007-2013 creatchlár maidir le Cearta Bunúsacha agus Ceartas [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear don tréimhse 2007-2013 an clár sonrach “An Comhrac in aghaidh foréigin (Daphne) agus drugaí a chosc agus faisnéis faoi dhrugaí” mar chuid den Chlár Ginearálta “Cearta Bunúsacha agus Ceartas” [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear don tréimhse 2007-2013 an clár sonrach “Cearta Bunúsacha agus saoránacht” mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Cearta Bunúsacha agus Ceartas” [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear don tréimhse 2007-2013 an clár sonrach “Ceartas coiriúil” mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Cearta Bunúsacha agus Ceartas” [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear don tréimhse 2007-2013 an clár sonrach “Ceartas Sibhialta” mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Cearta Bunúsacha agus Ceartas” mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin. COM (2005) 122.

2) Cumarsáid ón gCoimisiún chuig an gComhairle agus chuig Parlaimint na hEorpa lena mbunaítear creatchlár maidir le Dlúthpháirtíocht agus Bainistiú Sruthanna Imirce don tréimhse 2007-2013 [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear an Ciste Eorpach um Dhídeanaithe don tréimhse 2008-2013 mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Dlúthpháirtíocht agus Bainistiú Sruthanna Imirce” [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear an Ciste Teorainneacha Seachtracha don tréimhse 2007-2013 mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Dlúthpháirtíocht agus Bainistiú Sruthanna Imirce” [agus] Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear an Ciste Eorpach Gnóchan

Statutory:

1) Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament establishing for the period 2007-2013 a framework programme on Fundamental Rights and Justice [and] Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme “Fight against violence (Daphne) and drugs prevention and information” as part of the General Programme “Fundamental Rights and Justice” [and] Proposal for a Council Decision establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme “Fundamental rights and citizenship” as part of the General programme “Fundamental Rights and Justice” [and] Proposal for a Council Decision establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme “Criminal Justice” as part of the General programme “Fundamental Rights and Justice” [and] Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme “Civil justice” as part of the General programme “Fundamental Rights and Justice” together with explanatory information note. COM (2005) 122.

2) Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament establishing a framework programme on Solidarity and Management of Migration Flows for the period 2007-2013 [and] Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and the Council establishing the European Refugee Fund for the period 2008-2013 as part of the General programme “Solidarity and Management of Migration Flows” [and] Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and the Council establishing the External Borders Fund for the period 2007-2013 as part of the General programme “Solidarity and Management of Migration Flows” [and] Proposal for a Council Decision establishing the European Fund for the Integration of Third-country Nationals for the period 2007-2013 as part of the General programme “Solidarity and Management of Migration Flows” [and] Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and the Council establishing the European Return Fund for the period 2007-2013 as

don tréimhse 2007-2013 mar chuid den Chlár ginearálta “Dlúthpháirtíocht agus Bainistiú Sruthanna Imirce” mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin. COM (2005) 123.

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