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2.30 p.m.

ORD GNÓ ORDER OF BUSINESS

- **10.** Tairiscint *maidir le* Róta na nAirí i gcomhair Ceisteanna Parlaiminte. Motion *re* Ministerial Rota for Parliamentary Questions.
- An Bille um Chnuas-Mhuinisin agus Mianaigh Fhrithphearsanra 2008 Ordú don Dara Céim.

Cluster Munitions and Anti-Personnel Mines Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

16. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2008] (*Tairiscint 15*, *atógáil*). Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2008] (*Motion 15*, *resumed*).

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44. Tairiscint *maidir le* Cláir Oiliúna. Motion *re* Training Programmes.

I dTOSACH GNÓ PHOIBLÍ AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Billí ón Seanad : Bills from the Seanad

1. An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí (Leasú) 2007 [Seanad] — An Dara Céim. Ethics in Public Office (Amendment) Bill 2007 [Seanad] — Second Stage.

Billí a thionscnamh: Initiation of Bills

Tíolactha: Presented:

> An Bille um Chnuas-Mhuinisin agus Mianaigh Fhrithphearsanra 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Cluster Munitions and Anti-Personnel Mines Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do thabhairt éifeacht don Choinbhinsiún ar Chnuas-Mhuinisin, a rinneadh i mBaile Átha Cliath an 30 Bealtaine 2008, agus do thabhairt tuilleadh éifeachta don Choinbhinsiún maidir le Toirmeasc ar Úsáid, Stoc-Charnadh, Táirgeadh agus Aistriú Mianach Frithphearsanra agus maidir lena nDíothú, a rinneadh in Osló an 18 Meán Fómhair 1997, agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to give effect to the Convention on Cluster Munitions, done at Dublin on 30 May 2008, and to give further effect to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on their Destruction, done at Oslo on 18 September 1997, and to provide for related matters.

—An tAire Gnóthaí Eachtracha.

3. An Bille Fíneálacha 2007 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Fines Bill 2007 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú i ndáil leis na fíneálacha uasta a fhéadfaidh cúirt a fhorchur i leith cionta a thriailtear go hachomair agus cionta áirithe a thriailtear ar díotáil; do dhéanamh socrú go ndéanfaidh cúirt, a mbeidh fíneáil á forchur aici ar dhuine a chiontú i gcion, dálaí airgeadais duine a chur i gcuntas; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le fíneálacha den sórt sin a íoc ina dtráthchodanna in imthosca áirithe; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe a bhaineann leis an méid sin.

Bill entitled an Act to make provision in relation to the maximum fines that a court may impose in respect of offences tried summarily and certain offences tried on indictment; to provide that a court in imposing a fine upon conviction of a person of an offence shall take account of a person's financial circumstances; to provide for the payment of such fines by instalment in certain circumstances; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

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

4. An Bille um an Ochtú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2007 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Twenty-eighth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2007 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht chun an Bunreacht a leasú.

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Constitution.

—An tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí.

5. An Bille um Chomhlíonadh an Dlí Fostaíochta 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Employment Law Compliance Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

ngairtear Acht chun comhlíonadh feabhsaithe na reachtaíochta fostaíochta a áirithiú: do bhunú comhlachta ar a dtabharfar an tÚdarás Náisiúnta um Chearta Fostaíochta nó, sa Bhéarla, the National Employment Rights Authority; do bhunú oifig Stiúrthóir an Údaráis Náisiúnta um Chearta Fostaíochta nó, sa Bhéarla, the Director of the National Employment Rights Authority, agus do dhéanamh socrú maidir le ceapachán an stiúrthóra sin; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le téarmaí, coinníollacha agus feidhmeanna an stiúrthóra; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le stiúrthóir gníomhach chun feidhmeanna an stiúrthóra a chomhlíonadh de réir riachtanas; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le bord comhairleach agus do mhíniú a fheidhmeanna; do dhéanamh socrú breise maidir le reachtaíocht fostaíochta a fhorfheidhmiú lena n-áirítear trí oifigigh údaraithe a cheapadh; do mhéadú na bpionós gheall ar chionta áirithe reachtaíocht fostaíochta agus faoi achtacháin áirithe eile; do dhéanamh leasú breise ar an reachtaíocht fostaíochta agus ar achtacháin áirithe eile agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to secure improved compliance with employment legislation; to establish a body to be known as an tÚdarás Náisiúnta um Chearta Fostaíochta or, in the English language, as the National Employment Rights Authority; to establish the office of Stiúrthóir an Údaráis Náisiúnta um Chearta Fostaíochta or, in the English language, the Director of the National Employment Rights Authority and to provide for his or her appointment; to provide for the terms, conditions and functions of the director; to provide for an acting director to perform the functions of the director during exigencies; to provide for an advisory board and to define its functions; to further provide for the enforcement of employment legislation including by the appointment of authorised officers; to increase the penalties for certain offences under employment legislation and certain other enactments; to further amend employment legislation and certain other enactments and to provide for related matters.

—An Tánaiste agus Aire Fiontar, Trádála agus Fostaíochta.

6. An Bille Eadrána 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Arbitration Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht d'éascú tuilleadh agus ar shlí níos fearr réiteach díospóidí trí eadráin; do thabhairt feidhm dlí do Dhlí Eiseamláireach UNCITRAL maidir le hEadráin Tráchtála Idirnáisiúnta (arna leasú ag Coimisiún na Náisiún Aontaithe ar an Dlí Trádála Idirnáisiúnta an 7 Iúil 2006) i leith

Bill entitled an Act to further and better facilitate resolution of disputes by arbitration; to give the force of law to the UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration (as amended by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on 7 July 2006) in respect of

eadrána idirnáisiúnta agus eadrána eile araon; do thabhairt feidhm dlí go páirteach don Phrótacal um Chlásail Eadrána a osclaíodh sa Ghinéiv an 24ú lá de Mheán Fómhair 1923, don Choinbhinsiún maidir le Dámhachtana Eadrána Coigríche a Chur i bhFeidhm a rinneadh sa Ghinéiv an 26ú lá de Mheán Fómhair 1927, don Choinbhinsiún maidir le Dámhachtaintí Eadrána Coigríche a Aithint agus a Fhorghníomhú a rinneadh i Nua-Eabhrac an 10 Meitheamh 1958 agus don Choinbhinsiún maidir le Díospóidí Infheistíochta idir Stáit agus Náisiúnaigh Stát Eile a Shocrú a osclaíodh lena shíniú in Washington an 18 Márta 1965; d'aisghairm na nAchtanna Eadrána 1954 go 1998; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

both international arbitration and other arbitration; to give the force of law in part to the Protocol on Arbitration Clauses opened at Geneva on the 24th day of September 1923, the Convention on the Execution of Foreign Arbitral Awards done at Geneva on the 26th day of September 1927, the Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards done at New York on 10 June 1958 and to the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States opened for signature in Washington on 18 March 1965; to repeal the Arbitration Acts 1954 to 1998; and to provide for related matters.

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

7. An Bille Ombudsman (Leasú) 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Ombudsman (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta Ombudsman 1980, do dhéanamh socrú maidir le leasú iarmhartach ar Achtanna áirithe eile agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe comhghaolmhara. Bill entitled an Act to amend the Ombudsman Act 1980, to provide for the consequential amendment of certain other Acts and to provide for connected matters.

—An tAire Airgeadais.

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8. An Bille fán Scéim um Thacaíocht Tithe Banaltrais 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Nursing Homes Support Scheme Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le scéim a bhunú ar a dtabharfar an Scéim um Thacaíocht Tithe faoina bhféadfar Banaltrais airgeadais a chur ar fáil do dhaoine i leith seirbhísí cúraim cónaithe fhadtéarmaigh as leithroinnt acmhainní arna Fheidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte chun críocha na Scéime, do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an Acht Sláinte 1970 a leasú, do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an Acht Sláinte (Tithe Banaltrais) 1990 a leasú, dhéanamh socrú maidir le hAcht na gCúirteanna agus na nOifigeach Cúirte 1995 a leasú, do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an Ordú fá Bhord an Chiste Náisiúnta um Cheannach Cóireála (Bunú) 2004 a leasú agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe

Bill entitled an Act to provide for the establishment of a scheme to be known as the Nursing Homes Support Scheme under which financial support may be made available to persons in respect of long-term residential care services out of resources allocated to the Health Service Executive for the purposes of the Scheme, to provide for the amendment of the Health Act 1970, to provide for the amendment of the Health (Nursing Homes) Act 1990, to provide for the amendment of the Courts and Court Officers Act 1995, to provide for the amendment of the National Treatment Purchase Fund Board (Establishment) Order 2004 and to provide for related matters.

gaolmhara.

—An tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí.

9. An Bille Leasa Shóisialaigh (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha) 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim. Social Welfare (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú agus do leathnú na nAchtanna Leasa Shóisialaigh, Acht na bPinsean 1990 agus an Achta um Chomhairle 2000, do leasú agus do leathnú fheidhmeanna an Bhoird um Fhaisnéis do Shaoránaigh, do leasú an Achta um Chlárú Sibhialta 2004 agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled to amend and extend the Social Welfare Acts, the Pensions Act 1990 and the Comhairle Act 2000, to amend and extend the functions of the Citizens Information Board, to amend the Civil Registration Act 2004 and to provide for related matters.

—An tAire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh.

Fógraí Tairisceana: Notices of Motions

10. "D'ainneoin aon ní sna Buan-Orduithe nó i Rún an 14 Meitheamh, 2007, ón Dáil, inar leagadh amach an róta ar dá réir a chuirfear Ceisteanna chun comhaltaí den Rialtas, nó i Rún an 22 Deireadh Fómhair, 2008, ón Dáil, go ndéanfar Ceisteanna le haghaidh freagra ó bhéal, a leanfaidh iad sin is neasa a bheidh curtha síos don Aire Airgeadais, a chur síos d'Airí san ord sealadach seo a leanas:

An tAire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh

An tAire Iompair

An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí

An tAire Gnóthaí Pobail, Tuaithe agus Gaeltachta

An tAire Ealaíon, Spóirt agus Turasóireachta

An Tánaiste agus Aire Fiontar, Trádála agus Fostaíochta

An tAire Sláinte agus Leanaí

agus air sin leanfar den ord a bunaíodh le Rún an 14 Meitheamh, 2007, le Ceisteanna chun an Aire Cosanta. That, notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders or in the Resolution of the Dáil of 14th June, 2007, setting out the rota in which Questions to members of the Government are to be asked, or in the Resolution of the Dáil of 22nd October, 2008, Questions for oral answer, following those next set down to the Minister for Finance, shall be set down to Ministers in the following temporary sequence:

Minister for Social and Family Affairs

Minister for Transport

Minister for Justice, Equality and Law Reform

Minister for Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs

Minster for Arts, Sport and Tourism

Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment

Minister for Health and Children

where upon the sequence established by the Resolution of 14th June, 2007, shall continue with Questions to the Minister for Defence."

11. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um an Leasú Bunreachta maidir le Leanaí dar teideal 'Tuarascáil Eatramhach ar an mBille um an Ochtú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2007, Airteagal 42(A).5.1° - Togra chun údarás dlíthiúil a thabhairt chun faisnéis a bhailiú agus a mhalartú ar faisnéis í a bhaineann leis an bpriacal go gcuirfear leanaí i mbaol nó go ndéanfar dúshaothrú gnéasach nó mí-úsáid ghnéasach orthu, nó a bhaineann leis na nithe sin do tharlú' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 11 Meán Fómhair 2008.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on the Constitutional Amendment on Children entitled 'Interim Report on the Twenty-eighth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2007, Article 42(A).5.10 - Proposal to give legal authority for the collection and exchange of information concerning the risk or the occurrence of endangerment, sexual exploitation or sexual abuse of children' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 11 September 2008."

—Mary O'Rourke, Chairperson of the Committee. [24 September, 2008]

12. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach dar teideal 'Tuarascáil Iniúchta AE Uimh. 17: COM (2008) 09 - Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le sábháilteacht bréagán' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 17 Iúil, 2008.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny entitled 'EU Scrutiny Report No. 17: COM (2008) 09 - Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the safety of toys' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 17th July, 2008."

—John Perry, Chairman of the Committee. [24 September, 2008]

13. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an gComhchoiste Tuarascáil ón ıım Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach dar teideal *'Tuarascáil* Iniúchta Uimh. AE16: COM(2007)697, COM(2007)698 agus COM(2007)699 – Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Treoracha 2002/21/CE maidir le comhchreat rialála i gcomhair líonraí agus seirbhísí cumarsáide leictreonaí, 2002/19/CE maidir le rochtain ar líonraí agus seirbhísí cumarsáide leictreonaí, agus maidir lena n-idircheangal, agus 2002/20/CE maidir le húdarú líonraí agus seirbhísí cumarsáide leictreonaí, Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny entitled 'EU Scrutiny Report No. COM(2007)697, COM(2007)698 COM(2007)699 – Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2002/21/EC on a common regulatory framework for electronic communications networks and services. 2002/19/EC on access to. interconnection of electronic communications networks and services, and 2002/20/EC on the authorisation electronic communications networks and services, Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2002/22/EC on universal

Treoir 2002/22/CE maidir le seirbhís uilechoiteann agus cearta úsáideoirí a bhaineann le líonraí cumarsáide leictreonaí, Treoir 2002/58/CE maidir le próiseáil sonraí pearsanta agus maidir leis bpríobháideacht a chosaint in earnáil na cumarsáide leictreonaí agus Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 2006/2004 maidir le comhar i leith cosanta tomhaltóirí, Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear an tÚdarás Eorpach um Margadh na Cumarsáide Leictreonaí' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 29 Aibreán, 2008.

service and users' rights relating to communications networks. electronic Directive 2002/58/EC concerning processing of personal data and the protection of privacy in the electronic communications sector and Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 on consumer protection cooperation, Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Electronic Communications Market Authority' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 29th April, 2008."

—John Perry, Chairman of the Committee. [9 October, 2008]

14. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach dar teideal 'Tuarascáil Iniúchta AE Uimh. 19: COM (2008) 162 - Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh 423/2004 maidir le stoic trosc a athbhunú agus lena leasaítear Rialachán (CEE) Uimh 2847/93' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 8 Deireadh Fómhair, 2008.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny entitled 'EU Scrutiny Report No. 19: COM (2008) 162 — Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 423/2004 as regards the recovery of cod stocks and amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 8th October, 2008."

—John Perry, Chairman of the Committee. [9 October, 2008]

15. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Rannchuidiú an Chomhchoiste le Coimisiún na hEorpa ar a Pháipéar Bán maidir le Lánpháirtiú Margaí Creidmheasa Morgáiste

AE' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 1 Deireadh Fómhair 2008.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Affairs entitled 'Report on the Joint Committee's Contribution to The European Commission on its White Paper on the Integration of EU Mortgage Credit Markets' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 1 October 2008."

—Bernard J. Durkan, Chairman of the Committee. [14 October, 2008]

ORDUITHE AN LAE ORDERS OF THE DAY

16. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2008] (*Tairiscint 15*, *atógáil*).

	Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2008] (Motion 15, resumed).
17.	(l) An Bille Carthanas 2007 — An Tuarascáil (<i>Leasú</i> 4, <i>atógáil</i>). (a) Charities Bill 2007 — Report (<i>Amendment</i> 4, <i>resumed</i>).
18.	An Bille Craolacháin 2008 [Seanad] — An Dara Céim (atógáil). Broadcasting Bill 2008 [Seanad] — Second Stage (resumed).
19.	 (1) An Bille um Binsí Fiosrúcháin 2005 — An Dara Céim (atógáil). (a) Tribunals of Inquiry Bill 2005 — Second Stage (resumed).
	sú ar an Tairiscint don Dara Léamh (atógáil): endment to Motion for Second Reading (resumed):
	o delete all words after "That" and substitute the following:
Oire Trib Ban Dein Mic. Doy Flan Mc. Mic. Pern	il Éireann having regard to the fact that existing Tribunals of Inquiry established by the eachtas have not completed the entirety of their work, declines the second reading of the eachtas of Inquiry Bill 2005.". —Charles Flanagan, Enda Kenny, Bernard Allen, James non, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey ardre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford thael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew ale, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Terence angan, Brian Hayes, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane Entee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville hael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John ry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton of Timmins, Leo Varadkar.
20.	Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón gCoiste ar an Ról Méadaithe do Pharlaimintí Náisiúnta i gConradh Liospóin um Athchóiriú (<i>atógáil</i>). Statements on Committee Report on the Enhanced Role for National Parliaments in the Lisbon Reform Treaty (<i>resumed</i>).
21.	Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón gCoimisiún um Thoghlaigh 2007. Statements on the Constituency Commission Report 2007.
22.	Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2007] (atógáil). Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2007] (resumed).
23.	Ráitis maidir le hIompar 21 (<i>atógáil</i>). Statements on Transport 21 (<i>resumed</i>).

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Gnó a ordaíodh: Business ordered:

24.	An Bille um Chiontuithe Spíonta 2007 — An Dara Céim. Spent Convictions Bill 2007 — Second Stage.	
	_	–Barry Andrews.
25.	An Bille Lucht Cleachta Dlí (Cáilíocht) (Leasú) 2007 — An Dara Céim. Legal Practitioners (Qualification) (Amendment) Bill 2007 — Second Sta	nge. —Brian O'Shea.
26.	Bille an Gharda Síochána (Cumhachtaí Faireachais) 2007 — An Dara Cé Garda Síochána (Powers of Surveillance) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.	
		—Pat Rabbitte.
27.	An Bille fá Chlár um Chosaint Finnéithe (Uimh. 2) 2007 — An Dara Céir Witness Protection Programme (No. 2) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.	m.
		—Pat Rabbitte.
28.	An Bille um an Naoú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2008 — An Dara Twenty-ninth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
		-Arthur Morgan.
29.	An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Cosaint Tí Cónaithe) 2008 — An Dara Céim Criminal Law (Home Defence) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	1.
	—Charles Flanaga	n, Michael Ring.
30.	An Bille um Chosaint Fostaithe (Oibrithe Gníomhaireachta) 2008 — An Protection of Employees (Agency Workers) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	Dara Céim.
	-	–Willie Penrose.
31.	An Bille um Dhliteanas Sibhialta (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Civil Liability (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	

		Charles Flanagan.
32.	An Bille Gairmoideachais (Bunoideachas) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Vocational Education (Primary Education) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	—Ruairí Quinn.
33.	An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 2008 — An Dara Céim. Ethics in Public Office Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	—Joan Burton.
34.	An Bille um Thrédhearcacht Ceapachán Poiblí 2008 — An Dara Céim. Public Appointments Transparency Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	—Leo Varadkar.
35.	An Bille um Thoghcháin Áitiúla 2008 — An Dara Céim. Local Elections Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	—Ciarán Lynch.
36.	An Bille um Shaoráil Faisnéise (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2008 — An Dara Céi Freedom of Information (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2008 — Second Stag	
37.	An Bille um Choimisiún Toghcháin 2008 — An Dara Céim. Electoral Commission Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	—Ciarán Lynch.
38.	Bille na nGiúiréithe (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Juries (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage. —Ae	engus Ó Snodaigh.
39.	An Bille um Chlárú Brústocairí 2008 — An Dara Céim. Registration of Lobbyists Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	–Brendan Howlin.

40.	An Bille um Bochtaineacht Breosla agus Caomhnú Fuinnimh 2008 — An Dara Céim. Fuel Poverty and Energy Conservation Bill 2008 — Second Stage.		
			–Liz McManus.
41.	Dara C	nun na hAchtanna um Chiontaí in aghaidh an Stáit a Aisghai Céim. gainst the State Acts Repeal Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	rm 2008 — An
	_	—Aengus Ó Snodaigh, Martin Ferris, Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, . 	Arthur Morgan.
42.		n Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. nd Development (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
			—Joe Costello.
43.		n Chosaint Sonraí (Nochtadh) (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. etion (Disclosure) (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
		—-,	Simon Coveney.
_	caí Tairiscear ces of Motion		
44. '	"That Dáil Éi	ireann:	
		nat the number of people seeking training programmes will ruence of:	ise rapidly as a
	_	the numbers on the live register increasing by nearly 50% twelve months; and	6 over the past
	_	the projected 8% unemployment rate for 2009;	
_	unemplo Netherla	that the standardised unemployment rate is at a nine younger in Ireland now higher than in the United States, Briands, Denmark, Norway, the Czech Republic, Switzerland, Pouth Korea, among others; and	tain, Japan, the
_	calls on	Government to:	
	_	restructure publicly funded training programmes to make training responsive to a rapidly changing labour market and eco	
	_	conduct a comprehensive expenditure audit of FÁS to taxpayer's substantial investment is getting best value for mo	
	_	consider the needs of small and medium sized businesses wand promoting training services; and	hen developing

change the eligibility criteria for the back to education allowance to open up access to further education for the unemployed." — Leo Varadkar, Enda Kenny, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Michael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Doyle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Brian Hayes, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Billy Timmins.

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45. "That Dáil Éireann,

noting that:

- there is a grave public concern throughout the west at the reported threatened closure of cancer services at Mayo General Hospital and Sligo General Hospital;
- under the National Cancer Strategy not one centre of excellence will be located north of a line from Dublin to Galway;
- the model of managed cancer services utilising a network of facilities is accepted as the preferred option of the most advanced cancer centre in the U.S.;
- many satellite hospitals command a standard of excellence in treatment and outcomes which meet the most exacting of demands; and
- proximity to treatment and speed of response to diagnosis are critical elements of cancer care and management;

calls on the Government:

- to examine the location of the proposed new eight centres of excellence for cancer treatment; and
- to endorse the concept of the networking of managed cancer services to include the retention and extension of the existing services at Castlebar, Sligo and Letterkenny." *Beverley Flynn*.

[6 <i>November</i> , 2007]

46. "That Dáil Éireann has no confidence in the Minister for Health and Children, Deputy Mary Harney." — James Reilly, Enda Kenny, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Michael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Doyle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Tom Hayes, Brian Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Leo Varadkar.

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47. "That Dáil Éireann,

noting:

- the scandalous misdiagnosis of women who were screened for cancer in the midlands region;
- the crisis in cancer care including the inadequate provision of radiation oncology with cancer sufferers having to travel inordinate distances for treatment, the long delay in delivery of promised centres of excellence, the diminution of existing cancer services in local hospitals in advance of that delivery, the flawed plan for location of these centres, leaving whole regions inadequately served; and
- the apartheid in our health services which sees private patients able to gain speedy access to diagnostic services for cancer while public patients must join long waiting lists;

has no confidence in the Minister for Health and Children, Deputy Mary Harney." — Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Martin Ferris, Arthur Morgan, Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

[27 <i>November</i> , 2007]

48. "That Dáil Éireann affirms its confidence in the Tribunal of Inquiry Into Certain Planning Matters and Payments appointed by Instrument of the Minister for the Environment and Local Government dated the 4th day of November 1997 (following the passing of appropriate motions by Dáil Éireann and Seanad Éireann) and as amended by Instruments dated the 15th day of July 1998, 24th day of October 2002, 7th day of July 2003, 3rd day of December 2004 and by the Tribunal of Inquiry Into Certain Planning Matters and Payments Act 2004 (No. 39 of 2004)." — Eamon Gilmore, Joan Burton, Emmet Stagg, Thomas P. Broughan, Joe Costello, Michael D. Higgins, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Ciarán Lynch, Liz McManus, Brian O'Shea, Jan O'Sullivan, Willie Penrose, Ruairí Quinn, Pat Rabbitte, Seán Sherlock, Róisín Shortall, Joanna Tuffy, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.

[30 January, 2008]

49. "That Dáil Éireann:

- expresses its serious concern at the conditions endured by cystic fibrosis patients and the unnecessary risks to which they have been exposed;
- deplores the failure of the Government to ensure the provision of acceptable facilities as a result of which the life expectancy of those with cystic fibrosis in Ireland is way below the level of other developed countries;
- urges the Minister for Health and the HSE to expedite the provision of the long promised dedicated isolation unit at St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin; and
- calls on the Government, pending the construction of this unit, to provide temporary isolation beds to reduce the risk of cross infection." Jan O'Sullivan, Eamon Gilmore, Joan Burton, Emmet Stagg, Thomas P. Broughan, Joe Costello, Michael D. Higgins, Brendan Howlin, Kathleen Lynch, Ciarán Lynch, Liz McManus, Brian O'Shea, Willie Penrose, Ruairí Quinn, Pat Rabbitte, Seán Sherlock, Róisín Shortall,

Joanna Tuffy, Mary Upton, Jack Wall.

50. "That Dáil Éireann;

- recognising the need for greater supports for adult education and the importance of adult learning to the continued growth of the economy;
- considering the low level of participation of Irish adults in ongoing education and training estimated to be at just 8% of the workforce, compared to 35% in Sweden, 29% in the UK and well below the EU target of 12.5%;
- noting the Government's failure to act on the commitment in Towards 2016 to put in place a targeted fund to alleviate fees in public institutions for part-time courses at third level by those at work who have not previously pursued a third level qualification;
- recognising the fundamental injustice that exists in the exclusion of low paid workers from obtaining financial support through the Back to Education Allowance;
- accepting the need for a more co-ordinated and focused approach to the development of adult education nationally; and
- noting that the proportion of the FÁS budget currently spent on upskilling those in employment is only 5%;

calls on the Government to:

- use the National Training Fund to introduce a voucher scheme for individuals who have not already benefited from higher education to pay for courses in higher educational institutions, whether taken on a part-time or full-time basis;
- introduce two-week statutory annual paid training leave, financed out of the NTF and paid at the minimum wage rate in order to focus on low-skilled workers;
- reconsider the eligibility criteria for the Back to Education Allowance scheme to include low-paid workers;
- immediately publish the review of the National Adult Learning Council and reintroduce a co-ordinating structure for the adult education sector;
- provide dedicated funding for English language training for speakers of other languages; and
- honour its Programme for Government commitment to provide improved guidance and ancillary supports for the adult education sector, including child care services."
 Brian Hayes, Enda Kenny, Richard Bruton, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Michael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Doyle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Leo Varadkar.

- 51. "That Dáil Éireann noting,
- free and fair elections are the cornerstone of a democratic political system;
- Resolutions and Reports by the United Nations General Assembly on 'strengthening the role of the United Nations in enhancing the effectiveness of the principle of periodic and genuine elections and the promotion of democratization';
- the high demand from UN Member States for electoral assistance; and
- recent reports of electoral fraud in some elections;

calls on the Government to take a lead role at the UN General Assembly to ensure:

- the UN makes adjustments in its practices in order to meet emerging trends and challenges by increasing its capacity both to develop and disseminate electoral standards and best practices to include:
 - an agreed mechanism to certify the results of elections;
 - strengthen its capacity to offer advice on the choice of electoral systems;
 and
 - encourage States to make voluntary contributions to an Electoral Monitoring Fund." Billy Timmins, Pat Breen, Enda Kenny, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Michael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Doyle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Tom Hayes, Brian Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Leo Varadkar.

[2 *April*, 2008]

52. "That Dáil Éireann, concerned at the deadlock of the democratic process in Zimbabwe following the elections of 29th March, 2008, the reported violence and the ongoing humanitarian crisis in that country:

- calls on the Irish Government to raise the issue as a matter of urgency at international level and, in particular, in its contacts with Irish Aid's programme countries in the Southern Africa Development Community (SADC), Zambia, Malawi, Mozambique, Lesotho and Tanzania;
- calls on the Irish Government to promote the broadest and most effective international observation in the event of any recounts, further rounds of voting and campaigning in Zimbabwe:
- welcomes UN secretary general Ban Ki-moon's for a UN role to resolve the crisis while the current democratic deadlock persists;
- deplores the reported 'militarization' of election tactics in Zimbabwe, human rights repressions and reported deaths, threats, beatings and torture of opposition supporters,

- elections workers, trade unionists, police, medical workers and all other individuals;
- welcomes the continuing assistance which Irish Aid is giving to the people of Zimbabwe and looks forward to supporting the reconstruction of Zimbabwe's democratic institutions and the protection of its economic assets; and
- looks forward to re-establishing warm relations with the Parliament of Zimbabwe following a successful democratic conclusion to the elections process." *Brendan Howlin, Billy Timmins, Fergus O'Dowd, Denis Naughten, Michael D. Higgins, Barry Andrews, Brian O'Shea, Charlie O'Connor, Joan Burton, Ciarán Cuffe.*

	[29 April, 2008]

53. "That Dáil Éireann, notes with grave concern the failure on the part of the Department of Education and Science to engage with those unions who represent school secretaries and caretakers within the informal process established under the Towards 2016 National Agreement, and having regard to the continuous and serious pay inequalities faced by school secretaries and caretakers within the Irish Education System, demands that the Minister for Education and Science immediately enters into meaningful discussions to address this issue by standardising the terms and conditions of employment commensurate with appropriate public service grades with effect from the 2008/2009 school year." — Brian Hayes, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carev, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Michael Creed, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Dovle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Enda Kenny, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Leo Varadkar.

[30 April, 2008]

54. "That Dáil Éireann,

notes;

- the value of the Irish Seafood Industry to the Irish economy, totalling over €750 million in revenues and contributing to direct employment of over 12,000 people;
- the financial difficulties currently facing those involved in the fishing industry;
- the dramatic increase in the price of fuel; especially considering the increase of 40% since January 2008;
- the stagnation and decline of fish prices;
- the failure to brand and market Irish fish;
- the delay of Government to secure EU approval of Operational Programme for Fisheries;
- the structural difficulties facing the industry including lack of quota and over capacity of the fleet;
- the current arrangements for disposal of by-catch contribute nothing to conservation of fish stocks; and

— the slow progress in implementing the Cawley Report.

calls on the Government to;

- negotiate a package of financial assistance for temporary cessation of operations as a matter of urgency;
- insist that the Irish Fishing Industry is not disadvantaged relative to its competitors within the EU as a result of the Commission decision to permit State Aid in certain circumstances;
- secure an immediate ban on (IUU) Illegal Unreported and Unregulated fishing and regulating imports;
- pursue a uniform and balanced approach to enforcement of fisheries regulation throughout the E.U.;
- immediately implement a country of origin labelling system for all fish products coupled with a Consumer Awareness Campaign;
- to pursue the possibility of increasing cod quotas in the Celtic Sea;
- take all necessary steps at an interdepartmental level to resolve the issues delaying the adoption of the Operational Programme for Fisheries; and
- fully implement the Cawley report." Michael Creed, Enda Kenny, Bernard Allen, James Bannon, Seán Barrett, Pat Breen, Richard Bruton, Ulick Burke, Catherine Byrne, Joe Carey, Deirdre Clune, Paul Connaughton, Noel J. Coonan, Simon Coveney, Seymour Crawford, Lucinda Creighton, Michael D'Arcy, John Deasy, Jimmy Deenihan, Andrew Doyle, Bernard J. Durkan, Damien English, Olwyn Enright, Frank Feighan, Charles Flanagan, Terence Flanagan, Brian Hayes, Tom Hayes, Phil Hogan, Paul Kehoe, Pádraic McCormack, Shane McEntee, Dinny McGinley, Joe McHugh, Olivia Mitchell, Denis Naughten, Dan Neville, Michael Noonan, Kieran O'Donnell, Fergus O'Dowd, Jim O'Keeffe, John O'Mahony, John Perry, James Reilly, Michael Ring, Alan Shatter, Tom Sheahan, P. J. Sheehan, David Stanton, Billy Timmins, Leo Varadkar.

[24 *June*, 2008]

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

BILLÍ AR SIÚL AGUS GNÓ ATÁ ORDAITHE BILLS IN PROGRESS AND BUSINESS ORDERED

Dé hAoine, 9 Eanáir, 2009 Friday, 9th January, 2009

An Bille um Chnuas-Mhuinisin 2008 — Ordaíodh é a léamh an dara huair an 9 Eanáir, 2009. Cluster Munitions Bill 2008 — Ordered to be read a second time on 9 January, 2009.

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

An Bille um Athchóiriú an Dlí Talún agus Tíolactha 2006 [Seanad] — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Land and Conveyancing Law Reform Bill 2006 [Seanad] — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights.

(*l*) An Bille um Inimirce, Cónaí agus Cosaint 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

(a) Immigration, Residence and Protection Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights.

An Bille um Thacaíocht do Mhic Léinn 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Oideachas agus Eolaíocht.

Student Support Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Education and Science.

An Bille um Chlúmhilleadh 2006 [Seanad] — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Defamation Bill 2006 [Seanad] — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights.

An Bille fán Ombudsman um Sheirbhísí Dlí 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Legal Services Ombudsman Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights.

An Bille um Éilliú a Chosc (Leasú) 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights.

An Bille Toghcháin (Leasú) 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Chomhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Rialtas Áitiúil.

Electoral (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Select Committee on the Environment, Heritage and Local Government.

MEMORANDA

Dé Máirt, 4 Samhain, 2008 Tuesday, 4th November, 2008

Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Thodhchaí na hÉireann san Aontas Eorpach i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Ireland's Future in the European Union in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 3 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 3 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol agus Rialtas Áitiúil i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 3.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Environment and Local Government in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 3.30 p.m.

Dé Céadaoin, 5 Samhain, 2008 Wednesday, 5th November, 2008

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Fuinneamh agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Energy and Natural Resources in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Thodhchaí na hÉireann san Aontas Eorpach i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Ireland's Future in the European Union in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

An Bille um Inimirce, Cónaí agus Cosaint 2008: Immigration, Residence and Protection Bill 2008:

Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 10 a.m.

Meeting of the Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 10 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Ealaíon, Spóirt, Turasóireachta, Pobail, Tuaithe agus Gaeltachta i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 12 meán lae.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Arts, Sport, Tourism, Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 12 noon.

Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Fhorbairt Choigríche den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 12.15 p.m.

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Overseas Development of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 12.15 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Iompar i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 3.45 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Transport in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 3.45 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 4.15 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 4.15 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um an Leasú Bunreachta maidir le Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 5 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Constitutional Amendment on Children in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 5 p.m.

Déardaoin, 6 Samhain, 2008 Thursday, 6th November, 2008

Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Thodhchaí na hÉireann san Aontas Eorpach i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Ireland's Future in the European Union in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Choiste um Chuntais Phoiblí i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 10 a.m. Meeting of the Committee of Public Accounts in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 10 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Oideachas agus Eolaíocht i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 10 a m

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Education and Science in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 10 a.m.

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

Reachtúil:

Statutory:

- 1) Ráitis i leith Comhairleoirí Speisialta don Aire Stáit ag an Roinn Comhshaoil, Oidhreachta agus Rialtais Áitiúil, an Teachta Micheál Ó Finnoráin, T.D., de réir na nAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 1995 agus 2001 [2007] [30 Deireadh Fómhair, 2008].
- 2) Na Rialacháin um Shábháilteacht, Sláinte agus Leas ag an Obair (Tógáil) (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2008 (I.R. Uimh. 423 de 2008).
- 1) Statements in respect of Special Advisers to the Minister of State at the Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government, Michael Finneran, T.D., in accordance with the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001 [2007] [30 October, 2008].
- 2) Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Construction) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2008 (S.I. No. 423 of 2008).

- 3) An Institiúid Idirnáisiúnta um Aontú an Dlí Phríobháidigh, Reacht 1940, arna leasú.
- 4) Prótacal lena leasaítear Coinbhinsiún Consalachta 1950 idir Éire agus Stáit Aontaithe Mheiriceá, 1998.
- 5) Comhaontú maidir le Comhchiste do Thráchtearraí a Bhunú, 1980.
- 6) Comhaontú maidir le Trádáil, Forbairt agus Comhar idir an Comhphobal Eorpach agus a chuid Ballstát, de pháirt, agus Poblacht na hAfraice Theas, den pháirt eile, 1999
- 7) Coinbhinsiún ar Ainmníocht i gcomhair Aicmithe Earraí i dTairifí Custam, 1950 agus ionstraimí aontachais, 21 Eanáir, 1963 agus séanta, 12 Deireadh Fómhair, 1988.
- 8) Prótacal Leasaitheach a ghabhann leis an gCoinbhinsiún, a síníodh sa Bhruiséil an 15 Nollaig, 1950 ar Ainmníocht i gcomhair Aicmithe Earraí i dTairifí Custam, 1955 agus ionstraimí aontachais, 21 Eanáir, 1963 agus séanta, 12 Deireadh Fómhair, 1988.
- 9) Prótacal Breise a ghabhann le Bunreacht an Aontais Poist Uilechoitinn, 1969.

An Dara Prótacal Breise a ghabhann le Bunreacht an Aontais Poist Uilechoitinn, 1974.

An Tríú Prótacal Breise a ghabhann le Bunreacht an Aontais Poist Uilechoitinn, 1984.

An Ceathrú Prótacal Breise a ghabhann le Bunreacht an Aontais Poist Uilechoitinn, 1989.

An Cúigiú Prótacal Breise a ghabhann le Bunreacht an Aontais Poist Uilechoitinn, 1994.

10) Prótacal a ghabhann le Coinbhinsiún 1979 maidir le Truailliú Aeir Trasteorann Fadraoin maidir le Laghdú Breise ar Astaíochtaí Sulfair, 1994.

- 3) International Institute for the Unification of Private Law, Statute 1940, as amended.
- 4) Protocol amending the 1950 Consular Convention between Ireland and the United States of America, 1998.
- 5) Agreement for the Establishment of a Common Fund for Commodities, 1980.
- 6) Agreement on Trade, Development and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of South Africa, of the other part, 1999.
- 7) Convention on Nomenclature for the Classification of Goods in Customs Tariffs, 1950 and instruments of accession, 21 January, 1963 and denunciation, 12 October, 1988.
- 8) Protocol of Amendment to the Convention, signed in Brussels on 15 December, 1950 on Nomenclature for the Classification of Goods in Customs Tariffs, 1955 and instruments of accession, 21 January, 1963 and denunciation, 12 October, 1988.
- 9) Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, 1969.

Second Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, 1974.

Third Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, 1984.

Fourth Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, 1989.

Fifth Additional Protocol to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, 1994.

10) Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Trans-boundary Air Pollution on Further Reduction of Sulphur Emissions, 1994.

- 11) Prótacal maidir le Toirmisc nó Srianta ar Úsáid Mianach, Bobghaistí agus Feistí eile arna leasú an 3 Bealtaine, 1996 (Prótacal II arna leasú an 3 Bealtaine, 1996) atá i gceangal leis an gCoinbhinsiún ar Thoirmisc nó Srianta ar Úsáid Gnáth-Arm Áirithe a mheasfar a bheith Ródhíobhálach nó a measfar Éifeachtaí Neamh-Idirdhealaitheacha a bheith acu, 1996.
- 12) Malartú Nótaí idir Éire (31 Bealtaine, 1948) agus Ceanada (19 Aibreán, 1948) lena leasaítear an Comhaontú maidir le hAersheirbhísí idir an dá Thír, 1947.
- 13) An Ghníomhaireacht Náisiúnta Tomhaltóirí. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2007.

Neamhreachtúil:

- 1) Rialacháin na gComhphobal Eorpach (Ionstraimí Airgeadais atá ar Aon Dul le Duaisbhannaí) 2008 (I.R. Uimh. 419 de 2008).
- 2) Tithe an Oireachtais. An Comhchoiste um Rialtas Chomhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Áitiúil. Tuarascáil maidir leis an gcuairt a thug toscaireacht ón gComhchoiste ar an Seimineár Oiliúna do Chomhairleoirí dar teideal "An Ról atá ag Rialtas Áitiúil maidir lenár gcuid Acmhainní Uisce a Chosaint", Uachtar Ard, Contae na Gaillimhe, 9 - 11 Deireadh Fómhair. 2008. (Deireadh Fómhair, 2008).
- 3) Rialacháin na gComhphobal Eorpach (Lipéadú, Tíolacadh agus Fógairt Earraí Bia) (Leasú) 2008 (I.R. Uimh. 424 de 2008).
- 4) Tithe an Oireachtais. An Comhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach. An Dara Tuarascáil: Tuarascáil Speisialta maidir le Reachtaíocht nua ón AE 1 Eanáir go 30 Meitheamh, 2008. 30 Deireadh Fómhair, 2008.

- 11) Protocol on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby-Traps and Other Devices as amended on 3 May, 1996 (Protocol II as amended on 3 May, 1996) annexed to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to have Indiscriminate Effects, 1996.
- 12) Exchange of Notes between Ireland (31 May, 1948) and Canada (19 April, 1948) amending the Agreement for Air Services between the two Countries, 1947.
- 13) National Consumer Agency. Annual Report, 2007.

Non-Statutory:

- 1) European Communities (Financial Instruments Analogous to Prize Bonds) Regulations 2008 (S.I. No. 419 of 2008).
- 2) Houses of the Oireachtas. Joint Committee on the Environment, Heritage and Local Government. Report on the visit by a delegation of the joint Committee to the Training Seminar for Councillors entitled "The Role of Local Government in Protecting our Water Resources", Oughterard, Co. Galway, 9 11 October, 2008. October, 2008.
- 3) European Communities (Labelling, Presentation and Advertising of Foodstuffs) (Amendment) Regulations 2008 (S.I. No. 424 of 2008).
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