



# DÁIL ÉIREANN

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ORDER PAPER



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**ORD GNÓ**  
**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

8. Tairiscint *maidir le* Ceadú beartaithe ag Dáil Éireann i ndáil le téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe Comhpháirtíochta agus Comhair idir na Comhphobail Eorpacha agus an Tuircméanastáin a tarchur chuit Roghchoiste.  
Motion *re* Referral to Select Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the terms of the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and Turkmenistan.
9. Tairiscint *maidir le* Ceadú beartaithe ag Dáil Éireann i ndáil le togra go leanfaidh alt 17A den Acht um Ghalair Ainmhithe 1966 i bhfeidhm ar feadh na tréimhse dar críoch an 8 Márta, 2010, a tharchur chuit Comhchoiste.  
Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of a proposal that section 17A of the Diseases of Animals Act 1966 shall continue in force for the period ending on 8th March, 2010.
10. An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar mhaithe le Leas an Phobail 2009 — Rún Airgeadais.  
Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Bill 2009 — Financial Resolution.
23. (l) An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar mhaithe le Leas an Phobail 2009 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).  
(a) Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Bill 2009 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

**GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA**  
**PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**

60. Tairiscint *maidir leis* an gCóras Baincéireachta.  
Motion *re* Banking System.

**I dTOSACH GNÓ PHOIBLÍ  
AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS**

*Billí ón Seanad : Bills from the Seanad*

- 1.** Bille na dTithe (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha) 2008 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.  
Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2008 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.
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- 2.** An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí (Leasú) 2007 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.  
Ethics in Public Office (Amendment) Bill 2007 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.
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- 3.** An Bille um Fhorbairt Tionscail 2008 [*Seanad*] — An Dara Céim.  
Industrial Development Bill 2008 [*Seanad*] — Second Stage.
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*Billí a thionscnamh : Initiation of Bills*

*Tíolactha:  
Presented:*

- 4.** An Bille Fineálacha 2007 — Ordú don Dara Céim.  
Fines Bill 2007 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú i ndáil leis na fineálacha uasta a fhéadfaidh cúirt a fhorchur i leith cionta a thrailtear go hachomair agus cionta áirithe a thrailtear ar díotáil; do dhéanamh socrú go ndéanfaidh cúirt, a mbeidh fineáil á forchur aici ar dhuine a chiontú i gcion, dálaí airgeadais duine a chur i gceuntas; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le fineálacha den sórt sin a íoc ina dtráthchodanna in imthosca áirithe; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaoibh 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.*

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- 5.** 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.*

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- 6.** An Bille Árachais Sláinte (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha) 2008 — Ordú don Dara Céim.  
Health Insurance (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2008 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Health

Árachais Sláinte 1994, an Achta Comhdhlúite Cánacha 1997 agus an Achta Comhdhlúite Dleachtanna Stampa 1999, go háirthe chun a chinntíú go ndéanfar, ar mhaithe leis an dlúthpháirtíocht sochaí agus eadarghlúine, an t-ualach maidir le costais seirbhísí sláinte a chomhroinnt ag daoine árachaithe trí shocrú a dhéanamh maidir le fóirdheontais costais idir daoine óga agus daoine aosta; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Insurance Act 1994, the Taxes Consolidation Act 1997 and the Stamp Duties Consolidation Act 1999, in particular to ensure that, in the interests of societal and intergenerational solidarity, the burden of the costs of health services be shared by insured persons by providing for a cost subsidy between the young and the old; and to provide for related matters.

—*An tAire Sláinte agus Leanai.*

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*Tabhairt Isteach:*  
*Introduction:*

7. An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Chéad Chéim.  
Industrial Relations (Protection of Employment) (Amendment) Bill 2009 — First Stage.

Bill dá ngairtear Acht do leasú agus do leathnú na nAchtanna Caidrimh Thionscail 1946 go 2004; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le comhdhéanamh agus nósanna imeachta comhchoistí oibreacais, do dhéanamh socrú chun Ordúithe Rialaithe Fostaíochta a athnuachan agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe comhghaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to amend and extend the Industrial Relations Acts 1946 to 2004; to provide for the composition and procedures of joint labour committees, to provide for the renewal of Employment Regulation Orders and to provide for connected matters.

—*Leo Varadkar.*

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*Fógraí Tairisceana : Notices of Motions*

8. “Go ndéanfar an togra go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe Compháirtíochta agus Comhair idir na Comphobail Eorpacha agus a mBallstáit, de pháirt, agus an Tuircméanastáin, den pháirt eile, a síniódh sa Bhruiséil an 25 Bealtaine, 1998, agus a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 22 Eanáir, 2009, a tharchur chuig an Roghchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha de réir mhír (1) d’Ordúithe Tagartha an Choiste sin, agus go ndéanfaidh an Coiste sin, tráth nach déanaí ná an 10 Mártá, 2009, teachtaireacht a chur chuig an Dáil ar an modh a fhorordaítear i mBuan-Ordú 87, agus go mbeidh feidhm ag Buan-Ordú 86(2) dá réir sin.

That the proposal that Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Turkmenistan, of the other part, signed at Brussels on 25th May, 1998, which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 22nd January, 2009, be referred to the Select Committee on Foreign Affairs in accordance with paragraph (1) of the Orders of Reference of that Committee, which, not later than 10th March, 2009, shall send a message to the Dáil in the manner prescribed in Standing Order 87, and Standing Order 86(2) shall accordingly apply.”

—Pádraig Ó Ciardha, Aire Stáit ag Roinn an Taoisigh.

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**9.** “Go ndéanfar an togra go mbeartaíonn Dáil Éireann go leanfaih alt 17A (a cuireadh isteach le halt 2(1) den Acht um Ghalair Ainmhithe (Leasú) 2001 (Uimh. 3 de 2001)) den Acht um Ghalair Ainmhithe 1966 (Uimh. 6 de 1966) i bhfeidhm ar feadh na tréimhse dar críoch an 8 Mártá, 2010, a tharchur chuig an gComhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht, Iascach agus Bia de réir mhír (2) d’Orduithe Tagartha an Choiste sin, agus go ndéanfaidh an Comhchoiste sin, tráth nach déanaí ná an 5 Mártá, 2009, teachtaireacht a chur chuig an Dáil ar an modh a fhorordaítear i mBuan-Ordú 87, agus go mbeidh feidhm dá réir ag Buan-Ordú 86(2).

That the proposal that Dáil Éireann resolves that section 17A (inserted by section 2(1) of the Diseases of Animals (Amendment) Act 2001 (No. 3 of 2001)) of the Diseases of Animals Act 1966 (No. 6 of 1966) shall continue in force for the period ending on 8th March, 2010, be referred to the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in accordance with paragraph (2) of the Orders of Reference of that Committee, which, not later than 5th March, 2009, shall send a message to the Dáil in the manner prescribed in Standing Order 87, and Standing Order 86(2) shall accordingly apply.”

—Pádraig Ó Ciardha, Aire Stáit ag Roinn an Taoisigh.

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**10. An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar mhaith le Leas an Phobail 2009 — Rún Airgeadais.**

Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Bill 2009 — Financial Resolution.

“GO nDÉANFAR foráil maidir leis na nithe seo a leanas—

- (a) an asbhaint, as luach saothair seirbhíseach poiblí áirithe is comhaltaí de scéimeanna pinsean ceirde áirithe nó atá i dteideal sochair faoi scéim den sórt sin nó a fhaigheann íocaíocht in ionad a bheith ina gcomhaltaí de scéim den sórt sin, de réir rátaí éagsúla i leith méideanna áirithe den luach saothair sin,
- (b) rialacháin a dhéanamh chun na hasbhaintí sin a ríomh, a dhéanamh, a bhailiú, a dhiúscairt agus a ghnóthú,
- (c) na hasbhaintí sin a ioc isteach sa Státhiste nó a chur chun tairbhe don Státhiste de réir ordachán ón Aire Airgeadais nó a ioc nó a dhiúscairt thairis sin de réir mar a ordóidh an tAire sin,
- (d) gan aon sochar breise a thabhairt do sheirbhísigh phoiblí a iocann an asbhaint sin i leith na scéimeanna pinsean ceirde nó na socruithe pinsean lena mbaineann, agus

THAT provision be made—

- (a) for the deduction, from the remuneration of certain public servants who are members of certain occupational pension schemes or entitled to benefit under such a scheme or receive a payment in lieu of membership in such a scheme, at various rates in respect of certain amounts of such remuneration,
- (b) for the making of regulations for the calculation, making, collection, disposal and recovery of such deductions,
- (c) for the payment into or disposal for the benefit of the Exchequer in accordance with directions from the Minister for Finance, or otherwise paid or disposed of as that Minister may direct, of such deductions,
- (d) for no additional benefit to be conferred on public servants paying such deduction in respect of the occupational pension schemes or pension arrangements concerned, and

(e) athbhreithniú bliantúil ag an Aire Airgeadais agus tuarascáil ón Aire sin do Thithe an Oireachtas maidir leis an athbhreithniú sin,

ar an modh agus a mhéid a shonrófar san Acht lena dtabharfar éifeacht don Rún seo.

(e) for an annual review by the Minister for Finance and report by that Minister to the Houses of the Oireachtas in respect of such review,

in the manner and to the extent specified in the Act giving effect to this Resolution.”

—*An tAire Airgeadais.*

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**11.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an Stát d’fheidhmiú an roghnaithe, arna chur ar fáil le hAirteagal 3 den cheathrú Prótacal atá leagtha amach i gConradh Amstardam, fógra a thabhairt d’Uachtaráin na Comhairle gur mian léi a bheith páirteach i nglacadh agus i bhfeidhmiú an bhírt bheartaithe seo a leanas:

togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le bunú ‘Eurodac’ chun mérarloig a chur i gcomparáid chun Rialachán (CE) Uimh. [...] [...] [lena mbunaítear na critéir agus na sásraí lena gcinntear an Ballstát atá freagrach i scrúdú iarratais ar chosaint idirnáisiúnta arna thaisceadh i gceann de na Ballstáit ag náisiúnach tríú thír nó ag duine gan stát] a fheidhmiú go héifeachtach,

ar beart beartaithe é ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 5 Eanáir, 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves the exercise by the State of the option, provided by Article 3 of the fourth Protocol set out in the Treaty of Amsterdam, to notify the President of the Council that it wishes to take part in the adoption and application of the following proposed measure:

a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the establishment of ‘Eurodac’ for the comparison of fingerprints for the effective application of Regulation (EC) No. [...] [...] [establishing the criteria and mechanisms for determining the Member State responsible for examining the application for international protection lodged in one of the Member States by a third-country national or a stateless person],

a copy of which proposed measure was laid before Dáil Éireann on 5th January, 2009.”

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

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**12.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an Stát d’fheidhmiú an roghnaithe, arna chur ar fáil le hAirteagal 3 den cheathrú Prótacal atá leagtha amach i gConradh Amstardam, fógra a thabhairt d’Uachtaráin na Comhairle gur mian léi a bheith páirteach i nglacadh agus i bhfeidhmiú an bhírt bheartaithe seo a leanas:

togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear na critéir agus na sásraí lena gcinntear an Ballstát atá freagrach i scrúdú iarratais ar

That Dáil Éireann approves the exercise by the State of the option, provided by Article 3 of the fourth Protocol set out in the Treaty of Amsterdam, to notify the President of the Council that it wishes to take part in the adoption and application of the following proposed measure:

a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the criteria and mechanisms for determining the Member State responsible for examining an application

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ar beart beartaithe é ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 5 Eanáir, 2009.

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

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**13.** “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 bhírt bheartaithe seo a leanas:

togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle maidir le bunú an Chórais Faisnéise Eorpaigh um Thaifid Choiríula (ECRIS) i bhfeidhmiú Airteagal 11 de Chreat-Chinneadh 2008/XX/JHA,

ar beart beartaithe é ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 28 Samhain, 2008.

for international protection lodged in one of the Member States by a third-country national or a stateless person,

a copy of which proposed measure was laid before Dáil Éireann on 5th January, 2009.”

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:

a proposal for a Council Decision on the establishment of the European Criminal Records Information System (ECRIS) in application of Article 11 of Framework Decision 2008/XX/JHA,

a copy of which proposed measure was laid before Dáil Éireann on 28th November, 2008.”

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

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**14.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an tuarascáil ón Aire Cosanta maidir le seirbhís ag Óglaigh na hÉireann leis na Náisiúin Aontaithe in 2007, ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 28 Samhain, 2008, de réir alt 13 den Acht Cosanta (Leasú) 2006.

That Dáil Éireann approves the report by the Minister for Defence regarding service by the Defence Forces with the United Nations in 2007, copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 28th November, 2008, in accordance with section 13 of the Defence (Amendment) Act 2006.”

—*An tAire Cosanta.*

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**15.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann:

- (i) an díorma de chuid na mBuan-Óglach atá ag fónamh i Sead a shuíomh leis an bhfórsa atá údaraithe ag na Náisiúin Aontaithe agus atá treoraithe ag an Aontas Eorpach agus ar a dtugtar EUFOR TCHAD/RCA, faoi údarás Mhisean na Náisiún Aontaithe i bPoblacht na hAfraice Láir agus i Sead (MINURCAT), arna bhunú faoi údarás Rún 1861 (2009) an 14 Eanáir, 2009, ó Chomhairle Slándála na Náisiún

That Dáil Éireann approves:

- (i) the placing of the contingent of the Permanent Defence Force serving in Chad with the UN-authorised EU-led force, known as EUFOR TCHAD/RCA, under the authority of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (MINURCAT), established under the authority of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1861 (2009) of 14 January, 2009;

Aontaithe;

- (ii) díorma de chuid na mBuan-Óglach a chur chun bealaigh, de bhun alt 2 den Acht Cosanta (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 1960, arna chur chun feidhme leis an Acht Cosanta (Leasú) 2006, chun fónamh le Misean na Náisiún Aontaithe i bPoblacht na hAfraice Láir agus i Sead (MINURCAT), arna bhunú faoi údarás Rún 1861 (2009) an 14 Eanáir, 2009, ó Chomhairle Slándála na Náisiún Aontaithe; agus
- (iii) leanúint de phearsanra a leithdháileadh fara EUFOR TCHAD/RCA le linn thréimhse an aistrithe agus go dtí go mbeidh tarraingt siar EUFOR TCHAD/RCA curtha i gcrích.
- (ii) the despatch, pursuant to section 2 of the Defence (Amendment) (No. 2) Act 1960, as applied by the Defence (Amendment) Act 2006, of a contingent of the Permanent Defence Force for service with the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (MINURCAT), established under the authority of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1861 (2009) of 14 January, 2009; and
- (iii) the continued deployment of personnel with EUFOR TCHAD/RCA during the handover period and pending the completion of the withdrawal of EUFOR TCHAD/RCA.”

—An tAire Cosanta.

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**16.** “Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil Iníúchta AE Uimh. 21: COM(2008)40 criochnaitheach – Togra le haghaidh Rialachán ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le Faisnéis faoi Bhia a Sholáthar do Thomhaltóiri’ a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 13 Samhain, 2008.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny entitled ‘*EU Scrutiny Report No. 21: COM(2008)40 final - Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Provision of Food Information to Consumers*’ which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 13th November, 2008.”

—John Perry, Chairman of the Committee.  
[27 January, 2009]

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**17.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann an tOrdú seo a leanas ina dhréacht:

An tOrdú um an Acht Airgeadais 2004 (Alt 91) (Tabhairt Suas don Phríomh-Chiste a Iarchur) 2009,

ar leagadh cóipeanna de ina dhréacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 29 Eanáir, 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Order in draft:

Finance Act 2004 (Section 91) (Deferred Surrender to the Central Fund) Order 2009,

copies of which have been laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 29th January, 2009.”

—An tAire Airgeadais.

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**18.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe Cobhsaíochta agus Comhlachais idir na Comhphobail Eorpacha agus a mBallstáit, de pháirt, agus Poblacht Mhontainéagró, den pháirt eile, a síniódh i Luksamburg an 15 Deireadh Fómhair, 2007, agus a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 24 Eanáir, 2008.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Montenegro, of the other part, signed at Luxembourg on 15th October, 2007, which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 24th January, 2008.”

—*An tAire Gnóthai Eachtracha.*

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**19.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe Cobhsaíochta agus Comhlachais idir na Comhphobail Eorpacha agus a mBallstáit, de pháirt, agus Poblacht na Boisnia agus na Heirseagáivéine, den pháirt eile, a síniódh i Luksamburg an 16 Meitheamh, 2008, agus a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 20 Eanáir, 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, of the other part, signed at Luxembourg on 16th June, 2008, which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 20th January, 2009.”

—*An tAire Gnóthai Eachtracha.*

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**20.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann na Rialacháin seo a leanas ina ndréacht:

Na Rialacháin um Pleanál agus Forbairt (Treoirlínte Pleanála Réigiúnacha) 2009,

ar leagadh cóipeanna díobh ina ndréacht faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 10 Feabhra, 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Regulations in draft:

The Planning and Development (Regional Planning Guidelines) Regulations 2009,

copies of which were laid in draft form before Dáil Éireann on 10th February, 2009.”

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

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**21.** “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe Comhpháirtíochta agus Comhair idir na Comhphobail Eorpacha agus a mBallstáit, de pháirt, agus an Tuircméanastáin, den pháirt eile, a síniódh sa Bhruiséil an 25 Bealtaine, 1998, agus a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 22 Eanáir, 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves the terms of the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and Turkmenistan, of the other part, signed at Brussels on 25th May, 1998, which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 22nd January, 2009.”

—*An tAire Gnóthai Eachtracha.*

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**22.** “Go mbeartaíonn Dáil Éireann go leanfaidh alt 17A (a cuireadh isteach le halt

That Dáil Éireann resolves that section 17A (inserted by section 2(1) of the Diseases of

2(1) den Acht um Ghalair Ainmhithe (Leasú 2001 (Uimh. 3 de 2001)) den Acht um Ghalair Ainmhithe 1966 (Uimh. 6 de 1966) i bhfeidhm ar feadh na tréimhse dar críoch an 8 Márta, 2010.

Animals (Amendment) Act 2001 (No. 3 of 2001) of the Diseases of Animals Act 1966 (No. 6 of 1966) shall continue in force for the period ending on 8th March, 2010.”

—*An tAire Talmhaíochta, Iascaigh agus Bia.*

### ORDUITHE AN LAE ORDERS OF THE DAY

- 23.** (l) An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar mhaithe le Leas an Phobail 2009 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).  
 (a) Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Bill 2009 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

*Leasú ar an Tairiscint don Dara Léamh (atógáil):*

*Amendment to Motion for Second Reading (resumed):*

1. To delete all words after “That” and substitute the following:

“Dáil Éireann declines to give the Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest Bill 2009 a second reading because:

- (a) the Government has not set out a fair and balanced five year economic approach covering the correction in the Public Finances,
- (b) the Government has not set out clear proposals to change the policies and the personnel executing regulation of the Financial Services Sector to usher in a new culture in banking,
- (c) the Government has not imposed an income cap on Bank Executives and insists on new Boards, new Executives, new Auditors in those banks that have or are to receive recapitalisation from the State.”. — *Richard Bruton, Enda Kenny, 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, 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.** Ráitis maidir le “Creat chun Clár Scagtha Reitineapaite Diaibéiti d’Éirinn a Fhorbairt”. Statements on a “Framework for the Development of a Diabetic Retinopathy Screening Programme for Ireland”.

- 25.** Ráitis maidir le Tuarascáil Deloitte ar Athbhreithniú Costais agus Éifeachtúlachta ar Bhus

Átha Cliath agus ar Bhus Éireann.  
 Statements on the Deloitte Report on a Cost and Efficiency Review of Dublin Bus and  
 Bus Éireann.

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26. An Bille um Chomhlíonadh an Dlí Fostaíochta 2008 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).  
 Employment Law Compliance Bill 2008 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

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27. An Bille Craolacháin 2008 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  
 Broadcasting Bill 2008 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

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28. An Bille um Inimirce, Cónaí agus Cosaint 2008 — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  
 Immigration, Residence and Protection Bill 2008 — Order for Report.

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29. An Bille um Athchóiriú an Dlí Talún agus Tiolactha 2006 [*Seanad*] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  
 Land and Conveyancing Law Reform Bill 2006 [*Seanad*] — Order for Report.

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

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31. Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón gCoiste ar an Ról Méadaithe do Pharlaimintí Náisiúnta i gConradh Liospóin um Athchóiriú (*atógáil*).  
 Statements on Committee Report on the Enhanced Role for National Parliaments in the Lisbon Reform Treaty (*resumed*).

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32. Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón gCoimisiún um Thoghlaigh 2007.  
 Statements on the Constituency Commission Report 2007.

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33. Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2007] (*Tairiscint 5, atógáil*).  
 Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2007] (*Motion 5, resumed*).

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34. Ráitis maidir le hIompar 21 (*atógáil*).  
 Statements on Transport 21 (*resumed*).

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35. Ráitis maidir le hAthchaipitliú Beartaithe Bhainc-Aontas Éireann agus Bhanc na hÉireann.  
 Statements on the Planned Recapitalisation of Allied Irish Banks and Bank of Ireland.

**GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA**  
**PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**

*Gnó a ordáiodh:*  
*Business ordered:*

- 36.** Bille an Gharda Síochána (Cumhachtaí Faireachais) 2007 — An Dara Céim.  
 Garda Síochána (Powers of Surveillance) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.

—*Pat Rabbitte.*

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- 37.** An Bille fá Chlár um Chosaint Finnéithe (Uimh. 2) 2007 — An Dara Céim.  
 Witness Protection Programme (No. 2) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.

—*Pat Rabbitte.*

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- 38.** An Bille um an Naoú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
 Twenty-ninth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Arthur Morgan.*

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- 39.** An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Cosaint Tí Cónaithe) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
 Criminal Law (Home Defence) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Charles Flanagan, Michael Ring.*

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- 40.** An Bille um Chosaint Fostaithe (Oibrithe Gníomhaireachta) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
 Protection of Employees (Agency Workers) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Willie Penrose.*

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- 41.** An Bille um Dhliteanas Sibhialta (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
 Civil Liability (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Charles Flanagan.*

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- 42.** An Bille Gairmoideachais (Bunoideachas) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
 Vocational Education (Primary Education) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Ruairí Quinn.*

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- 43.** An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 2008 — An Dara Céim.

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Ethics in Public Office Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Joan Burton.*

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- 44.** An Bille um Thrédhearcacht Ceapachán Poiblí 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Public Appointments Transparency Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Leo Varadkar.*

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- 45.** An Bille um Thoghcháin Áitiúla 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Local Elections Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Ciarán Lynch.*

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- 46.** An Bille um Shaoráil Faisnéise (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Freedom of Information (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Joan Burton.*

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- 47.** An Bille um Choiisiún Toghcháin 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Electoral Commission Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Ciarán Lynch.*

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- 48.** An Bille um Chlárú Brústocairí 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Registration of Lobbyists Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Brendan Howlin.*

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- 49.** An Bille um Bochtaineacht Breosla agus Caomhnú Fuinnimh 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Fuel Poverty and Energy Conservation Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Liz McManus.*

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- 50.** An Bille chun na hAchtanna um Chiontaí in aghaidh an Stáit a Aisghairm 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Offences Against the State Acts Repeal Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Aengus Ó Snodaigh, Martin Ferris, Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Arthur Morgan.*

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- 51.** An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Joe Costello.*

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52. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Coireacht Fhoréigneach a Chosc) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Criminal Justice (Violent Crime Prevention) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Charles Flanagan.*

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53. An Bille um Chosaint Sonraí (Nochtadh) (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Data Protection (Disclosure) (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Simon Coveney.*

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54. An Bille Aerloingseoireachta agus Aeríompair (Géilleadh Neamhghnách a Chosc) 2008  
— An Dara Céim.  
Air Navigation and Transport (Prevention of Extraordinary Rendition) Bill 2008 —  
Second Stage.

—*Michael D. Higgins.*

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55. Bille an Choimisiúin um Chearta an Duine (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim.  
Human Rights Commission (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Aengus Ó Snodaigh.*

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56. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Imeachtaí Forfheidhmiúcháin) 2008 — An Dara  
Céim.  
Planning and Development (Enforcement Proceedings) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

—*Mary Upton.*

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57. An Bille um Chnuas-Mhuinisín 2008 — Ordú don Choiste.  
Cluster Munitions Bill 2008 — Order for Committee.

—*Billy Timmins.*

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58. An Bille um Athrú Aeráide 2009 — An Dara Céim.  
Climate Change Bill 2009 — Second Stage.

—*Eamon Gilmore.*

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- 59.** An Bille um an mBanc-Chorparáid Angla-Éireannach (Uimh. 2) 2009 — An Dara Céim.  
Anglo Irish Bank Corporation (No. 2) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.

—*Joan Burton.*

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*Fógraí Tairisceana:*  
*Notices of Motions:*

- 60.** “That Dáil Éireann:

recognises that:

- reckless and incompetent management, regulation and oversight of the domestic Irish banking system has damaged domestic and international confidence in Ireland’s economy;
- the Irish economy cannot recover from the deepening economic depression without a functioning banking system that enjoys the trust of depositors, international markets and the community at large;
- there is growing market scepticism that the recently announced €7 billion recapitalisation plan for AIB and Bank of Ireland has been designed in a way that can restore the health of the Irish financial system and credit availability to Irish businesses and families; and
- there is a public perception that the resolution of this banking crisis is being manipulated in the interests of powerful and wealthy elites and that unless the Government addresses this suspicion in an open and transparent manner, it will not have the legitimacy needed to gain the necessary support for the painful measures needed to put our public finances and economy back on a sounder footing;

calls on the Government to:

- take more decisive action to restore the financial health and reputation of the Irish banking system as a prudent and responsible manager of investors’ capital and depositors’ savings and as a reliable source of credit for Irish businesses;
- engage more decisively with other EU Governments to agree a common EU model of bank recapitalisation and bad debt resolution that ensures that losses are absorbed first and foremost not by taxpayers but by those who took on the risk of funding the risky lending policies of the banks;
- replace the current board and senior management team of the Irish Financial Services Regulatory Authority (IFSRA);
- give the Office of the Director of Corporate Enforcement the lead role in all investigations into recent transactions by banks, their investors and directors that may have breached both company law and financial regulation, given that IFSRA itself was at the centre of many of these transactions;
- reveal the names of the ‘Golden Circle’ of ten investors in Anglo Irish Bank, and outline what steps the Government and the bank are now taking to recover the associated €300m in debts on behalf of the tax-payer;
- open up the appointment of the next Governor of the Central Bank to open international competition and scrutiny by the Oireachtas;
- set a cap of €250,000 on the salaries (including bonuses and share options) of senior managers of financial institutions whose liabilities have been guaranteed by the State

and/or in which the State has invested, until the guarantee has expired and the State investment has been repaid;

- publish an abridged version of the PricewaterhouseCoopers report into the loan exposures of all the banks whose liabilities have been guaranteed by the State; and
- insist that the banks provide a more credible estimate of their likely loan losses over the coming years prior to any form of State recapitalisation.” — *Richard Bruton, Enda Kenny, 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, 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 February, 2009]

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**61.** “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]

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**62.** “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]

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**63.** “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, Séan 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, 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]

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**64.** “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]

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**65.** "That Dáil Éireann:

- recognises that there are currently at least 150 families affected by Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (DMD) in Ireland today;
- notes that there is no cure for this disease resulting in an average life expectancy of late teens – early twenties;
- agrees that there is no translational research or clinical trials for DMD being carried out in Ireland and that international research efforts should be supported;
- agrees with the Minister of State for Disability who has stated there is no mechanism or budget for Irish Government funding to UK health research and has recommended an application to the Health Research Board (HRB);
- recognises that, whilst the HRB and the Joint Committee on Health and Children have indicated that funding can be made available provided it is shown to benefit Irish children, to-date there is still no confirmation that this funding is available;
- recognises that the Joint Committee on Health and Children have unanimously in 2008 voted 12-0 in favour of supporting funding of Duchenne Research; and
- calls on the Government to provide funding to Duchenne Ireland to allocate to the most promising research strategies in order to accelerate drugs through the clinical trial process and to ensure that Irish boys have access to these trials;

acknowledges that:

- Duchenne Ireland is a registered Irish Charity (CHY 18197) that has a formal research strategy in place for progressing therapies for DMD;
- this research strategy involves a stringent grant application process and international review process by the charity's international scientific review board;
- Duchenne Ireland are members of IPPOSI, Treat-NMD, and UPPMD, all of which are progressing the cause of research into rare diseases and/or Duchenne;
- a rare disease like Duchenne requires international best research due to the specialisation of the disease in question and the lack of research expertise and that the HRB has prioritised translational research;
- the current MRCG budget for 2008 for international research available for competitive scientific bidding to all charities in the MRCG (27 at current count), is €60,000 given the MRCG mandates that only 10% of 2008 budgeted allowance for co-funding can be granted to international research; and
- Duchenne Ireland is planning to fund at least €200,000 per year in charity research funding towards translational therapies for Duchenne, and that a 27-1 chance of potential co-funding is not an adequate solution to translational therapies for Duchenne." — *Joe McHugh, Denis Naughten, Andrew Doyle, James Reilly, Kieran O'Donnell, Dan Neville.*

[19 November, 2008]

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**66.** "That Dáil Éireann:

notes that:

- the economy was allowed over recent years to become grossly over-dependent on the construction sector accounting for over 20% of the State's GDP and employing one in every eight workers at its peak;
- an over-inflated construction sector masked a steady flow of job losses, particularly in provincial towns;
- the Government failed to accept that the over-reliance on the construction sector was not sustainable and could not continue indefinitely and consequently failed to put in place a strategy to deal with the anticipated contraction of the construction sector or the needs of those dependent on that sector for their employment;
- an estimated 30,000 plus construction workers have lost their jobs to date in 2008;
- the lack of alternative employment is resulting in workers who lost their jobs emigrating in search of work;
- the Government still has not brought forward a strategy to get these workers back into employment and/or training;
- the Government allowed the social security entitlements of many construction workers to be undermined by failing to take action as unscrupulous employers coerced these workers into registering as self-employed; and
- 50.3% of those who lost their jobs in the construction sector in the year to the end of June were under the age of 25 while 23% of those under the age of 25 still employed in the construction sector at the end of June did not have a Leaving Certificate qualification;

recognises:

- the urgent need for the Government to bring forward a strategy that prioritises the needs of those construction sector workers who have lost their jobs or are at risk of losing their jobs;
- the need to make sure that a controlled reduction in the dependency on the construction sector includes measures to ensure continued employment opportunities in construction as well as measures to enable workers from this sector to access alternative employment; and
- the need for the Government to prioritise the creation of alternative employment opportunities;

calls on the Government:

- to increase our competitiveness and aid economic recovery by frontloading infrastructure projects that can employ workers from the construction sector, including transport, schools, crèches, hospital and primary care development;
- to implement a State Housing Infrastructure Plan, designed to address both housing need and unemployment in the construction sector, including:
  - the construction of the required social housing by local authorities on a targeted basis over 5 years;
  - the completion of currently stalled regeneration projects in local authority housing estates and complexes;
  - a programme of upgrading of local authority dwellings, with special emphasis on housing for older people;

- a social housing maintenance programme, equipping local authorities to ensure that their housing stock is kept in good repair;
- a home heating programme to ensure that local authority tenants, especially older people, have sufficient and energy efficient heating in their homes;
- a home insulation programme to conserve energy and reduce energy costs for householders; and
- a home adaptation programme to carry out essential works to adapt homes for the use of people with disabilities, in tandem with reform of the Disabled Persons' Housing Grant;
- to introduce specific training and upskilling courses for alternative industries to construction to be made available through FÁS and the state's universities and DITs;
- to provide special retraining for construction workers so they can work in the energy saving and renewable energy sectors;
- to introduce a specific back to education scheme for construction sector workers under the age of 25 who did not complete second level education;
- to introduce a mortgage support package for those who have lost their jobs;
- to take steps to deal with the predicament of construction sector workers who were pushed into becoming self-employed by their employers and who consequently do not have adequate social insurance contributions to access social welfare entitlements by allowing for contributions for the last five years to be considered rather than the normal governing contribution period of two years; and
- to introduce measures to allow apprentices to complete apprenticeships that were curtailed due to the recession in construction.” — *Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Arthur Morgan, Martin Ferris, Aengus Ó Snodaigh.*

[25 November, 2008]

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**67.** “That Dáil Éireann:

deplores:

- the savage cuts to the budget of the Equality Authority which has removed 43% of its budget and will severely limit its capacity to carry out its core functions;
- the ill-thought out and poorly planned decision to decentralise the Equality Authority which has resulted in the loss of experienced and expert staff;
- the treatment of the Equality Authority by the Government which ultimately resulted in the resignation of its Chief Executive and a Board Member;
- the unprecedented cut to the budget of the Irish Human Rights Commission which has removed 24% of its budget and will severely limit its capacity to carry out its core functions;
- the weakening of the Irish Human Rights Commission despite its importance in the context of the Good Friday Agreement; and
- the disproportionate budget cuts to human rights and equality bodies despite the myriad of agencies under the remit of the Department of Justice, Equality and Law Reform;

calls on the Government to immediately:

- engage bilaterally with the Equality Authority and Irish Human Rights Commission to ascertain their resource needs;
- provide the necessary funding to allow the Irish Human Rights Commission and the Equality Authority to carry out their full remits; and
- affirm the Government's commitment to uphold human rights and equality in Irish society and to deliver on its own stated policies in these areas.” — *Charles Flanagan, 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, 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.*

[27 January, 2009]

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- 68.** 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**

- (l) An Bille um Binsí Fiosrúcháin 2005 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.  
(a) Tribunals of Inquiry Bill 2005 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women’s Rights.
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An Bille um Chiontuithe Spíonta 2007 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Spent Convictions Bill 2007 — Select Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women’s Rights.

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

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

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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.

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An Bille Eadrána 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

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

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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.

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An Bille Ombudsman (Leasú) 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Airgeadas agus an tSeirbhís Phoiblí.

Ombudsman (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Finance and the Public Service.

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An Bille fán Scéim um Thacaíocht Tithe Banaltrais 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí.

Nursing Homes Support Scheme Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Health and Children.

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#### **MEMORANDA**

*Dé Máirt, 24 Feabhra, 2009  
Tuesday, 24th February, 2009*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 11.30 a.m.

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Cruinniú den Cruinniú den Fhochoiste um Chruthú Post trí Acmhainní Fuinnimh In-Athnuaithe a Úsáid i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 12 meán lae (*priobháideach*).

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Job Creation through Use of Renewable Energy Resources in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 12 noon (*private*).

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 2 p.m. (*priobháideach*).

Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Affairs in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 2 p.m. (*private*).

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Comhionannas, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 2 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice, Equality, Defence and Women's Rights in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 2 p.m.

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

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Rialtas Áitiúil i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 3.30 p.m.  
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Environment, Heritage and Local Government in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 3.30 p.m.

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*Dé Céadaoin, 25 Feabhra, 2009  
 Wednesday, 25th February, 2009*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Fuinneamh agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 9.45 a.m.  
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Energy and Natural Resources in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 9.45 a.m.

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhiontair, Trádáil agus Fostaíocht i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 10 a.m.  
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Enterprise, Trade and Employment in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 10 a.m.

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Riaracháin i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 12.15 p.m.  
*(priobháideach).*  
 Meeting of the Joint Administration Committee in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 12.15 p.m. *(private).*

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Ealaón, Spóirt, Turasóireachta, Pobail, Tuaithé agus Gaeltachta i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 2.30 p.m.  
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Arts, Sport, Tourism, Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 2.30 p.m.

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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.

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Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 4.30 p.m.  
 Meeting of the Select Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 4.30 p.m.

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

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

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*Déardaoin, 26 Feabhra, 2009  
Thursday, 26th February, 2009*

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.

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Airgeadas agus an tSeirbhís Phoiblí i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 10 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Finance and the Public Service in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 10 a.m.

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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.

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Cruinniú d'Fhochoistí um Fhorbairt Choigríche den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Overseas Development of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 11.30 a.m.

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Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Airgeadas agus an tSeirbhís Phoiblí i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 1.15 p.m.

Meeting of the Select Committee on Finance and the Public Service in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 1.15 p.m.

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 2 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Affairs in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 2 p.m.

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An Bille fán Ombudsman um Sheirbhísí Dlí 2008.

Legal Services Ombudsman Bill 2008.

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- 1) Na Rialacháin Sláinte Poiblí (Tobac) (Comhartha Miondiola) 2009 (I.R. Uimh. 57 de 2009).
- 2) Ráitis i leith Comhairleoirí Speisialta don Aire Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh, Máire Ní Ainifín, T.D., de réir na nAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 1995 agus 2001 [2008] [19 Feabhra, 2009].
- 3) Comhairle na nDámhachtainí Ardoideachais agus Oiliúna. Ráitis Airgeadais, 2007.
- 4) Cód Iompair do Chógaiseoirí, 2008.
- 5) Bord Fiontar Thuaisceart Chorcaí. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2007.
- 6) Bord Fiontar Thuaisceart Chorcaí. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2007.
- 7) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 2182/2004 maidir le boinn agus airíochtaí atá cosúil leis na monaí euro mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Com (2008) 514.
- 8) Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad Leasaitheach Uimh. 7 a ghabhann le Buiséad Ginearálta 2008: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt 111 – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 556.
- 9) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le heagrú Chiste Dlúthpháirtíochta an AE mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 557.
- 10) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle (CE) lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1083/2006 lena leagtar síos forálacha ginearálta maidir le Ciste Forbraíochta Réigiúnaí na hEorpa, le Ciste Sóisialach na hEorpa agus leis an gCiste

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- 1) Public Health (Tobacco) (Retail Sign) Regulations 2009 (S.I. No. 57 of 2009).
- 2) Statements in respect of Special Advisers to the Minister for Social and Family Affairs, Mary Hanafin, T.D., in accordance with the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001 [2008] [19 Feb, 2009].
- 3) The Higher Education and Training Awards Council. Financial Statements, 2007.
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- 8) Preliminary Draft Amending Budget No. 7 to the General Budget 2008: Statement of Expenditure by Section: Section 111 – Commission together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 556.
- 9) Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 557.
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Comhtháthaithe, i leith tionscadal áirithe ioncam-ghiniúna mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Com (2008) 558.

11) Litir Leasaitheach Uimh. 1 a ghabhann le Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad 2009: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt III – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
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12) Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad Leasaitheach Uimh. 8 a ghabhann le Buiséad Ginearálta 2008: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt III – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 564.

13) Togra le haghaidh Treorach .../.../CE ón gComhairle lena gcinntear raon feidhme Airteagal 143(b) agus (c) de Threoir 2006/112/CE maidir leis an gcomhchóras cánach breislúacha i dtaca le díoltúine ó cháin bhreislúacha ar allmhairiú deiridh earrai áirithe mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 575.

14) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Treoracha 2006/48/CE agus 2006/49/CE maidir le bainc atá cleamhnaithe le forais lánacha, ítimí áirithe cistí dílse, neamhchosaintí móra, socrutithe maoirseachta agus bainistiú géarchéime mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 602.

15) Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad Leasaitheach Uimh. 9 a ghabhann le Buiséad Ginearálta 2008: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt VI – Coiste Eacnamaíoch agus Sóisialta na hEorpa mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 619.

16) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le dul i mbun gnó foras airgid leictreonaigh, gnó den sórt sin a shaothrú nó maoirsíú stuama a dhéanamh air, lena leasaítear Treoracha 2005/60/CE agus

generating projects together with explanatory information note.  
Com (2008) 558.

11) Amending Letter No. 1 to the Preliminary Draft Budget 2009: Statement of Expenditure by Section:  
Section III – Commission together with explanatory information note.  
Sec (2008) 2435.

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COM (2008) 564.

13) Proposal for a Council Directive .../.../EC determining the scope of Article 143(b) and (c) of Directive 2006/112/EC as regards exemption from value added tax on the final importation of certain goods on the common system of value added tax together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 575.

14) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2006/48/EC and 2006/49/EC as regards banks affiliated to central institutions, certain own funds items, large exposures, supervisory arrangements, and crisis management together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 602.

15) Preliminary Draft Amending Budget No. 9 to the General Budget 2008: Statement of Expenditure by Section: Section VI – European economic and Social Committee together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 619.

16) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the taking up, pursuit and prudential supervision of the business of electronic money institutions, amending Directives 2005/60/EC and 2006/48/EC and repealing Directive

2006/48/CE agus lena n-aisghairtear Treoir 2000/46/CE mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 627.

17) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le híocaíochtaí trasteorann sa Chomhphobal mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Com (2008) 640.

18) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Treoir 94/19/CE maidir le Scéimeanna Ráthaíochta Taiscí i dtaca leis an leibhéal cumhdaigh agus leis an moill ar ioc mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 661.

19) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ón gComhairle maidir leis an gcomhchóras cánachais is infheidhme i gcás máthairchuideachtaí agus fochuideachtaí de chuid Ballstát éagsúil (Leagan códaithe) mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 691.

20) Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad Leasaitheach Uimh. 10 a ghabhann le Buiséad Ginearálta 2008: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt 111 – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 693.

21) Litir Leasaitheach Uimh. 2 a ghabhann le Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad 2009: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt III – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Sec (2008) 2707.

22) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le Gnáiomhaireachtaí Rátála Creidmheasa mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Com (2008) 704.

23) Moladh le haghaidh Cinnidh ón

2000/46/EC together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 627.

17) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on cross-border payments in the Community together with explanatory information note.  
Com (2008) 640.

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COM (2008) 661.

19) Proposal for a Council Directive on the common system of taxation applicable in the case of parent companies and subsidiaries of different Member States (Codified version) together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 691.

20) Preliminary Draft Amending Budget No. 10 to the General Budget 2008: Statement of Expenditure by Section: Section 111 – Commission together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 693.

21) Amending Letter No. 2 to the Preliminary Draft Budget 2009: Statement of Expenditure by Section:  
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Sec (2008) 2707.

22) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on Credit Rating Agencies together with explanatory information note.  
Com (2008) 704.

23) Recommendation for a Council Decision

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COM (2008) 716.

24) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 332/2002 lena mbunaítear saoráid lena soláthraítear cúnamh airgeadais sa mheántearma le haghaidh comharduithe iocaíochtaí Ballstát mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

Com (2008) 717.

25) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Treoir 2003/48/CE maidir le cánachas ar ioncam ó choigiltis i bhfoirm iocaíochtaí úis mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 727.

26) Réamh-Dhréachtbhuiséad Leasaitheach Uimh. 11 a ghabhann le Buiséad Ginearálta 2008: Ráiteas Caiteachais de réir Ailt: Alt 111 – An Coimisiún mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 731.

27) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le hEagrú Chiste Dlúthpháirtíochta an AE mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 732.

28) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena ndéantar an ráta ranníoca le scéim pinsean oifigeach agus seirbhíseach eile de chuid na gComphphobal Eorpach a choigeartú ón 1 Iúil 2008 mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

Com (2008) 787.

29) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle (CE, EURATOM) lena ndéantar luach saothair agus pinsin oifigeach agus seirbhíseach eile de chuid na gComphphobal Eorpach agus na comhéifeachtaí ceartúcháin a chuirtear i bhfeidhm maidir leo a choigeartú le héifeacht ón 1 Iúil 2008 mar

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COM (2008) 716.

24) Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No. 332/2002 establishing a facility providing medium-term financial assistance for Member States' balances of payments together with explanatory information note.

Com (2008) 717.

25) Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2003/48/EC on taxation of savings income in the form of interest payments together with explanatory information note.

COM (2008) 727.

26) Preliminary Draft Amending Budget No. 11 to the General Budget 2008: Statement of Expenditure by Section: Section 111 – Commission together with explanatory information note.

COM (2008) 731.

27) Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund together with explanatory information note.

COM (2008) 732.

28) Proposal for a Council Regulation adjusting, from 1 July 2008, the rate of contribution to the pension scheme of officials and other servants of the European Communities together with explanatory information note.

Com (2008) 787.

29) Proposal for a Council (EC, EURATOM) Regulation adjusting with effect from 1 July 2008 the remuneration and pensions of officials and other servants of the European Communities and the correction coefficients applied thereto together with explanatory information note.

aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.  
Com (2008) 788.

30) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1083/2006 maidir le Ciste Forbraíochta Réigiúnaí na hEorpa, le Ciste Sóisialach na hEorpa agus leis an gCiste Comhtháthaithe i dtaca le forálacha áirithe a bhaineann le bainistiú airgeadais mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

Com (2008) 803.

31) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1081/2006 maidir le Ciste Sóisialach na hEorpa chun na cineálacha costas atá incháilithe le haghaidh ranníocaíochta ó lucht bainistíochta CSE a leathnú mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

Com (2008) 813.

32) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le hEagrú na hlonstraime Solúbthachta mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 833.

33) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1080/2006 maidir le Ciste Forbraíochta Réigiúnaí na hEorpa i dtaca le hincháilitheacht infheistíochtaí sa tithíocht maidir le héifeachtacht fuinnimh agus fuinneamh inathnuaithe mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

Com (2008) 838.

34) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1334/2000 lena mbunaítear córas Comhphobail chun onnmhairí d'ítimí agus teicneolaíocht dé-úsáide a rialú mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 854.

35) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle lena mbunaítear seasamh an Chomhphobail laistigh de Chomhairle

Com (2008) 788.

30) Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No. 1083/2006 on the European Regional Development Fund, the European Social Fund and the Cohesion Fund concerning certain provisions relating to financial management together with explanatory information note.

Com (2008) 803.

31) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No. 1081/2006 on the European Social Fund to extend the types of costs eligible for a contribution from the ESF management together with explanatory information note.

Com (2008) 813.

32) Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Mobilisation of the Flexibility Instrument together with explanatory information note.

COM (2008) 833.

33) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No. 1080/2006 on the European Regional Development Fund as regards the eligibility of energy efficiency and renewable energy investments in housing together with explanatory information note.

Com (2008) 838.

34) Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No. 1334/2000 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports of dual-use items and technology together with explanatory information note.

COM (2008) 854.

35) Proposal for a Council Decision establishing the Community position within the General Council of the World Trade

Ghinearálta na hEagraíochta Trádála Domhanda maidir le haontachas Mhontainéagró leis an Eagraíocht Trádála Domhanda mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 883.

36) Togra leasaithe le haghaidh Rialachán (CE) Uimh. .../... ón gComhairle lena dtugtar isteach bearta trádála neamhgnácha le haghaidh tíortha agus críoch atá rannpháirteach i bpróiseas Cobhsaíochta agus Comhlachais an Aontais Eorpaigh, nó nasctha leis, (leagan códaithe) mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 889.

37) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1927/2006 maidir le Ciste Coigearaithe Forchríochaithe na hEorpa a bhunú mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 867.

38) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle maidir le rannpháirtíocht an Chomhphobail i gclár taighde agus forbartha méadreolaíochta Eorpach a bhfuil Ballstáit leithleacha ag gabháil dó mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 814.

39) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1255/96 lena bhfionraítear go sealadach na dleachtanna taraife comhchustam uathrialacha ar tháirí áirithe tionscail, talmhaíochta agus iascaigh mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 808.

40) Togra le haghaidh Treorach ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena n-aisghairtear Treoracha 71/317/CEE, 71/347/CEE, 71/349/CEE, 74/148/CEE, 75/33/CEE, 76/765/CEE, 76/766/CEE agus 86/217/CEE ón gComhairle i dtaca leis an méadreolaíocht mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin.

COM (2008) 801.

Organization on the accession of Montenegro to the World Trade Organization together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 883.

36) Amended Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) No. .../... introducing exceptional trade measures for countries and territories participating in or linked to the European Union's Stabilisation and Association process (codified version) together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 889.

37) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No. 1927/2006 on establishing the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 867.

38) Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the participation by the Community in a European metrology research and development programme undertaken by several Member States together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 814.

39) Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No. 1255/96 temporarily suspending the autonomous common customs tariff duties on certain industrial, agricultural and fishery products together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 808.

40) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directives 71/317/EEC, 71/347/EEC, 71/349/EEC, 74/148/EEC, 75/33/EEC, 76/765/EEC, 76/766/EEC, and 86/217/EEC regarding metrology together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 801.

41) Páipéar Uaine maidir le Comhshásamh Tomhaltóirí mar aon le nota faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 794.

42) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle maidir le críochnú Comhaontaithe atá thíre ar an gComhaontú maidir le comhoibriú san eolaíocht agus sa teicneolaíocht idir an Comhphobal Eorpach agus Rialtas Chónaídhm na Rúise a athnuachan mar aon le nota faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 728.

43) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle maidir le síniú agus cur chun feidhme sealadach Comhaontaithe ar mhodh Malartú Litreacha idir an Comhphobal Eorpach agus Poblacht na Bealarúise lena leasaítear an Comhaontú idir an Comhphobal Eorpach agus Poblacht na Bealarúise maidir le trádáil i dtáirgí teicstíle mar aon le nota faisnéise míniúcháin.  
COM (2008) 729.

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- 2) Comhairle Spóirt na hÉireann. Athbhreithniú ar Luach ar Airgead agus Beartas, 2000 - 2006 (2008).
- 3) Na Rialacháin um Arsanaic, Caidmiam, Mearcair, Nicil agus Hidreacarbóin Iltimhrialacha Aramatacha san Aer Comhthimpeallach 2009 (I.R. Uimh. 58 de 2009).
- 4) Cuimsiú Sóisialta. Léiriú Sóisialta ar Phobail in Éirinn (An Roinn Gnóthaí Sóisialacha agus Teaghlaigh).

41) Green Paper on Consumer Collective Redress together with explanatory information note.  
COM (2008) 794.

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