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# ORD GNÓ ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. An Bille um Sheirbhísí Maoine (Rialáil) 2009 [Seanad] — An Dara Céim. Property Services (Regulation) Bill 2009 [Seanad] — Second Stage.

# GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

**73.** Tairiscint *maidir le* hAthchóiriú ar Struchtúir Rialtais. Motion *re* Reform of Structures of Government.

Fómhair, 2010.

# I dTOSACH GNÓ PHOIBLÍ AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Billí ón Seanad : B	ills from the Seanad
1. An Bille um Sheirbhísí Maoine (Rialáil) 2 Property Services (Regulation) Bill 2009	
2. An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí (Leasú) Ethics in Public Office (Amendment) Bill	
Billí a thionscnamh	: Initiation of Bills
Tiolactha: Presented:	
3. An Bille um an Ochtú Leasú is Fiche ar ar Twenty-eighth Amendment of the Constit	n mBunreacht 2007 — Ordú don Dara Céim. ution 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.
4. An Bille Airí agus Rúnaithe (Airí Stáit) 20 Ministers and Secretaries (Ministers of St	
Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le laghdú ar líon na nAirí Stáit ó 20 go 12 a fhéadfaidh an Rialtas a cheapadh faoi alt 1(1) den Acht Airí agus Rúnaithe (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 1977.	Bill entitled an Act to provide for a decrease in the number of Ministers of State from 20 to 12 who may be appointed by the Government under section 1(1) of the Ministers and Secretaries (Amendment) (No. 2) Act 1977.
	—Alan Shatter.
Fógraí Tairisceana	: Notices of Motions
5. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Cúigiú Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Athrú Aeráide agus Áirithiú Fuinnimh dar teideal 'An Dara Tuarascáil maidir le Dlí Athraithe Aeráide', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 13 Deireadh	That Dáil Éireann notes the Fifth Report of the Joint Committee on Climate Change and Energy Security entitled 'Second Report on Climate Change Law', copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 13th October, 2010."

—Dinny McGinley, Chairman of the Committee. [19 October, 2010]

6. "Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann, de bhun Airteagal 29.5.2° de Bhunreacht na hÉireann, téarmaí an Chomhaontaithe idir Éire agus an Ciste Airgeadaíochta Idirnáisiúnta maidir le hIasachtaí a Fháil, a síníodh an 3 Feabhra, 2010, ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 23 Feabhra, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann, pursuant to Article 29.5.2° of Bunreacht na hÉireann, approves the terms of the Borrowing Agreement between Ireland and the International Monetary Fund, signed on 3rd February, 2010, a copy of which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 23rd February, 2010."

—An tAire Airgeadais.

7. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha dar teideal 'Aontas Airgeadaíochta Eorpach: Dúshláin agus Roghanna', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 13 Iúil, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Affairs entitled 'European Monetary Union: Challenges and Options', copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 13th July, 2010."

——Bernard J. Durkan, Chairman of the Committee. [29 September, 2010]

**8.** "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste ar an mBunreacht dar teideal 'Airteagal 16 den Bhunreacht – Athbhreithniú ar an gCóras Toghcháin maidir le Comhaltaí a Thoghadh chun Dáil Éireann' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 22 Iúil, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on the Constitution entitled 'Article 16 of the Constitution – Review of the Electoral System for the Election of Members to Dáil Éireann' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 22nd July, 2010."

—Seán Ardagh, Chairman of the Committee. [29 September, 2010]

9. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha agus ón gComhchoiste um Ghrinnscrúdú Eorpach maidir leis an Athbhreithniú ar Ról an Oireachtais i nGnóthaí Eorpacha (Tuarascáil ón gComh-Fhochoiste), ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 7 Iúil, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on European Affairs and the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny on the Review of the Role of the Oireachtas in European Affairs (Report of the Joint sub-Committee), copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 7th July, 2010."

—Bernard J. Durkan, Chairman of the Joint Committee on European Affairs and John Perry, Chairman of the Joint Committee on European Scrutiny. [14 October, 2010] 10. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Turasóireachta, Cultúir, Spóirt, Pobail, Comhionannais agus Gaeltachta dar teideal 'Straitéis 20 Bliain don Ghaeilge 2010 – 2030', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 28 Iúil, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Sport, Community, Equality and Gaeltacht Affairs entitled '20 Year Strategy on the Irish Language 2010 – 2030', copies of which were laid before Dáil Éireann on 28th July, 2010."

—Tom Kitt, Chairman of the Committee. [19 October, 2010]

11. "Go dtugann Dáil Éireann dá haire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht, Iascach agus Bia dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le hAthchóiriú an Chomhbheartais Talmhaíochta i nDiaidh-2013' a leagadh faoi bhráid Dháil Éireann an 3 Samhain, 2010.

That Dáil Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Food entitled 'Report on Reform of the Common Agricultural Policy Post-2013' which was laid before Dáil Éireann on 3rd November, 2010."

—Johnny Brady, Chairman of the Committee. [04 November, 2010]

## ORDUITHE AN LAE ORDERS OF THE DAY

- 12. (1) An Bille Ceimiceán (Leasú) 2010 Ordú don Tuarascáil.
  - (a) Chemicals (Amendment) Bill 2010 Order for Report.

**13.** An Bille Oideachais (Leasú) 2010 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*). Education (Amendment) Bill 2010 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

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- 14. (l) An Bille Rialtais Áitiúil (Méara agus Údarás Réigiúnach Bhaile Átha Cliath) 2010
   An Dara Céim (atógáil).
  - (a) Local Government (Mayor and Regional Authority of Dublin) Bill 2010 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—

- (a) recognising the potential value for the Greater Dublin area of a directly elected Mayor, adequately resourced and with appropriate powers;
- (b) notes the next local elections are not due to be held until 2014, and believes that it would be preferable for any election of a new Mayor to be held in conjunction with those elections;

(c)	concerned at the potential cost of the new position and of the new Regional Authority for Dublin and the staffing levels that will be required to facilitate the Authority and the Mayor and having regard to the serious economic crisis facing the country,
	lves that the Local Government (Mayor and Regional Authority of Dublin) Bill 2010 be ned to be read a second time on this date in 2012.".— <i>Ciarán Lynch</i> .
15.	An Bille um an Dlí Sibhialta (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha) 2010 — An Dara Céim ( <i>atógáil</i> ). Civil Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2010 — Second Stage ( <i>resumed</i> ).
16.	Bille na nAltraí agus na gCnáimhseach 2010 — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  Nurses and Midwives Bill 2010 — Order for Report.
17.	An Bille um Fhorbairtí Ilaonad 2009 [Seanad] — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  Multi-Unit Developments Bill 2009 [Seanad] — Order for Report.
18.	An Bille um Éilliú a Chosc (Leasú) 2008 — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Order for Report.
19.	An Bille um Rialáil Gníomhaireachtaí Fostaíochta 2009 — Ordú don Tuarascáil. Employment Agency Regulation Bill 2009 — Order for Report.
20.	An Bille um Binsí Fiosrúcháin 2005 — Ordú don Tuarascáil.  Tribunals of Inquiry Bill 2005 — Order for Report.
21.	Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais ( <i>Tairiscint 11</i> , <i>atógáil</i> ).  Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance ( <i>Motion 11</i> , <i>resumed</i> ).
22.	Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2008] ( <i>Tairiscint 15</i> , <i>atógáil</i> ). Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2008] ( <i>Motion 15</i> , <i>resumed</i> ).
23.	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> ).

24.	Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón gCoimisiún um Thoghlaigh 2007. Statements on the Constituency Commission Report 2007.
25.	Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2007] ( <i>Tairiscint 5</i> , <i>atógáil</i> ). Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2007] ( <i>Motion 5</i> , <i>resumed</i> ).
26.	Ráitis maidir le hIompar 21 (atógáil). Statements on Transport 21 (resumed).
27.	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.
28.	Tairiscintí Airgeadais ón Aire Airgeadais [2009] ( <i>Tairiscint 5</i> , <i>atógáil</i> ). Financial Motions by the Minister for Finance [2009] ( <i>Motion 5</i> , <i>resumed</i> ).
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	a ordaíodh: ness ordered:
29.	Bille an Gharda Síochána (Cumhachtaí Faireachais) 2007 — An Dara Céim. Garda Síochána (Powers of Surveillance) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.
	—Pat Rabbitte.
30.	An Bille fá Chlár um Chosaint Finnéithe (Uimh. 2) 2007 — An Dara Céim. Witness Protection Programme (No. 2) Bill 2007 — Second Stage.
	—Pat Rabbitte.
31.	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.
32.	An Bille Rialtais Áitiúil (Rátaí) (Leasú) 2009 — An Dara Céim. Local Government (Rates) (Amendment) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.
	—Ciarán Lynch.

33.	An Bille um Chosaint Fostaithe (Oibrithe Gníomhaireachta) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Protection of Employees (Agency Workers) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Willie Penrose.
34.	An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar mhaithe le Leas an Phobail (Athbhreithnithe ar Chíosanna Tráchtála) 2009 — An Dara Céim.  Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest (Reviews of Commercial Rents) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.
	—Ciarán Lynch.
35.	An Bille um Chartlann Náisiúnta (Leasú) 2009 — An Dara Céim. National Archives (Amendment) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.
	—Mary Upton.
36.	An Bille um Dhliteanas Sibhialta (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Civil Liability (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Charles Flanagan.
37.	An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Eastáit a Ghlacadh faoi Chúram)(Teorainn Ama) 2009 — An Dara Céim.  Planning and Development (Taking in Charge of Estates)(Time Limit) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.
	—Seán Sherlock.
38.	An Bille um Fháltais ó Choireacht (Leasú) 2010 — An Dara Céim. Proceeds of Crime (Amendment) Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Pat Rabbitte.
39.	An Bille Gairmoideachais (Bunoideachas) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Vocational Education (Primary Education) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Ruairí Quinn.
40.	An Bille um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 2008 — An Dara Céim. Ethics in Public Office Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

		—Joan Burton.
41.	An Bille um Rialachas Corparáideach (Cóid Chleachtais) 2009 — An Dar Corporate Governance (Codes of Practice) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	ra Céim.
	<u>-</u> -	Eamon Gilmore.
42.	An Bille Rialtais Áitiúil (Pleanáil agus Forbairt) (Leasú) 2009 — An Dara Local Government (Planning and Development) (Amendment) Bill 2 Stage.	
	-	—Martin Ferris.
43.	An Bille um Thoghcháin Áitiúla 2008 — An Dara Céim. Local Elections Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
		—Ciarán Lynch.
44.	An Bille um Shaoráil Faisnéise (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2008 — An Dara Céim Freedom of Information (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2008 — Second Stage	
		—Joan Burton.
45.	An Bille um Choimisiún Toghcháin 2008 — An Dara Céim. Electoral Commission Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
		—Ciarán Lynch.
46.	An Bille um Chlárú Brústocairí 2008 — An Dara Céim. Registration of Lobbyists Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	
	- $I$	Brendan Howlin.
47.	An Bille um Bochtaineacht Breosla agus Caomhnú Fuinnimh 2008 — An Fuel Poverty and Energy Conservation Bill 2008 — Second Stage.	Dara Céim.
		—Liz McManus.
48.	An Bille chun na hAchtanna um Chiontaí in aghaidh an Stáit a Aisgha Dara Céim.	irm 2008 — An

Offences Against the State Acts Repeal Bill 2008 — Second Stage.

	—Aengus Ó Snodaigh, Martin Ferris, Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Arthur Morgan.
49.	An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Joe Costello.
50.	An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Coireacht Fhoréigneach a Chosc) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Criminal Justice (Violent Crime Prevention) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Charles Flanagan.
51.	An Bille um Chosaint Sonraí (Nochtadh) (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Data Protection (Disclosure) (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Simon Coveney.
52.	An Bille Aerloingseoireachta agus Aeriompair (Géilleadh Neamhghnách a Chosc) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Air Navigation and Transport (Prevention of Extraordinary Rendition) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Michael D. Higgins.
53.	Bille an Choimisiúin um Chearta an Duine (Leasú) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Human Rights Commission (Amendment) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Aengus Ó Snodaigh.
54.	An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Imeachtaí Forfheidhmiúcháin) 2008 — An Dara Céim. Planning and Development (Enforcement Proceedings) Bill 2008 — Second Stage.
	—Mary Upton.
55.	An Bille um Athrú Aeráide 2009 — An Dara Céim. Climate Change Bill 2009 — Second Stage.
	—Eamon Gilmore.

56.	An Bille um an mBanc-Chorparáid Angla-Éireannach (Uimh. 2) 2009 — Anglo Irish Bank Corporation (No. 2) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	- An Dara Céim.
		—Joan Burton.
57.	An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Caomhnú Fostaíochta) (Leasú) 2009 — An	
		—Leo Varadkar.
58.	An Bille Toghcháin (Cothroime Inscne) 2009 — An Dara Céim. Electoral (Gender Parity) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	
		—Ciarán Lynch.
59.	An Bille um Thionóntachtaí Cónaithe (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) 2009 — An Da Residential Tenancies (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	
		—Ciarán Lynch.
60.	An Bille chun Ciorrú Ball Giniúna Baineann a Thoirmeasc 2009 — An Prohibition of Female Genital Mutilation Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	Dara Céim.
		—Jan O'Sullivan.
61.	An Bille um an Naoú Leasú is Fiche ar an mBunreacht 2009 — An Dara Twenty-ninth Amendment of the Constitution Bill 2009 — Second Stag	
		—Alan Shatter.
62.	An Bille Bia (Cóirthrádáil agus Faisnéis) 2009 — An Dara Céim. Food (Fair Trade and Information) Bill 2009 — Second Stage.	
	—Michael Cree	ed, Andrew Doyle.
63.	An Bille um Chosaint Sceithirí 2010 — An Dara Céim. Whistleblowers Protection Bill 2010 — Second Stage.	
		—Pat Rabbitte.

**64.** Bille na Lia-Chleachtóirí (Slánaíocht Ghairmiúil) (Leasú) 2009 — Ordú don Choiste.

	Medical Practitioners (Professional Indemnity) (Amendment) Bill 2009 — Order for Committee.
	—James Reilly.
65.	An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú) 2010 — An Dara Céim. Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Joe Costello, Jan O'Sullivan.
66.	An Bille um Chaomhnóireacht Leanaí 2010 — An Dara Céim. Guardianship of Children Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Kathleen Lynch.
67.	An Bille um Shubstaintí Neamhleigheasacha Sícighníomhacha 2010 — An Dara Céim. Non-Medicinal Psychoactive Substances Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Aengus Ó Snodaigh.
68.	An Bille Toghcháin (Leasú) 2010 — An Dara Céim. Electoral (Amendment) Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Maureen O'Sullivan, Joe Behan, Finian McGrath.
69.	An Bille um Rialáil Leapacha Gréine (Uimh. 2) 2010 — An Dara Céim. Sunbeds Regulation (No. 2) Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—Jan O'Sullivan.
70.	An Bille um Rialú Foirgníochta (Leasú) 2010 — An Dara Céim. Building Control (Amendment) Bill 2010 — Second Stage.
	—John O'Donoghue.
71.	An Bille um Dhliteanas Sibhialta (Samáraigh Mhaithe agus Saorálaithe) 2009 — Ordú don Choiste.  Civil Liability (Good Samaritans and Volunteers) Bill 2009 — Order for Committee.
	—Charles Flanagan, Billy Timmins.

72. An Bille chun Doghluaisteacht Feithiclí a Rialáil 2010 — An Dara Céim. Vehicle Immobilisation Regulation Bill 2010 — Second Stage.

Fógraí Tairisceana: Notices of Motions:

### 73. "That Dáil Éireann:

- concerned that the sudden and calamitous change in our economic fortunes, coupled with revelations of waste of public money and resources, has undermined public confidence not alone in the present Government but also in the structures of government;
- recognising that fewer and fewer people feel any sense of ownership of their politics and that we need to bring about a more practical democracy, that empowers citizens and ends the sense of exclusion of so many of our people, and to ensure that individuals have a far greater involvement in the decisions that shape their lives;
- acknowledging that a process of renewal must commence with the Oireachtas itself and with fundamental reforms of our national parliament and its procedures, so as to meet the needs of the Irish people in the 21st century;
- believing that the principles and practices underpinning accountability in government and in public administration also need radical reform and that legislation and constitutional measures guaranteeing the primacy of the public interest must be put in place as a priority; and
- affirming that the abuse of the whip by the parties in Government, as exemplified by the recent dismissal by the Government majority on the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Food of the Ombudsman's Special Report on the 'Lost at Sea' Scheme, is utterly destructive of attempts to secure the accountability of the Government to the Dáil as required by the Constitution;

calls for the introduction of a programme of reform that would include at a minimum the following elements:

- legislation on the issue of cabinet confidentiality, to ensure that it cannot be used to cover up necessary investigations;
- the restoration of the Freedom of Information Act 1997 to its original form and scope and the extension of its remit to the Garda Síochána and other public bodies;
- the introduction of whistleblowers legislation;
- spending limits for local and Presidential elections and the reduction in the ceilings for European and general elections;
- reform of the system of appointments to State boards to ensure that the process is transparent and that those appointed have the requisite knowledge and skills;
- legislation to further restrict contributions to political parties and candidates and to require greater disclosure of donations;
- repeal of the Official Secrets Act 1963, retaining a criminal sanction only for breaches which involve a serious threat to public policy (the international relations of the State, the conduct of a fair trial, national security and the like);
- a statutory register of lobbyists and rules concerning the practice of lobbying;

- rules to ensure that senior public servants (including political appointees) cannot work in the private sector, in an area involving a potential conflict of interest with their former public employment, until at least two years have elapsed;
- a 50 per cent increase in Dáil sitting days, with sittings four days a week, a shorter summer recess and significantly reduced breaks at Christmas and Easter;
- a break-up of the Government monopoly on legislation and its stranglehold over the business of the Dáil;
- a restriction on the use of guillotine motions and other procedural devices that prevent full debate on bills and other measures;
- a petition system for the Dáil, similar to that operating in the European Parliament;
- an independent Fiscal Advisory Council, separated from decision-makers in government, to undertake fiscal macro-economic projections and monitoring, independent of the Government and reporting to the Dáil and the public;
- bring forward the annual Estimates cycle, so that it becomes more timely and relevant, with the Book of Estimates accompanied by a detailed performance report on what the previous year's spending had achieved;
- Oireachtas Committees to be given powers to publish reports on the economy, efficiency and propriety of the Estimates and to give the Dáil an assessment and evaluation of the merits of individual expenditure proposals;
- a role for the Ceann Comhairle in deciding whether a Minister has failed to provide reasonable information in response to a question;
- a repeal of the 'gag' clause that applies to the officers of public bodies and prevents them from expressing an opinion on the merits of Government policy;
- a requirement that the Attorney General's advice to Government be published if it is publicly relied upon as justifying or requiring the passage, defeat or amendment of a bill or the development or amendment of a policy or programme, unless the advice is given in the course of litigation or in relation to pending or contemplated litigation;
- the provision of adequate powers for parliamentary inquiries into matters of public interest and importance, if necessary by an amendment to the Constitution; and
- a reformulated code of laws, replacing both the Ministers and Secretaries Acts 1924 to 2007 and the Public Service Management Act 1997, which would spell out the functions, powers and duties of Ministers in charge of each Department of State; The law that defines the relationship between Ministers and their Departments to enshrine three basic propositions:
  - if the Minister takes a decision personally, he or she should say so and account for it;
  - if the decision is taken by the Department, under a delegated power, then the relevant, named official should say so and account for it; and
  - the Minister would then have to account for the degree of supervision he or she exercised over the Department in relation to the exercise within it of delegated powers;
- legislate for a system of delegation of specified Ministerial powers to specified officers who would, to the extent of the authority delegated to them, be accountable both within the Department and also directly to the Oireachtas for the exercise of

those powers;

- ensure that each Minister is responsible for the supervision and oversight of his or her Department to ensure that adequate standards are maintained; outputs are delivered as determined or agreed; and procedures are in place to enable the Minister to respond to problems of administration and to give an account to the Dáil and to the public generally;
- the responsibilities of Secretaries General to be strengthened by assigning to them authority and accountability for ensuring that the Department and its officers perform their functions in a non-political and impartial manner, in accordance with law and with the highest ethical standards of conduct and integrity and in accordance with any prescribed code of conduct;
- the Secretary General to be required to ensure that risk management and other internal controls are in place so that public funds are safeguarded; functions are performed effectively, efficiently and economically; laws, regulations and approved policies are complied with; and records and reports are adequate, reliable and accurate; and
- the Secretary General to be given specific responsibility for ensuring that legal advice or opinion is brought to the personal attention of the Minister if it casts substantial doubt on the constitutionality or validity of a statute, statutory instrument or departmental scheme, practice or course of action." Brendan Howlin, Eamon Gilmore, Joan Burton, Emmet Stagg, Thomas P. Broughan, Joe Costello, Michael D. Higgins, 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.

[9 November, 2010]

#### **74.** "That Dáil Éireann:

- expresses its sympathy to all citizens affected by recent flooding in all parts of the country;
- notes the severe social and economic hardship caused by serious flooding;
- recognises that increased rainfall in Ireland will be a consequence of global warming and that Government will have to adapt to changing climate patterns;
- notes with concern that Government has no co-ordinated and integrated flooding alert system or response plan in the event of serious flooding; and
- recognises that most other developed at risk countries have advanced flood warning systems that act to minimise damage and disruption caused by flooding;

calls on the Government to develop a new national flood alert system to be controlled by the Environmental Protection Agency and Met Éireann that is based on a system of flood alert codes that results in co-ordinated preventative action from the local authorities, civil defence, the Office of Public Works, and the emergency services; and

calls on the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government to:

- immediately support local authorities in providing safe drinking water to communities with potentially contaminated water supplies caused by flooding;
- immediately request reports from all local authorities to outline the damage caused and reasons for recent flooding;

- review the national flood relief capital programme in order to prioritise areas subject to frequent flooding; and
- explore the possibility of any climate change assistance or disaster relief funds being made available to victims of climate change damage, particularly those affected by chronic flooding." Phil Hogan, 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, 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 *November*, 2009]

## Leasú Amendment:

- 1. To delete all words after "to adapt to climate patterns", in the third indent and substitute the following:
- "— expresses its appreciation to all the personnel who assisted in the rescue and provision of assistance to members of the public affected by the recent floods;
- notes the co-ordinated response of the major response agencies and voluntary agencies to the flooding;
- notes the significant flood defence measures undertaken at known flood risk locations;
- notes the Office of Public Works expenditure of €100 million in the last 5 years on flood relief, including an anticipated capital expenditure of €38 million this year;
- commends the investment of in excess of €200 million from now to 2014;
- notes the OPW website www.flooding.ie which provides practical help to all those whose homes or businesses may be at risk of flooding and the website www.floodmaps.ie which provides useful information to planning authorities, a number of bodies or organisations and the public for the purpose of land-use zoning, development control, planning of infrastructure, identification of properties at risk, flood warning and raise the general awareness amongst the public of the risk to property and possibly life;
- notes the significant funding made available by the Government over 5 years under the Water Services Investment Programme in response to specific environmental, public health and economic needs; and
- notes the draft guidelines 'The Planning System and Flood Risk Management' published by the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government and the Minister of State at the Department of Finance with responsibility for the Office of Public Works." An tAire Comhshaoil, Oidhreachta agus Rialtais Áitiúil.

# 75. "That Dáil Éireann:

notes with grave concern:

- the most recent CSO figures showing a 51% increase in aggravated burglaries in the three months to the end of September 2009 accompanied by a 25% increase in non-aggravated burglaries in the same period;
- the recent widely reported targeting of vulnerable elderly residents in their own homes including a number of incidents in which vulnerable home-owners were viciously assaulted;
- the dramatic cutback in funding of the Scheme of Community Support for Older People in 2009;
- the fact that only 6% of the Garda force is made up of community Gardaí;
- the continual downgrading and closure of rural Garda stations; and
- the consequent fear and anxiety that is keenly felt by elderly people living alone;

calls on the Minister for Justice, Equality and Law Reform to:

- arrest the decline of policing services to rural communities;
- bring forward measures and incentives to facilitate a significant increase in the number of community Gardaí; and
- enhance and develop the Garda Community Safety Week initiative; and

calls on the Minister for Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs to reverse the cutback in funding for the Scheme of Community Support for Older People." — Charles Flanagan, 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, 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.

[29 January, 2010]

## **76.** "That Dáil Éireann:

- is aware of the importance of the work done by spouses in partnerships;
- acknowledges the value of that work to economic activity;
- condemns the Government decision to withdraw or reduce the Contributory State Pension from farmers' and business spouses aged 66 and over;
- is aware that some applicants sought to pay PRSI contributions before reaching age 66 but were denied their efforts by the Department of Social and Family Affairs;
- recognises that this measure is extremely unfair to those who planned for their retirement on the basis of information provided by and calculated by the Department; and

calls on the Government to withdraw the notice sent out to persons concerned and to act upon the power accorded to the Minister under subsection 110(2) of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005 to ensure those payments are made." — Olwyn Enright, 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, 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.

## 77. "That Dáil Éireann:

recognising the economic value of the tourism industry, with peak tourism revenues of €6.5 billion and 300,000 people employed in 2007;

### acknowledging:

- tourism revenue dropped by €1.1 billion in 2009 to €5.2 billion, its lowest level since 2004;
- overseas visitor numbers fell by close to one million in 2009 compared to 2008;
- Ireland's largest tourism market, the United Kingdom, declined by 16%;
- access to Ireland has become worryingly restricted with the ongoing removal of routes and restrictions in airline capacity at both Shannon and Dublin airports; and
- the serious credit flow crisis and level of debt facing the sector as a result of the economic downturn;

#### considering:

- the introduction of a departure tax was short-sighted, counterproductive and a deterrent to the survival of the tourism industry;
- employment has fallen significantly across all areas of the tourism industry with at least 12,000 job losses in 2009;
- the restaurant sector alone has warned that one in three businesses are at risk of closing, which would result in an estimated 21,000 job losses and €700 million annual loss in tax revenues to the economy;
- the failure by the Government to introduce any significant measures aimed at reducing costs or encouraging an environment conducive to the survival of small and medium sized enterprises; and
- the lack of political will and leadership for strategic assistance to the industry;

#### calls on the Government to:

 reposition tourism within the current departmental structure with a view to ensuring responsibility for tourism is focused and reflects the importance of this indigenous industry;

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_	review the ancillary bodies dealing with tourism marketing, promotion and product development to ensure that the industry is strategically led, developed and supported in a coherent manner;
_	immediately abolish the departure tax;
_	reduce the 13.5% VAT rate on hotel accommodation and restaurants to 10%;
	reduce the upper rate of employer's PRSI by 20% and the lower rate of employer's PRSI by 50%;
_	reduce local authority rates, freeze Government and local authority charges and reduce energy costs;
	totally overhaul the Joint Labour Committee (JLC) wage setting system;
_	reduce the administration cost and complexity of Irish visitor visas;
	rollout high capacity broadband to regional areas; and
	request that the Competition Authority carries out an investigation into predatory pricing and reckless trading in the hotels sector." — Olivia Mitchell, 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, 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.
	[16 February, 2010]
	at the Broadcasting Act 2009 (Section 33) Levy Order 2010 [S.I. No. 7 of 2010] be and y annulled." — <i>Liz McManus</i> .

**79.** "That Dáil Éireann requests the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, or a sub-Committee thereof, to consider, including in public session, the Special Report of the Ombudsman relating to the Lost at Sea Scheme made to the Dáil and Seanad in accordance with Section 6(5) and 6(7) of the Ombudsman Act 1980, and to report back to Dáil Éireann within three months its findings and conclusions concerning the legislative and administrative implications of the Report." — *Seán Sherlock*.

[9 March, 2010]

[2 March, 2010]

80. "That Dáil Éireann has no confidence in An Taoiseach, Deputy Brian Cowen." — 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, 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.

	[15 June, 2010]

#### **81.** "That Dáil Éireann:

- expressing its serious concerns about revelations in the RTÉ Freefall documentary on 6th September, 2010 that Bank of Ireland Chairman, Richard Burrows and Chief Executive, Brian Goggin were informed by Anglo Irish Bank Chairman, Seán Fitzpatrick and Chief Executive, David Drumm, that Anglo Irish Bank was insolvent and requested a takeover of the bank;
- noting that immediately following this meeting Bank of Ireland management then contacted Allied Irish Bank and both banks immediately sought a meeting with the Minister for Finance, Deputy Brian Lenihan;
- further noting that following these meetings the Minister for Finance presented the Credit Institutions (Financial Support) Bill 2008 on 30th September, 2008 (the Bank Gaurantee) claiming in the Dáil that the purpose of the Bank Guarantee was to deal with liquidity or cash flow issues within the Irish banking system;
- deploring the fact that the reality of the situation in Anglo Irish Bank was not revealed to the Dáil by the Minister for Finance before the passing of the Bank Guarantee;
- noting that due to the financial impact of the Bank Guarantee and the subsequent borrowing and the recapitalisation of the banks that the State's debt was being serviced at 6.8% in the week beginning 27th September, 2010, a record high since Ireland joined the euro zone; and
- noting that new estimates for the capital and recapitalisation costs of Anglo Irish Bank will reach €34.3 billion and that the total cost of the bank bailout will reach €49.3 billion; and

has no confidence in the Minister for Finance, Deputy Brian Lenihan." — Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Arthur Morgan, Martin Ferris, Aengus Ó Snodaigh.

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**82.** An Dáil a chur ar athló. Adjournment of the Dáil.

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

An Bille um Chiontuithe Spíonta 2007 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan. Spent Convictions Bill 2007 — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights. An Bille um Thacaíocht do Mhic Léinn 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Oideachas agus Student Support Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Education and Skills. An Bille um Chomhlíonadh an Dlí Fostaíochta 2008 — An Roghchoiste um Fhiontar, Trádáil agus Nuálaíocht. Employment Law Compliance Bill 2008 — Select Committee on Enterprise, Trade and Innovation. An Bille Caidrimh Thionscail (Leasú) 2009 [Seanad] — An Roghchoiste um Fhiontar, Trádáil agus Nuálaíocht. Industrial Relations (Amendment) Bill 2009 [Seanad] — Select Committee on Enterprise, Trade and Innovation. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Fianaise Dlí-Eolaíochta agus Córas Bunachair Sonraí DNA) 2010 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan. Criminal Justice (Forensic Evidence and DNA Database System) Bill 2010 — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Ord Poiblí) 2010 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan. Criminal Justice (Public Order) Bill 2010 — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights. (l)An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Gealtacht) 2010 [Seanad] — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan. Criminal Law (Insanity) Bill 2010 [Seanad] — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights. An Bille um Chúram Leanaí (Leasú) 2009 [Seanad] — An Roghchoiste um Shláinte (l)agus Leanaí. Child Care (Amendment) Bill 2009 [Seanad] — Select Committee on Health and (a) Children.

(1) An Bille um Inimirce, Cónaí agus Cosaint 2010 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

(a) Immigration, Residence and Protection Bill 2010 — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights.

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An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Cosaint agus an Teaghais) 2010 — An Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan.

Criminal Law (Defence and the Dwelling) Bill 2010 — Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights.

An Bille um Airm Bhitheolaíocha 2010 — An Roghchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha. Biological Weapons Bill 2010 — Select Committee on Foreign Affairs.

- (1) An Bille Comhdhlúite Cánach Breisluacha 2010 An Buan-Chomhcoiste um Bill Comhdhlúite
- (a) Value-Added Tax Consolidation Bill 2010 Standing Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills.

# TEACHTAIREACHTAÍ ÓN RIALTAS MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNMENT

An Bille um Chúram Leanaí (Leasú) 2009. Child Care (Amendment) Bill 2009.

For the purpose of Article 17.2 of the Constitution, the Government recommend that it is expedient to authorise such payments out of moneys provided by the Oireachtas as are necessary to give effect to any Act of the present session to amend and extend the Child Care Act 1991; to make further provision in relation to the care and protection of children; to amend the Children Act 2001 and the Health Act 2007; to provide for the dissolution of the Children Acts Advisory Board and the transfer of its assets, liabilities and employees to the Minister for Health and Children; to repeal Part 11 of the Children Act 2001; and to provide for related matters.

Given on this 2nd day of November, 2010

(Signed) Brian Cowen, An Taoiseach.

## **MEMORANDA**

Dé Máirt, 9 Samhain, 2010 Tuesday, 9th November, 2010

An Bille Comhdhlúite Cánach Breisluacha 2010: Value-Added Tax Consolidation Bill 2010:

Cruinniú an Buan-Chomhcoiste um Bill Comhdhlúite i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 10.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Standing Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 10.30 a.m.

1312 Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhorfheidhmiú Chomhaontú Aoine an Chéasta i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 11 a.m. (príobháideach). Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Implementation of the Good Friday Agreement in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 11 a.m. (private). Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht, Iascach agus Bia i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 1.30 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 1.30 p.m. Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhiontar, Trádáil agus Nuálaíocht i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 2 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Enterprise, Trade and Innovation in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 2 p.m. Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 2 p.m. (príobháideach). Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Affairs in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 2 p.m. (private). Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol, Oidhreacht agus Rialtas Áitiúil i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 4.15 p.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Environment, Heritage and Local Government in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 4.15 p.m. Dé Céadaoin, 10 Samhain, 2010 Wednesday, 10th November, 2010 Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Choimirce Shóisialach i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 11 a.m. Meeting of the Joint Committee on Social Protection in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 11

a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Athrú Aeráide agus Áirithiú Fuinnimh i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 2.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Climate Change and Energy Security in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 2.30 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Rialála Geilleagair i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Economic Regulatory Affairs in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 2.30 p.m.

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# An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Gealtacht) 2010: Criminal Law (Insanity) Bill 2010:

Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Cearta na mBan i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 2.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Select Committee on Justice, Defence and Women's Rights in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 2.30 p.m.

Cruinniú den Choiste um Nós Imeachta agus Pribhléidí Dháil Éireann i Seomra 2 (isteach ón bPríomh-Halla), Teach Laighean, ar 7 p.m. (príobháideach).

Meeting of the Committee on Procedure and Privileges of Dáil Éireann in Room 2 (off the Main Hall), Leinster House, at 7 p.m. *(private)*.

Déardaoin, 11 Samhain, 2010 Thursday, 11th November, 2010

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.

# An Bille um Chúram Leanaí (Leasú) 2009 [Seanad]: Child Care (Amendment) Bill 2009 [Seanad]:

Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 10.30 a.m. Meeting of the Select Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 10.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhorfheidhmiú Chomhaontú Aoine an Chéasta i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 11.45 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Implementation of the Good Friday Agreement in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 11.45 a.m.

Dé hAoine, 12 Samhain, 2010 Friday, 12th November, 2010

# An Bille um Inimirce, Cónaí agus Cosaint 2010: Immigration, Residence and Protection Bill 2010:

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

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

# BILLÍ DÁLA SA SEANAD DÁIL BILLS WITH THE SEANAD

An Bille Ombudsman (Leasú) 2008. Ombudsman (Amendment) Bill 2008.

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An Bille Cumarsáide (Sonraí a Choimeád) 2009. Communications (Retention of Data) Bill 2009.

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

#### Reachtúil:

- 1) An Cúigiú Tuarascáil is Fiche ón gCoimisiún Neamhspleách Faireacháin a tíolacadh do Rialtas na Ríochta Aontaithe agus do Rialtas na hÉireann faoi Airteagail 4 agus 7 den Chomhaontú Idirnáisiúnta lenar bunaíodh an Coimisiún Neamhspleách Faireacháin. Deireadh Fómhair, 2010.
- 2) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoinar ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, Joanne O'Toole (Cúntóir Pearsanta) mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Nollaig Ó Díomasaigh, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Iompair, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí 1995 agus 2001
- 3) Ollscoil Chathair Bhaile Átha Cliath. Ráitis Airgeadais Chomhdhlúite don bhliain dar chríoch 30 Meán Fómhair, 2003.
- 4) Ollscoil Chathair Bhaile Átha Cliath. Ráitis Airgeadais Chomhdhlúite don bhliain dar chríoch 30 Meán Fómhair, 2004.
- 5) Ollscoil Chathair Bhaile Átha Cliath. Ráitis Airgeadais Chomhdhlúite don bhliain dar chríoch 30 Meán Fómhair, 2005.
- 6) Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Chorcaí. Ráitis Airgeadais don bhliain dar chríoch 31 Lúnasa, 2009.

## Statutory:

- 1) Twenty-fifth Report of the Independent Monitoring Commission presented to the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of Ireland under Articles 4 and 7 of the International Agreement establishing the Independent Monitoring Commission. October, 2010.
- 2) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, Joanne O'Toole (Personal Assistant), acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Noel Dempsey, Minister of the Government at the Department of Transport, pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.
- 3) Dublin City University. Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September, 2003.
- 4) Dublin City University. Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September, 2004.
- 5) Dublin City University. Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September, 2005.
- 6) Cork Institute of Technology. Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August, 2009.

- 7) Institiúid Teicneolaíochta Bhaile Átha Cliath. Ráitis Airgeadais Chomhdhlúite don bhliain dar chríoch 31 Lúnasa, 2008.
- 8) Institiúid Ard-Léinn Bhaile Átha Cliath.Tuarascáil Bhliantúil agus Ráitis Airgeadais, 2007.
- 9) Ciste Comhshóite na gCeadúnas Srianta. Cuntas don bhliain dar chríoch 31 Nollaig, 2009.
- 10) Na Rialacháin um Shábháilteacht, Sláinte agus Leas ag an Obair (Foirgníocht) (Leasú) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 523 de 2010).
- 11) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála 2010 (Alt 85) (Táillí) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 518 de 2010).
- 12) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála 2010 (Toiliú le hOrdú Uchtála) (Foirmeacha) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 519 de 2010)
- 13) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála 2010 (Nós Imeachta Comhchomhairle Roimh Shuíomh) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 520 de 2010).
- 14) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála 2010 (Clár na nUchtálacha idir Tíortha) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 521 de 2010).
- 15) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála 2010 (Comhlachtaí Creidiúnaithe) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 524 de 2010).

#### Neamhreachtúil:

- 1) Rialacháin na gComhphobal Eorpach (Breiseáin, Dathanna agus Milsitheoirí in Earraí Bia) (Leasú) 2010 (I.R. Uimh. 522 de 2010).
- 2) An Roinn Airgeadais. Nóta Faisnéise maidir leis an Ionchas Eacnamaíochta agus Buiséadach 2011-2014 (roimh Phlean Buiséadach Ceithre-Bliana an Rialtais). 4 Samhain, 2010.

- 7) Dublin Institute of Technology. Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 August, 2008.
- 8) Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies. Annual Report and Financial Statements, 2007.
- 9) Restricted Licences Conversion Fund. Account for year ended 31 December, 2009.
- 10) Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Construction) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 523 of 2010).
- 11) Adoption Act 2010 (Section 85) (Fees) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 518 of 2010).
- 12) Adoption Act 2010 (Consent to Adoption Order) (Forms) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 519 of 2010).
- 13) Adoption Act 2010 (Pre-Placement Consultation Procedure) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 520 of 2010).
- 14) Adoption Act 2010 (Register of Intercountry Adoptions) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 521 of 2010).
- 15) Adoption Act 2010 (Accredited Bodies) Regulations 2010 (S.I. No. 524 of 2010).

#### Non-Statutory:

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