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ORDER PAPER

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

11. Meastacháin Athbhreithnithe Bhreise i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí 2017 [Vótaí 24, 32, 33, 37 agus 42].
Further Revised Estimates for Public Services 2017 [Votes 24, 32, 33, 37 and 42].
12. Meastacháin Fhorlíontacha i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí [Vótaí 5, 12, 17, 20, 26, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 37 agus 38].
Supplementary Estimates for Public Services [Votes 5, 12, 17, 20, 26, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 37 and 38].
25. Tairiscint *maidir le* Ceadú beartaithe ag Dáil Éireann rannpháirteachas ag Éirinn i mBuanchomhar Struchtúrtha.
Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of Ireland's participation in Permanent Structured Cooperation.
159. Bille an Choláiste Ollscoile, Gaillimh (Leasú), 2017 — An Dara Céim (*vótáil a cuireadh siar*).
University College Galway (Amendment) Bill 2017 — Second Stage (*postponed division*).
160. (l) Tairiscint *maidir leis* an tSiria (*vótáil a cuireadh siar*).
(a) Motion *re* Syria (*postponed division*).
10. Tairiscint *maidir le* ceadú beartaithe ag Dáil Éireann i ndáil leis na Rialacháin um an gCiste Rásaíochta Capall agus Con, 2017 [*Arna breithniú ag an gComhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht, Bia agus Muir an 22 Samhain 2017*] (*vótáil a cuireadh siar*).
Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Horse and Greyhound Racing Fund Regulations 2017 [*Considered by the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Food and the Marine on 22nd November, 2017*] (*postponed division*).
27. (l) An Bille um Pá agus Pinsin Seirbhíse Poiblí, 2017 — An Coiste (*atógáil, Leasú 7*).
(a) Public Service Pay and Pensions Bill 2017 — Committee (*resumed, Amendment 7*).
- 32a. Ráitis maidir le hAthrú Aeráide.
Statements on Climate Change.

FÓGRA I dTAOBH GNÓ NUA
NOTICE OF NEW BUSINESS

- 6a.** An Bille Fostaíochta (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha), 2017 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Employment (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2017 — Order for Second Stage.

I dTOSACH GNÓ PHOIBLÍ
AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Billí a thionscnamh: Initiation of Bills

Tíolactha:
Presented:

- 6a.** An Bille Fostaíochta (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha), 2017 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Employment (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2017 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le ceanglas go soláthróidh fostóirí téarmaí áirithe fostaíochta d'fhostaithe laistigh de thréimhse áirithe tar éis fostaíocht a thosú; d'fhorchur smachtbhannaí i leith cionta áirithe; do dhéanamh socrú breise maidir le híocaíocht íosta a bheidh dlite d'fhostaithe in imthosca áirithe; do thoirmeasc conarthaí ina sonraítear gurb é nialas na huaireanta conartha in imthosca áirithe agus do dhéanamh socrú maidir le huaireanta conartha bandáilte a thabhairt isteach; do dhéanamh socrú breise maidir le toirmeasc ar phionósú agus chun na gcríoch sin do leasú an Achta um Théarmaí Fostaíochta (Faisnéis), 1994 agus an Achta um Eagrú Ama Oibre, 1997; do leasú an Achta um Chaidreamh san Áit Oibre, 2015; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to provide for a requirement that employers provide employees with certain terms of employment within a certain period after commencing employment; to impose sanctions for certain offences; to further provide for a minimum payment due to employees in certain circumstances; to prohibit contracts specifying zero as the contract hours in certain circumstances and to provide for the introduction of banded contract hours; to further provide for prohibition of penalisation and for those purposes to amend the Terms of Employment (Information) Act 1994 and the Organisation of Working Time Act 1997; to amend the Workplace Relations Act 2015; and to provide for related matters.

—*An tAire Gnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Sóisialaí.*

Fógraí Tairisceana: Notices of Motions

11. “Meastacháin i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí [2017]:

Estimates for Public Services [2017]:

Vóta 24 — Dlí agus Ceart agus Comhionannas (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Vote 24 — Justice and Equality (Further Revised Estimate).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €378,964,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Dlí agus Cirt agus Comhionannais agus fhoireann na Seirbhíse Promhaidh,

That a sum not exceeding €378,964,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Justice and Equality, Probation Service staff and of certain other

agus le haghaidh tuarastail agus costais seirbhísí áirithe eile, lena n-áirítear íocaíochtaí faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 32 — Gnó, Fiontair agus Nuálaíocht (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €806,541,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnó, Fiontar agus Nuálaíochta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, chun fóirdheontais agus deontais áirithe a íoc, agus chun deontais áirithe faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta a íoc.

Vóta 33 — Cultúr, Oidhreacht agus Gaeltacht (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €284,435,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Cultúir, Oidhreacht agus Gaeltachta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun fóirdheontais agus deontais áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 37 — Gnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Shóisialach (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €10,780,739,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiocfaidh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Sóisialaí, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, le haghaidh íocaíochtaí leis an gCiste Árachais Shóisialaigh agus le haghaidh deontais áirithe.

Vóta 42 — Forbairt Tuaithe agus Pobail (Meastachán Athbhreithnithe Breise).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná

services including payments under cash-limited schemes administered by that Office, and payment of certain grants.

Vote 32 — Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Further Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €806,541,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation, including certain services administered by that Office for the payment of certain subsidies and grants and for the payment of certain grants under cash-limited schemes.

Vote 33 — Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht (Further Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €284,435,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht, including certain services administered by that Office, and for payment of certain subsidies and grants.

Vote 37 — Employment Affairs and Social Protection (Further Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €10,780,739,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Employment Affairs and Social Protection, for certain services administered by that Office, for payments to the Social Insurance Fund and for certain grants.

Vote 42 — Rural and Community Development (Further Revised Estimate).

That a sum not exceeding €146,742,000

€146,742,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Forbartha Tuaithe agus Pobail, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais a íoc.

be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Rural and Community Development, including certain services administered by that Office and for the payment of grants.

—*An tAire Caiteachais Phoiblí agus Athchóirithe.*

12. “Meastacháin i gcomhair Seirbhísí Poiblí [2017]:

Estimates for Public Services [2017]:

Vóta 5 — Oifig an Stiúrthóir Ionchúiseamh Poiblí (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Vote 5 — Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (Supplementary Estimate).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €418,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Stiúrthóra Ionchúiseamh Poiblí.

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €418,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions.

Vóta 12 — Aoisliúntas agus Liúntais Scoir (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Vote 12 — Superannuation and Retired Allowances (Supplementary Estimate).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €6,500,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh chun bheith iníochta i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh pinsean, aoisliúntais, díobhálacha ceirde, agus liúntas agus aiscí breise agus eile, faoi na hAchtanna Aoisliúntas 1834 go 2004, agus faoi reachtanna iolartha eile; le haghaidh pinsean, liúntas agus aiscí seach-reachtúla arna ndámhachtain ag an Aire Caiteachais Phoiblí agus Athchóirithe, táillí do lia-réiteoirí agus táillí ócaídeacha do dhochtúirí; cúitimh agus íocaíochtaí eile i leith díobhálacha pearsanta; táillí don Údarás Pinsean agus táillí gairmiúla eile, íocaíochtaí ilghnéitheacha, etc.

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €6,500,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for pensions, superannuation, occupational injuries, and additional and other allowances and gratuities under the Superannuation Acts 1834 to 2004 and sundry other statutes; extra-statutory pensions, allowances and gratuities awarded by the Minister for Public Expenditure and Reform, fees to medical referees and occasional fees to doctors; compensation and other payments in respect of personal injuries; fees to Pensions Authority and other professional fees, miscellaneous payments, etc.

Vóta 17 — An tSeirbhís um Cheapacháin Phoiblí (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Vote 17 — Public Appointments Service (Supplementary Estimate).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €664,000 chun íochta an mhuirir a thiofadh

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €664,000 be granted to defray the charge

chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais na Seirbhíse um Cheapacháin Phoiblí.

Vóta 20 — An Garda Síochána (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €44,200,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais an Gharda Síochána, lena n-áirítear pinsin, etc.; chun costais finnéithe áirithe a íoc, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 26 — Oideachas agus Scileanna (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €124,000,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Oideachais agus Scileanna, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus chun deontais áirithe a íoc.

Vóta 30 — Talmhaíocht, Bia agus Muir (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €1,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Talmhaíochta, Bia agus Mara, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, agus Choimisiún Talún na hÉireann agus chun deontais agus fóirdheontais a íoc agus chun deontais áirithe faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta a íoc, agus le haghaidh leasúchán ar Inis Sionnach.

Vóta 31 — Iompar, Turasóireacht agus Spórt (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €1,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le

which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Public Appointments Service.

Vote 20 — Garda Síochána (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €44,200,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Garda Síochána, including pensions, etc.; for the payment of certain witnesses' expenses, and for payment of certain grants.

Vote 26 — Education and Skills (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €124,000,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Education and Skills, for certain services administered by that Office, and for the payments of certain grants.

Vote 30 — Agriculture, Food and the Marine (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €1,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine, including certain services administered by that Office, and of the Irish Land Commission and for payment of certain grants and subsidies and for the payment of certain grants under cash-limited schemes and the remediation of Haulbowline Island.

Vote 31 — Transport, Tourism and Sport (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €1,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of

haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Iompair, Turasóireachta agus Spóirt, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, chun deontais áirithe agus seirbhísí áirithe eile a íoc.

Vóta 32 — Gnó, Fiontair agus Nuálaíochta (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €1,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnó, Fiontar agus Nuálaíochta, lena n-áirítear seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, chun fóirdheontais agus deontais áirithe a íoc agus chun deontais áirithe faoi scéimeanna airgead-teoranta a íoc.

Vóta 34 — Tithíocht, Pleanáil agus Rialtas Áitiúil (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €100,000,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Tithíochta, Pleanála agus Rialtais Áitiúil, lena n-áirítear deontais d'Údarás Áitiúla, deontais agus costais eile i ndáil le tithíocht, seirbhísí uisce, scéimeanna ilghnéitheacha, fóirdheontais agus deontais.

Vóta 35 — Arm-Phinsin (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €10,700,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thiocthaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh pá scoir, pinsean, cúitimh, liúntas agus aiscí is iníoctha faoi reachtanna iolartha le comhaltáí d'Óglaigh na hÉireann agus d'Eagraíochtaí Míleata áirithe eile, etc., nó ina leith sin; agus le haghaidh ilranníocáí agus ilchostas i dtaca leo sin; le haghaidh liúntas eisreachtúil áirithe leanaí agus íocaíochtaí eile agus le haghaidh ildeontas.

December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport, including certain services administered by that Office, for payment of certain grants and certain other services.

Vote 32 — Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €1,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation, including certain services administered by that Office, for the payment of certain subsidies and grants and for the payment of certain grants under cash-limited schemes.

Vote 34 — Housing, Planning and Local Government (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €100,000,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Housing, Planning and Local Government, including grants to Local Authorities, grants and other expenses in connection with housing, water services, miscellaneous schemes, subsidies and grants.

Vote 35 — Army Pensions (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €10,700,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for retired pay, pensions, compensation, allowances and gratuities payable under sundry statutes to or in respect of members of the Defence Forces and certain other Military Organisations, etc., and for sundry contributions and expenses in connection therewith; for certain extra-statutory children's allowances and other payments and for sundry grants.

Vóta 37 — Gnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Shóisialach (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim fhorlíontach nach mó ná €10,000,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Gnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Sóisialaí, le haghaidh seirbhísí áirithe atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, le haghaidh íocaíochtaí leis an gCiste Árachais Shóisialaigh agus le haghaidh deontais áirithe.

Vóta 38 — Sláinte (Meastachán Forlíontach).

Go ndeonófar suim nach mó ná €195,000,000 chun íoctha an mhuirir a thíocfaidh chun bheith iníoctha i rith na bliana dar críoch an 31ú lá de Nollaig, 2017, le haghaidh thuarastail agus chostais Oifig an Aire Sláinte agus seirbhísí áirithe eile atá faoi riaradh na hOifige sin, lena n-áirítear deontais d’Fheidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte agus deontais ilghnéitheacha.

Vote 37 — Employment Affairs and Social Protection (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €10,000,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Employment Affairs and Social Protection, for certain services administered by that Office, for payment to the Social Insurance Fund and for certain grants.”

Vote 38 — Health (Supplementary Estimate).

That a supplementary sum not exceeding €195,000,000 be granted to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2017, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Health and certain other services administered by that Office, including grants to the Health Service Executive and miscellaneous grants.

—*An tAire Caiteachais Phoiblí agus Athchóirithe.*

25. “Go gceadaíonn Dáil Éireann rannpháirteachas ag Éirinn i mBuanchomhar Struchtúrtha, de bhun fhorálacha alt 3 den Acht Cosanta (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha), 2009.

That Dáil Éireann approves Ireland’s participation in Permanent Structured Cooperation, pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of the Defence (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2009.”

—*Pól Mac Eochaidh, Aire Stáit ag an Roinn Cosanta.*

ORDUITHE AN LAE ORDERS OF THE DAY

*Tairiscint (vótáil a cuireadh siar):
Motion (postponed division):*

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

Na Rialacháin um an gCiste Rásaíochta Capall agus Con, 2017,

ar leagadh cóipeanna díobh ina ndrúacht faoi

That Dáil Éireann approves the following Regulations in draft:

Horse and Greyhound Racing Fund Regulations 2017,

copies of which were laid in draft form before

bhráid Dháil Éireann an 13 Samhain, 2017. Dáil Éireann on 13th November, 2017.”

—*An tAire Talmhaíochta, Bia agus Mara.*

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27. (l) An Bille um Pá agus Pinsin Seirbhíse Poiblí, 2017 — An Coiste (*atógáil, Leasú 7*).
 (a) Public Service Pay and Pensions Bill 2017 — Committee (*resumed, Amendment 7*).
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- 32a. Ráitis maidir le hAthrú Aeráide.
 Statements on Climate Change.
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GNÓ COMHALTAÍ PRÍOBHÁIDEACHA PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Gnó a ordáíodh:
Business ordered:

159. Bille an Choláiste Ollscoile, Gaillimh (Leasú), 2017 — An Dara Céim (*vótáil a cuireadh siar*).
 University College Galway (Amendment) Bill 2017 — Second Stage (*postponed division*).
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Tairiscint (vótáil a cuireadh siar):
Motion (postponed division):

160. “That Dáil Éireann:

condemns:

- the continued imposition of economic sanctions against Syria by the European Union and the United States of America; and
- the kidnapping of 54 children from the towns of al-Fu’ah and Kafraya in Syria, who went missing following an attack on 15th April, 2017, on a convoy of buses transporting evacuees from those towns; and

calls on the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade to:

- advocate at the EU Foreign Affairs Council for the lifting of the EU’s economic sanctions against Syria;
- immediately make contact with the US Ambassador to Ireland, to raise the issue of lifting the US economic sanctions against Syria; and
- work with all relevant authorities for the return of the 54 missing children from al-Fu’ah and Kafraya.” — *Clare Daly, Mick Wallace, Catherine Connolly, Maureen O’Sullivan.*

Leasuithe:
Amendments:

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

“is appalled by the situation in Syria and the ongoing humanitarian, security and political issues arising from the conflict;

condemns:

- the loss of life and the tremendous human suffering caused by the conflict; and
- the systematic, widespread and gross violations and abuses of human rights and violations of international humanitarian law by all parties involved in the conflict;

supports:

- the work of the United Nations (UN), the UN Special Envoy Staffan de Mistura and the intra-Syrian talks in Geneva;
- the European Union strategy on Syria; and
- an inclusive transition in Syria involving all segments of society; and

calls on the European Union to:

- continue and increase its efforts to support the people of Syria;
- make every effort to bring the perpetrators of war crimes, human rights violations and violations of international humanitarian law to justice and ensure that those found guilty of such crimes face the full rigours of the law; and
- increase its efforts to finding a lasting political solution to the conflict.” — *Brendan Smith, Darragh O'Brien, Barry Cowen, Bobby Aylward, John Brassil, Declan Breathnach, James Browne, Mary Butler, Thomas Byrne, Jackie Cahill, Dara Calleary, Pat Casey, Shane Cassells, Jack Chambers, Lisa M. Chambers, Niall Collins, John Curran, Stephen S. Donnelly, Timmy Dooley, Sean Fleming, Pat the Cope Gallagher, Seán Haughey, Billy Kelleher, John Lahart, James Lawless, Marc MacSharry, Micheál Martin, Charlie McConalogue, Michael McGrath, John McGuinness, Aindrias Moynihan, Michael Moynihan, Eugene Murphy, Margaret Murphy O'Mahony, Jim O'Callaghan, Éamon Ó Cuív, Willie O'Dea, Kevin O'Keeffe, Fiona O'Loughlin, Frank O'Rourke, Anne Rabbitte, Eamon Scanlon, Niamh Smyth, Robert Troy.*

2. To delete all words after “Dáil Éireann” and substitute the following:

“condemns:

- the ongoing violence in Syria which has to date resulted in the deaths of an estimated half a million people, particularly the continued brutal attacks on civilians perpetrated by the Assad regime;
- the blatant violations of international humanitarian and human rights law, as identified by the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the Syrian Arab Republic, including the continued use of sieges against civilians, forced displacement under the guise of truces or evacuation agreements, the diversion and denial of humanitarian aid, and the targeting of civilian infrastructure;
- the particularly abhorrent attacks on schools, hospitals and medical personnel which disproportionately affect children, the sick and injured; and
- the utterly barbaric use of chemical weapons against civilians; and

calls on the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade to:

- continue to support the United Nations (UN)-led Geneva talks process, based on the 2012 Geneva communiqué and UN Security Council Resolution 2254, which demands an end to violence, release of political prisoners, formation of a transitional

governing body with executive powers and a constitutional reform process;

- continue to work, in European Union and UN frameworks, for an end to the conflict, including through the use of appropriate measures such as targeted sanctions, to put pressure on the Syrian regime to end the violent repression of civilians;
- continue to support efforts to ensure accountability for all war crimes and crimes against humanity committed during the Syrian conflict, including supporting the investigation and prosecution of the persons responsible;
- continue to press through the UN and the Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons (OPCW) for Syrian compliance with its obligations under the Chemical Weapons Convention; and
- ensure that Ireland continues to provide appropriate humanitarian aid to relieve the suffering of the people of Syria.” (*resumed*) — *An Tánaiste agus Aire Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála*.

3. (a) To insert the following after “evacuees from those towns; and”:

- “— the slaughter of up to half a million of their own people by the brutal regime of President Bashar al Assad including the current bombing by Assad and Russian forces of Eastern Ghouta, where up to 400,000 civilians are trapped and according to the United Nations facing ‘catastrophe’;
- the imperialist interventions in Syria by both the US and Russia, neither of whom are serving the interests of the Syrian people;
- all other foreign intervention in Syria whether by the EU, Turkey, Iran, ISIS or Israel, as the grievous problems of Syria can and must be solved only by the Syrian people themselves; and”

(b) To insert the following after “missing children from al-Fu’ah and Kafraya;”:

- “— increase substantially the Governments intake of refugees from this appalling humanitarian catastrophe and put pressure on the EU to assist a speedy, dignified resettlement of refugees currently trapped in appalling conditions in camps in Greece, Macedonia and various border crossings in Europe.” — *Richard Boyd Barrett, Gino Kenny, Brid Smith*.

4. To delete all words after “Dáil Éireann” and substitute the following:

“is appalled by the ongoing war in Syria which has claimed the lives of approximately 500,000 people, injured countless others, caused millions to be displaced internally, and millions more to become refugees;

states its abhorrence at the complete lack of adherence to the norms of international law by the warring parties in Syria;

condemns all chemical weapons attacks without reservation;

is opposed to all direct and indirect foreign involvement in the conflict;

welcomes that the Irish Government has continued to donate to humanitarian efforts and relief programmes in Syria and in refugee camps in neighbouring countries;

notes that the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia published a report titled ‘Syria at War: Five Years On’ which has detailed the humanitarian consequences

of sanctions that the United States of America and European Union have placed on Syria;
condemns the attack on a convoy carrying citizens being evacuated from the towns of al-Fu'ah and Kafraya on 15th April, 2017;

supports efforts to create a sustainable peace agreement to end the war in Syria;

calls for:

- the United Nations Security Council to refer the situation in Syria to the International Criminal Court and to ensure that anyone who is suspected of committing war crimes is prosecuted;
- all sides in the conflict and international actors to work towards this goal;
- the Irish Government to assist in renewed efforts to establish a ceasefire in the conflict and efforts to establish a peace process;
- US and EU sanctions, that are unfit for purpose, harming civilians, and hindering humanitarian aid, to be lifted immediately;
- the Irish Government to fulfil all its humanitarian and aid commitments to Syria and Syrian refugees, including the resettlement and relocation of Syrian refugees in Ireland; and
- the Irish Government to support all efforts to ensure the safe return of kidnapped civilians; and

concludes that the ongoing conflict in Syria has created one of the worst humanitarian crises in modern times and Ireland, as a priority, must assist efforts to end the conflict, to prosecute those suspected of committing war crimes, and to tackle the huge humanitarian crisis that this brutal conflict has caused.” — *Seán Crowe, Pat Buckley, Gerry Adams, John Brady, David Cullinane, Pearse Doherty, Dessie Ellis, Martin J. Ferris, Kathleen Funchion, Donnchadh Ó Laoghaire, Martin Kenny, Mary Lou McDonald, Imelda Munster, Denise Mitchell, Carol Nolan, Louise O'Reilly, Jonathan O'Brien, Eoin Ó Broin, Caoimhghín Ó Caoláin, Aengus Ó Snodaigh, Maurice Quinlivan, Brian Stanley, Peadar Tóibín.*

MEMORANDA

*Déardaoin, 7 Nollaig, 2017
Thursday, 7th December, 2017*

Cruinniú den Choiste um Chuntais Phoiblí i Seomra Coiste 3, TL2000, ar 9 a.m. (*poiblí*) agus ar 2.30 p.m. (*príobháideach*).

Meeting of the Committee of Public Accounts in Committee Room 3, LH2000, at 9 a.m. (*public*) and 2.30 p.m. (*private*).

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Fostaíochta agus Coimirce Shóisialach i Seomra Coiste 4, TL2000, ar 10.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Employment Affairs and Social Protection in Committee Room 4, LH2000, at 10.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Airgeadas, Caiteachas Poiblí agus Athchóiriú, agus an Taoiseach i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform, and Taoiseach in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Choiste Gnó Seomra 160, an Bloc Cúig Stór, ar 10.30 a.m. (*priobháideach*).
Meeting of the Business Committee in Room 160, Five Storey Block, at 10.30 a.m. (*private*).

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart agus Comhionannas i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 10.30 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice and Equality in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 10.30 a.m.

An Bille um Chartlann Náisiúnta (Leasú), 2017:

National Archives (Amendment) Bill 2017:

Cruinniú den Roghchoiste um Chultúr, Oidhreacht agus Gaeltacht i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 1.15 p.m.
Meeting of the Select Committee on Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 1.15 p.m.

**SCRÍBHINNÍ A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID NA dTITHE
DOCUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE HOUSES¹**

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Statement of interests furnished by Special Adviser, Aoife Sweeney, who acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Frances Fitzgerald, Tánaiste and Minister of the Government at the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation, pursuant to section 19(4)(b) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

¹ I gcás nach leagtar scríbhinn ach faoi bhráid aon Teach amháin, cuirfear (D) – Dáil nó (S) – Seanad ina diaidh dá réir sin.

Where a document is laid before one House only it will be appended with (D) – Dáil or (S) – Seanad accordingly.

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