

Déardaoin, 9 Meitheamh, 2011
Thursday, 9th June, 2011

10.30 a.m.

RIAR NA hOIBRE
Order Paper

GNÓ POIBLÍ
Public Business

Tairiscint:

Motion:

1. “D’ainneoin aon ní sna Buan-Orduithe, le héifeacht ón 14 Meitheamh, 2011, agus go dtí go gcuirfear a mhalairt in iúl sa 24ú Seanad, go ndéantar leis seo Buan-Ordú 29 de Bhuan-Orduithe Sheanad Éireann i dtaobh Gnó Phoiblí a leasú:

(i) i mír 1 trí “Féadfaidh an Cathaoirleach ceithre ní a roghnú a rialaíodh oiriúnach . . .” a chur in ionad “Féadfaidh an Cathaoirleach trí ní a roghnú a rialaíodh oiriúnach . . .”, agus

(ii) tríd an mír seo a leanas a chur in ionad mhír (3):

“(3) Féadfaidh an Seanadóir a bheidh ag tarraingt anuas ní a bheidh roghnaithe chun a phléite, óráid cheithre nóiméad a thabhairt agus beidh comhalta den Rialtas nó Aire Stáit i dteideal ceithre nóiméad ar a mhéad le haghaidh óráid mar fhreagra.”

That, notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders, with effect from the 14th June, 2011 and until further notice in the 24th Seanad, Standing Order 29 of the Standing Orders of Seanad Éireann relative to Public Business is hereby amended:

(i) in paragraph 1 by the substitution of “The Cathaoirleach may select four matters ruled suitable . . .” for “The Cathaoirleach may select three matters ruled suitable . . .”, and

(ii) by the substitution of the following paragraph for paragraph (3):

“(3) The Senator bringing forward a matter which has been selected for discussion may make a four minute speech and a member of the Government or Minister of State shall be entitled to not more than four minutes for a speech in reply.”

—*Senator Maurice Cummins.*

2. Ráitis maidir leis an Straitéis 20 Bliain don Ghaeilge.
Statements on the 20 Year Strategy for the Irish Language.

3. (l) An Bille um Airm Bhitheolaíoch, 2010 [*Dáil*] — An Coiste.
(a) Biological Weapons Bill 2010 [*Dáil*] — Committee.

Tíolactha:
Presented;

4. An Bille um Dhlínse Cúirteanna agus Forghníomhú Breithiúnas (Leasú), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Jurisdiction of Courts and Enforcement of Judgments (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do thabhairt éifeacht don Choinbhinsiún maidir le dlínse agus maidir le haithint agus forghníomhú breithiúnas in ábhair shibhialta agus thráchtála arna shíniú in Lugano an 30ú lá de Dheireadh Fómhair, 2007 agus arna chríochnú thar ceann an Chomhphobail Eorpaigh de bhun Chinneadh 2009/430/CE1 ón gComhairle, agus chun na críche sin do leasú an Achta um Dhlínse Cúirteanna agus Forghníomhú Breithiúnas, 1998 agus an Achta Cothabhála, 1994 agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to give effect to the Convention on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters signed at Lugano on the 30th day of October 2007 and concluded on behalf of the European Community pursuant to Council Decision 2009/430/EC1, and for that purpose to amend the Jurisdiction of Courts and Enforcement of Judgments Act 1998 and the Maintenance Act 1994 and to provide for related matters.

5. An Bille um Príobháideacht, 2006 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Privacy Bill 2006 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le Tort arb éard é Príobháideacht a Shárú; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe a bhaineann leis an méid sin.

Bill entitled an Act to provide for a Tort of Violation of Privacy; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

6. An Bille um Chlárú Uachtanna, 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Registration of Wills Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an tSeirbhís um Chlárú Sibhialta a leathnú chuig clárú faisnéise áirithe maidir le huachtanna agus chun na gcríoch sin d'athmheas an dlí a bhaineann leis an tSeirbhís um Chlárú Sibhialta agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to provide for the extension of the Civil Registration Service to the registration of certain information regarding wills and for those purposes to revise the law relating to the Civil Registration Service and to provide for related matters.

—*Senator Terry Leyden.*

7. An Bille um Rabhadh Radaíochta le haghaidh Guthán Póca, 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Mobile Phone Radiation Warning Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú go ndéanfar lipéad rabhaidh a dhaingniú de chásáil sheachtrach guthán póca agus ar phacáistiú gaolmhar, ina ndéanfar go soiléir go n-astaíonn gutháin phóca radaíocht leictreamaighnéadach.

Bill entitled an Act to provide that a warning label shall be affixed to the exterior casing of mobile phones and on related packaging, which shall state clearly that mobile phones emit electromagnetic radiation.

—*Senator Mark Daly.*

8. An Bille Ombudsman (Leasú), 2008 [*Dáil*] — An Dara Céim.
Ombudsman (Amendment) Bill 2008 [*Dáil*] — Second Stage.

9. An Bille Cróinéirí, 2007 — An Coiste.
Coroners Bill 2007 — Committee.

10. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Ciorrú Ball Giniúna Baineann), 2011 — An Coiste.
Criminal Justice (Female Genital Mutilation) Bill 2011 — Committee.

Ráitis (atógáil):

Statements (resumed):

11. Ráitis maidir leis an Tionscnamh Post agus le hIomaíochas (*atógáil*).
Statements on the Jobs Initiative and Competitiveness (*resumed*).

12. *Tairiscintí nach ón Rialtas:*
Non-Government Motions:

1. “That Seanad Éireann:

- notes with concern the on-going detention by the Bahraini authorities of 47 health care professionals whose only crime was to treat injured patients who presented to their emergency department;
- condemns the actions of the Bahraini State in prosecuting doctors, nurses and paramedics for fulfilling their duty to the patients in their care;
- notes with horror the reports that these medical workers have been tortured while detained;
- abhors the declaration by the Bahraini military that the Salmaniya hospital is a legitimate security target;
- supports the efforts of the renowned international medical relief charity Médecins Sans Frontières to treat those too afraid to leave their homes to seek treatment, and notes that Mr. Saeed Mahdi, an employee of Médecins Sans Frontières, was beaten and arrested on the 6th of May 2011, two days after his house was burned down by security forces, with neither his family nor his lawyers receiving information regarding his condition or his whereabouts since;
- recalls that hundreds of Bahraini doctors have received training in Ireland, where they have treated our sick, healed our injured and delivered our children;
- notes that Dr. Ali Essa Al Ekri, who trained in paediatric orthopaedic surgery at Temple Street hospital, and who is the father of an Irish citizen, is among those who were detained, and further notes that Dr. Bassim Ahmed Ali Dhaif, who worked in the Mater University Hospital, The Children’s Hospital, Temple Street and Cappagh Hospital is being prosecuted also, as is Dr. Dhaif’s brother Dr. Ghassan Ahmed Ali Dhaif;
- requests that the Government and the Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade bring these matters to the attention of King Shaikh Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, to the Prime Minister Prince Shaikh Kahlifa bin Salman al Khalifa, and to His Excellency Shaikh Khalifa bin Ali bin Rashid Al Khalifa, whose embassy in London includes a mission to Ireland;

- urges Irish organisations especially those involved in health education, which have established linkages with Bahrein and with its government to use all of their influence on behalf of these perscecuted professionals;
 - appeals to the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs that he might monitor the prosecution of these doctors closely and continue to raise the house’s concern for these medics with all interested parties.”.
- Senators John Crown, Maurice Cummins, Ivana Bacik, Darragh O’Brien, David Cullinane, Rónán Mullen, Jillian van Turnhout, Diarmuid Wilson.*

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13. An Seanad a chur ar athló.
Adjournment of the Seanad.

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

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

An Bille um Sheirbhísí Maoine (Rialáil), 2009.
Property Services (Regulation) Bill 2009.

An Bille um Rialáil Cumarsáide (Seirbhísí Poist), 2010.
Communications Regulation (Postal Services) Bill 2010.

An Bille um Chonarthaí Foirgníochta, 2010.
Construction Contracts Bill 2010.

An Bille Meabhair-Shláinte (Leasú), 2008
(*athraithe ó*) An Bille Meabhair-Shláinte (Bearta Ainneonacha) (Leasú), 2008.
Mental Health (Amendment) Bill 2008
(*changed from*) Mental Health (Involuntary Procedures) (Amendment) Bill 2008.

PÁIPÉIR A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID AN tSEANAID
Papers laid before the Seanad

*Reachtúil:**Statutory:*

1) Na Rialacháin um Ghairmithe Sláinte (Íocaíochtaí le hOptaiméadraithe a Laghdú i gcomhair Seirbhísí Áirithe), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 261 de 2011).

1) Health Professionals (Reduction of Payments to Optometrists for Certain Services) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 261 of 2011).

2) Na Rialacháin um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 262 de 2011).

2) Planning and Development (Amendment) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 262 of 2011)

3) Oifig an Ombudsman. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2010.

3) Office of the Ombudsman. Annual Report, 2010.

Neamhreachtúil:

1) Breithiúnas ó Mhór-Dhlísheomra na Cúirte Eorpaí um Chearta an Duine i gcás A, B, C v Éire. Strasbourg, 16 Nollaig, 2010.

2) An Scéim um Chúntóirí Riachtanas Speisialta — Athbhreithniú Luach ar Airgead ar Chaiteachas ar an Scéim um Chúntóirí Riachtanas Speisialta, 2007/8-2010. Meitheamh, 2011 (An Roinn Oideachais agus Scileanna).

Non-Statutory:

1) Judgement of the Grand Chamber of the European Court of Human Rights in the case of A, B, C v Ireland. Strasbourg, 16 December, 2010.

2) The Special Needs Assistant Scheme — A Value for Money Review of Expenditure on the Special Needs Assistant Scheme 2007/8-2010. June, 2011. (Department of Education and Skills).