

Déardaoin, 15 Meán Fómhair, 2011
 Thursday, 15th September, 2011

10.30 a.m.

RIAR NA hOIBRE
Order Paper

GNÓ POIBLÍ
Public Business

Tairiscint:
Motion:

1. “Déanann Seanad Éireann, an Lá Idirnáisiúnta um an Daonlathas, 2011, fáilte a chur roimh a bhfuil bainte amach le deireanas ag gluaiseachtaí daonlathais i dtíortha éagsúla go hidirnáisiúnta de bharr theagmhais ‘An tEarrach Arabach’, agus iarrachtaí ag réimis choiscetheacha neamh-dhaonlathacha chun na gluaiseachtaí seo a chur faoi chois, a cháineadh.

—Senators Maurice Cummins, Ivana Bacik, Jillian van Turnhout, Darragh O’Brien.

On International Democracy Day 2011, Seanad Éireann welcomes the successes of the recent movements for democracy across different countries internationally with the events of the ‘Arab Spring’, and condemns attempts by repressive non-democratic regimes to suppress these movements.”.

2. Ráitis maidir le Iompar Áitiúil agus Tuaithe sa Todhchaí.
 Statements on the Future of Local and Rural Transport.

Tíolactha:
Presented:

3. An Bille Árachais (Leasú), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
 Insurance (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Acharta Árachais, 1964 agus an Acharta Árachais, 1989 chun socrú a dhéanamh maidir le ranníocaí leis an gciste cúitimh árachais agus maidir le híocaíochtaí as agus i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Insurance Act 1964 and the Insurance Act 1989 to provide for contributions to and payments from the insurance compensation fund and for related matters.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):
Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

4. An Bille um Chláru Uachtanna, 2011 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
 Registration of Wills Bill 2011 — Second Stage (*resumed*).

—Senator Terry Leyden.

5. An Bille um Thrédhearcacht GNBS, 2011 — An Dara Céim.

NAMA Transparency Bill 2011 — Second Stage.

—Senators *Mark Daly, Darragh O'Brien, Diarmuid Wilson.**Tíolactha:**Presented:*

6. 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.

—Senator *Maurice Cummins.*

7. 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.

—Senator *Maurice Cummins.*

8. An Bille um Cháilíochtaí agus Dearbhú Cáilíochta (Oideachas agus Oiliúint), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Qualifications and Quality Assurance (Education and Training) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir le comhlacht a bhunú ar a dtabharfar, sa Ghaeilge, Údarás na hÉireann um Cháilíochtaí agus Dearbhú Cáilíochta nó, sa Bhéarla, the Qualifications and Quality Assurance Authority of Ireland; do mhíniú a fheidhmeanna; do dhéanamh socrú maidir le hÚdarás Náisiúnta Cáilíochtaí na hÉireann, Comhairle na nDámhachtainí Ardoideachais agus Oiliúna agus Comhairle na nDámhachtainí Breisoideachais agus Oiliúna a dhíscaoileadh; d'aisghairm Acht na gCáilíochtaí (Oideachas agus Oiliúint),

Bill entitled an Act to provide for the establishment of a body known in the Irish language as Údarás na hÉireann um Cháilíochtaí agus Dearbhú Cáilíochta or in the English language the Qualifications and Quality Assurance Authority of Ireland; to define its functions; to provide for the dissolution of the National Qualifications Authority of Ireland, the Higher Education and Training Awards Council and the Further Education and Training Awards Council; to repeal the Qualifications (Education and Training) Act 1999; to amend the Higher Education Authority Act

1999; do leasú Acht an Údaráis um Ard-Oideachas, 1971, Acht na gColáistí Teicniúla Réigiúnacha, 1992, an Acharta um Shaoráil Faisnéise, 1997, Acht na nOllscoileanna, 1997 agus Achtanna áirithe eile; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe a bhaineann leis an méid sin.

1971, the Regional Technical Colleges Act 1992, the Freedom of Information Act 1997, the Universities Act 1997 and certain other Acts; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

9. An Bille um Chuntais Dhíomhaoine (Leasú), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Dormant Accounts (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú na nAchtanna um Chuntais Dhíomhaoine, 2001 go 2005, do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an Aire Comhshaoil, Pobail agus Rialtais Áitiúil d'fheidhmiú feidhmeanna áirithe a bhaineann le Ciste na gCuntas Díomhaoine agus le díscaoileadh an Bhoird um Chuntais Dhíomhaoine agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Dormant Accounts Acts 2001 to 2005, to provide for the exercise by the Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government of certain functions relating to the Dormant Accounts Fund and the dissolution of the Dormant Accounts Board and to provide for related matters.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

10. An Bille Staidrimh (Leasú i leith Oidhreachta), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.

Statistics (Heritage Amendment) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta Staidrimh, 1993, i ndáil leis an gcéad daonáireamh ar Éirinn a rinneadh ó bunaíodh an Stát; do thabhairt stádas oidhreachta speisialta don daonáireamh sin agus do chur faoi deara é a chur ar fáil don phobal le haghaidh taighde ginealach, staire agus taighde eile.

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Statistics Act 1993, in relation to the first census of population of Ireland taken since the establishment of the State; to afford that census a special heritage status and to have such released to the public for genealogical, historical and other research.

—Senator Labhrás Ó Murchú.

11. An Bille Ombudsman (Leasú), 2008 [Dáil] — An Dara Céim.

Ombudsman (Amendment) Bill 2008 [Dáil] — Second Stage.

12. An Bille Cróinéirí, 2007 — An Coiste.

Coroners Bill 2007 — Committee.

Tairiscint:

Motion:

13. “Go ndéanann Seanad Éireann athdhearbhú ar thacaíocht Rialtas na hÉireann agus an phobail, atá ann le fada, le Stát Palaistíneach a bhunú de réir na dteorainneacha a bhí ar Iosrael roimh 1967 maille le hiomlaoidí talún arna gcomhaontú go frithpháirteach, agus tacáonn sé le hiarrachtaí leanúnacha an Rialtais, i

That Seanad Éireann reaffirms the long-standing support of the Irish Government and people for the establishment of a Palestinian State, based upon Israel's pre-1967 borders with mutually agreed land swaps, and backs the continuing efforts of the Government, in conjunction with EU and international partners, to advance its

dteannta compháirtithe AE agus compháirtithe idirnáisiúnta, chun a réadú a luaithe is féidir a chur chun cinn, trí athchromadh ar phléití síochána díreacha idir taobh na nIosraelach agus taobh na bPalaistíneach a bheidh dírithe ar réiteach caibidlithe cuimsitheach dhá Stát ar an gcoinbhleacht ar bhonn na bparaiméadar atá leagtha amach i dTáайл Chomhairle Gnóthaí Eachtracha AE, Nollaig 2009, Nollaig 2010 agus Bealtaine 2011 agus go hiomlán de réir rúin iomchuí na Comhairle Slándála, Phrionsabail Mhaidrid, Threochláir 2004, comhaontuithe a rinne an dá pháirtí roimhe seo agus an Tionscnamh Síochána Arabaigh.

earliest possible realisation, through the resumption of direct peace talks between the Israeli and Palestinian sides aimed at achieving a comprehensive negotiated two-State resolution of the conflict on the basis of the parameters set out in the EU Foreign Affairs Council Conclusions of December 2009, December 2010 and May 2011 and in full accordance with relevant Security Council resolutions, the Madrid Principles, the 2004 Roadmap, previous agreements entered into by both parties and the Arab Peace Initiative.”.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.
[27 July, 2011]

14. Tairiscintí nach ón Rialtas: Non-Government Motions:

1. “That Seanad Éireann is keenly aware of the suffering of the families of those who died or were injured in the Dublin and Monaghan bombings and in all the atrocities that were inquired into by Judge Henry Barron; that this suffering is exacerbated by the absence of closure in these terrible tragedies; and that we support their call for co-operation by the British Government to actively participate in a process to help provide answers to the questions that remain unanswered; and that the Irish Government will continue in its efforts to urge the British Government to give urgent consideration to this matter.”.

—Senators Mary White, Darragh O’Brien, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O’Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O’Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Diarmuid Wilson.

[16 June, 2011]

2. “That Seanad Éireann will appoint an Honorary Senator to represent the Global Irish Community Overseas.”.

—Senators Mark Daly, Diarmuid Wilson, Mary White, Darragh O’Brien, Thomas Byrne, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O’Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O’Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh.

[28 June, 2011]

3. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Minister for Health and the Government to honour its pre-election commitments and ensure the continuation of the existing twenty-four hour a day, seven day a week, Accident and Emergency services at Roscommon County Hospital.”.

—Senators Terry Leyden, Diarmuid Wilson, Darragh O’Brien, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O’Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O’Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White.

[6 July, 2011]

4. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Irish Government to formally recognise a Palestinian State at the UN General Assembly meeting in September 2011 and that such a state would be based upon Israel’s pre-1967 borders with mutually agreed land swaps.”

—Senators Darragh O’Brien, Diarmuid Wilson, Ned O’Sullivan, Denis O’Donovan, Marc MacSharry, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Paschal Mooney, Terry Leyden, Thomas Byrne, Jim Walsh, Averil Power, Mark Daly, Mary White, Jillian van Turnhout, Marie Louise O’Donnell, Fiach Mac Conghail, Katherine Zappone, David Norris, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly, David Cullinane.

[26 July, 2011]

5. “That Seanad Éireann discuss and reject outright the Government’s proposals to introduce a septic tank charge or registration fee on rural households.”

—Senators Brian Ó Domhnaill, Darragh O’Brien, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Denis O’Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O’Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White, Diarmuid Wilson.

[14 September, 2011]

15. An Seanad a chur ar athló.

Adjournment of the Seanad.

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

An Bille um Sheirbhísí Maoine (Rialáil), 2009.

Property Services (Regulation) Bill 2009.

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.

An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Ciorrú Ball Giniúna Baineann), 2011.

Criminal Justice (Female Genital Mutilation) Bill 2011.

MEMORANDA

Deardaoin, 15 Meán Fómhair, 2011.

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Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh i Seomra Coiste 3,
TL 2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs in Committee Room 3,
LH 2000, at 11.30 a.m.

Cruinníú den An Comhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 11.30 a.m.

Cruinníú den Roghchoiste um Leasanna Chomhaltaí Sheanad Éireann i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000, ar 12 meán lae.

Meeting of the Select Committee on Members' Interests of Seanad Éireann in Room 4, LH 2000, 12 noon.

Cruinníú den Chomhchoiste um Airgeadas, Caiteachas Poiblí agus Athchóiriú i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000, ar 2 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 2 p.m.

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

Reachtúil:

Statutory:

- 1) Tuarascáil Bhliantúil an Ard-Chláraitheora don Aire Coimirce Sóisialaí faoi Alt 11 den Acht um Chlárú Sibhialta, 2004 don bhliain 2010.
- 2) Tuarascáil Bhliantúil an Choiste arna Cheapadh chun Faireachán a Dhéanamh ar Éifeachtacht an Chláir Athstíúrtha. 2010.
- 3) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoinar ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, James O'Grady, Tiománaí Sibhialtach, mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Leo Varadkar, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Iompair, Turasóireachta agus Spóirt, le héifeacht ón 2 Bealtaine, 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.
- 4) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Éilimh agus Íocaíochtaí Comhdhlúite agus Rialú) (Leasú) (Uimh. 4) (Ró-Íocaíocht), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 461 de 2011).
- 5) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Liúntas Leasa Forlíontach Comhdhlúite) (Leasú) (Uimh. 2) (Forlíonadh Cíosa), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 462 de 2011).
- 6) Fáilte Éireann. (An tÚdarás Náisiúnta Forbartha Turasóireachta). Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2010.
- 7) An tOrdú um an gCoimisiún Reifrinn (Bunú) (Uimh. 2), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 466 de 2011).
- 1) Annual Report of an tArd-Chláraitheoir to the Minister for Social Protection under Section 11 of the Civil Registration Act 2004 for the year 2010.
- 2) Annual Report of the Committee Appointed to Monitor the Effectiveness of the Diversion Programme. 2010.
- 3) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, James O'Grady, Civilian Driver, acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Leo Varadkar, Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport at the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, with effect from 2 May, 2011, pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.
- 4) Social Welfare (Consolidated Claims, Payments and Control) (Amendment) (No. 4) (Overpayment) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 461 of 2011).
- 5) Social Welfare (Consolidated Supplementary Welfare Allowance) (Amendment) (No. 2) (Rent Supplement) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 462 of 2011).
- 6) Fáilte Ireland. (National Tourism Development Authority). Annual Report, 2010.
- 7) Referendum Commission (Establishment) (No. 2) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 466 of 2011).

- 8) An tÚdarás Clárúcháin Maoine. 8) The Property Registration Authority. Annual Report, 2010.

Reachtúil:

- 1) Turasóireacht Éireann. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil agus Ráitis Airgeadais, 2010.
- 2) An Phríomh-Oifig Staidrimh. Dul Chun Cinn na hÉireann a Thomhas, 2010.
- 3) Na Rialacháin fán Acht um Thrácht ar Bhóithre, 1994 (Feithiclí a Choinneáil), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 460 de 2011).
- 4) An Roinn Oideachais agus Eolaíochta. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2007.
- 5) Rialacháin na gComhphobal Eorpach (Leasú ar na Rialacháin um Pleanáil agus Forbairt), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 464 de 2011).
- 6) Meastacháin. Meastacháin Fhorlíontacha, don bhliain dar críoch 31 Nollaig, 2011:

— Vóta 42. Oifig an Aire Caiteachais Phoiblí agus Athchóirithe (€1,000).

Statutory:

- 1) Tourism Ireland. Annual Report and Financial Statements, 2010.
 - 2) Central Statistics Office: Measuring Ireland's Progress, 2010.
 - 3) Road Traffic Act 1994 (Detention of Vehicles) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 460 of 2011).
 - 4) Department of Education and Science. Annual Report, 2007.
 - 5) European Communities (Amendment to Planning and Development Regulations) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 464 of 2011).
 - 6) Estimates. Supplementary, for the year ending 31 December, 2011:
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- Vote 42. Office of the Minister for Public Expenditure and Reform (€1,000).