

Dé Céadaoin, 16 Samhain, 2011
Wednesday, 16th November, 2011

10.30 a.m.

RIAR NA hOIBRE

Order Paper

GNÓ POIBLÍ

Public Business

1. An Bille um Sheirbhísí Uisce (Leasú), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
 Water Services (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do leasú an Achta um Sheirbhísí Uisce, 2007; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to amend the Water Services Act 2007; and to provide for related matters.

—*Senator Maurice Cummins.*

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2. Ráitis maidir le Beartas Tithíochta.
 Statements on Housing Policy.
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Tairiscint:

Motion:

3. “Go mbeartaíonn Seanad Éireann go ndéanfar na téarmaí tagartha atá sa Rún a rith Dáil Éireann an 23 Márta, 2005 agus a rith Seanad Éireann an 24 Márta, 2005, arna leasú leis na Rúin a rith Dáil Éireann agus Seanad Éireann an 1 Meitheamh, 2011, de bhun na nAchtanna um Binsí Fiosrúcháin (Fianaise), 1921 go 2004, a leasú tuilleadh mar a leanas:

That Seanad Éireann resolves that the terms of reference contained in the Resolution passed by Dáil Éireann on 23 March, 2005 and by Seanad Éireann on 24 March, 2005, as amended by the Resolutions passed by Dáil Éireann and Seanad Éireann on 1 June, 2011, pursuant to the Tribunals of Inquiry (Evidence) Acts 1921 to 2004, be further amended as follows:

1. tríd an mír seo a leanas a chur in ionad mhír (I):

1. by substituting the following paragraph for paragraph (I):

‘(I) go dtabharfaidh an Binse tuarascáil do Chléireach na Dála ar bhonn eatramhach tráth nach déanaí ná an 9 Márta, 2012, agus go leagfar amach sa tuarascáil sin:

‘(I) the Tribunal shall report to the Clerk of the Dáil on an interim basis not later than 9 March, 2012 setting out:

(a) íon na bpáirtithe ar deonaíodh ionadaíocht dóibh,

(a) the number of parties granted representation,

(b) an dul chun cinn a bheidh

(b) the progress which has been

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déanta in éisteachtaí agus in obair an Bhinse, agus

made in the hearings and work of the Tribunal, and

(c) aon nithe eile a mheasfaidh an Binse is ceart a thabhairt ar aird Thithe an Oireachtais; agus

(c) any other matters that the Tribunal considers should be drawn to the attention of the Houses of the Oireachtas; and

2. i mír (IV) trí ‘an 31 Bealtaine, 2012’ a chur in ionad ‘an 30 Samhain, 2011’.

2. in paragraph (IV) by substituting ‘31 May, 2012’ for ‘30 November, 2011’.”
—*Senator Maurice Cummins.*

4. Ráitis maidir le Trádáil thar Lear.
Statements on Overseas Trade.

5. Ráitis ar Fhorbairtí maidir le Coimirce Shóisialach.
Statements on the Developments in Social Protection

Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

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

—*Senator Terry Leyden.*

7. An Bille um Thrédhearacht GNBS, 2011 — An Dara Céim.
NAMA Transparency Bill 2011 — Second Stage.

—*Senators Mark Daly, Darragh O’Brien, Diarmuid Wilson.*

Tíolactha:

Presented:

8. 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.*

9. 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.*

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 ginealais, 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.

13. An Bille um Cháilíochtaí agus Dearbhú Cáilíochta (Oideachas agus Oilíúint), 2011 — An Coiste.
Qualifications and Quality Assurance (Education and Training) Bill 2011 — Committee.

14. An Bille um Chlárú Sibhialta (Leasú), 2011 — An Coiste.
Civil Registration (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Committee.

—*Senator Ivana Bacik.*

15. *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]

6. “That Seanad Éireann:

accepts that we need to enforce a minimum price for alcohol, based on the price per unit of alcohol;

notes that selling alcohol for below cost price is an incentive to the purchase of alcohol;

notes that excessive consumption of alcohol is damaging for the health of individuals;

notes that the average age for a first drinking experience is declining;

recognises that below cost selling of alcohol can be damaging for individuals, families and communities; and

recognises that alcohol-related crimes have risen in the decade from 2001 to 2011.”.

—*Senators Maurice Cummins, Paul Bradford, Terry Brennan, Colm Burke, Deirdre Clune, Paul Coghlan, Michael Comiskey, Martin Conway, Michael D’Arcy, Jim D’Arcy, Fidelma Healy Eames, Imelda Henry, Cáit Keane, Tony Mulcahy, Michael Mullins, Catherine Noone, Pat O’Neill, Tom Sheahan, David Norris.*

[15 November, 2011]

Leasú:

Amendment:

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

“Seanad Éireann:

- accepts that we need to enforce a minimum price for alcohol, based on the price per unit/per gram of alcohol;
 - notes that selling very cheap alcohol is an incentive to the purchase of alcohol;
 - notes that excessive consumption of alcohol is damaging for the health of individuals;
 - notes that the average age for a first drinking experience is declining;
 - recognises that very cheap alcohol can be damaging for individuals, families and communities; and
 - recognises that alcohol-related crimes have risen in the decade from 2001 to 2011.”
- Senators Jillian van Turnhout, John Crown.*

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

BILLÍ AR SIÚL AGUS GNÓ ATÁ ORDAITHE
Bills in Progress and Business Ordered

Dé Máirt, 22 Samhain, 2011
Tuesday, 22nd November, 2011

Bille na nAltraí agus na gCnáimhseach 2010 [*Dáil*] — An Coiste.
Nurses and Midwives Bill 2010 [*Dáil*] — Committee.

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.

An Bille um Chuntais Dhíomhaoine (Leasú), 2011.
Dormant Accounts (Amendment) Bill 2011.

An Bille um Rochtain ar Chistí Príomhchisteáin (An Coimisiún um Rialáil Fuinnimh),
2011.
Access to Central Treasury Funds (Commission for Energy Regulation) Bill 2011.

MEMORANDA

Dé Céadaoin, 16 Samhain, 2011.
Wednesday, 16th November, 2011.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Poist, Coimirce Shóisialach agus Oideachas i
Seomra Coiste 3, TL 2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Jobs, Social Protection and Education in Committee
Room 3, LH 2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Acmhainní Nádúrtha agus Talmhaíocht i
Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 2.15 p.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Natural Resources and Agriculture
in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 2.15 p.m.

Déardaoin, 17 Samhain 2011.
Thursday, 17th November, 2011.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste 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.

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.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Fhorfheidhmiú Chomhaontú Aoine an Chéasta i
Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000, ar 11.45 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Implementation of the Good Friday Agreement
in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 11.45 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste Riaracháin i Seomra Coiste 1, TL 2000, ar 1.30 p.m.
Meeting of the Joint Administration Committee in Committee Room 1, LH 2000, at
1.30 p.m.

Cruinniú 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.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste Imscrúduithe, Formhaoirsiú agus Achainíocha i Seomra Coiste 3, TL 2000, ar 4 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Investigations, Oversight and Petitions in Committee Room 3, LH 2000, at 4 p.m.

Dé hAoine, 18 Samhain, 2011.

Friday, 18th November, 2011.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 10.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 10.30 a.m.

PÁIPÉIR A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID AN tSEANAID

Papers laid before the Seanad

Reachtúil:

1) An Bord Iascaigh Mhara. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2010.

2) Togra le haghaidh Rialacháin ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle lena leasaítear Iarscríbhinn I a ghabhann le Rialachán (CE) 1528/2007 ón gComhairle maidir le líon tíortha a eisiamh ón liosta réigiún nó stát atá tar éis caibidlí a chríochnú mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin. COM (2011) 598.

3) Togra le haghaidh Cinnidh ón gComhairle lena n-údaráítear táirgí a chur ar an margadh ar táirgí iad ina bhfuil, arb é atá iontu, nó a tháirgtear as cadás géinmhodhnaithe 281-24-236x3006-210-23 (DAS-24236-5xDAS-2123-5) de bhun Rialachán (CE) Uimh. 1829/2003 ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle mar aon le nóta faisnéise míniúcháin. COM (2011) 620.

4) An tOrdú um an Acht Comhdhlúite Cánacha 1997 (Liúntais Chaipitiúla Luathaithe i leith Trealamh atá Éifeachtúil ó thaobh Fuinnimh de) (Leasú) (Uimh. 3), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 545 de 2011).

5) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, Pat Nolan (Tiománaí Sibhialtach), mar Chomhairleoir

Statutory:

1) An Bord Iascaigh Mhara. Annual Report, 2010.

2) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EC) No. 1528/2007 as regards the exclusion of a number of countries from the list of regions or states which have concluded negotiations together with explanatory information note. COM (2011) 598.

3) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing, consisting of, or produced from genetically modified cotton 281-24-236x3006-210-23 (DAS-24236-5xDAS-2123-5) pursuant to Regulation (EC) No. 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council together with explanatory information note. COM (2011) 620.

4) Taxes Consolidation Act 1997 (Accelerated Capital Allowances for Energy Efficient Equipment) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 545 of 2011).

5) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, Pat Nolan (Civilian Driver), acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Phil Hogan, Minister of the Government at the

Speisialta don Teachta Pilib Ó hÓgáin, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Comhshaoil, Pobail agus Rialtais Áitiúil, le héifeacht ón 4 Bealtaine 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

6) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, James O'Connor (Tiománaí Sibhialtach), mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Pilib Ó hÓgáin, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Comhshaoil, Pobail agus Rialtais Áitiúil, le héifeacht ón 1 Bealtaine 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

Department of the Environment, Community and Local Government, with effect from 4 May, 2011, pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

6) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, James O'Connor (Civilian Driver), acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Phil Hogan, Minister of the Government at the Department of the Environment, Community and Local Government, with effect from 1 May, 2011, pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.