

Dé Luain, 28 Samhain, 2011
Monday, 28th November, 2011

6 p.m.

RIAR NA hOIBRE

Order Paper

GNÓ POIBLÍ

Public Business

1. *(l)* An Bille um Sheirbhísí Uisce (Leasú), 2011 — An Tuarascáil.
(a) Water Services (Amendment) Bill 2011 — Report Stage.

2. An Bille um Iompar ar Bhóithre, 2011 [*Dáil*] — An Dara Céim.
 Road Transport Bill 2011 [*Dáil*] — Second Stage.

3. An Bille um Údarás Náisiúnta Forbartha Turasoireachta (Leasú), 2011 [*Dáil*] — An Dara Céim.
 National Tourism Development Authority (Amendment) Bill 2011 [*Dáil*] — Second Stage.

4. An Bille um Bord Scannán na hÉireann (Leasú), 2011 [*Dáil*] — An Dara Céim.
 Irish Film Board (Amendment) Bill 2011 [*Dáil*] — Second Stage.

5. An Bille um Sheirbhísí Maoine (Rialáil), 2009 [*Bille Seanaid arna leasú ag an Dáil*]
 — An Tuarascáil.
 Property Services (Regulation) Bill 2009 [*Seanad Bill amended by the Dáil*] —
 Report Stage.

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 um an Dlí Coiriúil (Cosaint agus an Teaghais), 2010 [*Dáil*] — An Dara Céim. Criminal Law (Defence and the Dwelling) Bill 2010 [*Dáil*] — Second Stage.

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

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

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

—*Senator Ivana Bacik.*

16. *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]

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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]

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6. “That Seanad Éireann:

condemning the disgraceful closure of Abbeyleix Community Hospital and Shaen Hospital in Co. Laois;

noting that the Minister for Health has not informed either House of the Oireachtas of whether or not it is his policy to close other community hospitals and public beds for the elderly;

recognising that the leaked planned closure of 842 beds to the press is a disgraceful way to treat patients in these hospitals;

noting that such leaks are causing anxiety and confusion to patients and their families in the locations affected, as they face being cast out of the only environment they know as their home at this stage of their lives;

recognising that there is no justification for the closure of these community hospitals for the elderly and there will be no benefit for the HSE as staff would have to be redeployed under the Croke Park Agreement to other HSE facilities in the region;

resolves to:

condemn the Minister’s actions for his shameful handling of the closure of community hospitals which caused untold anxiety and distress to patients in these facilities;

call on the Minister to reverse his decision to close Abbeyleix and Shaen Hospitals;

calls on the Minister to confirm whether or not he intends to close any or all of St. Brigid’s in Laois, St. Brigid’s in Crookslings, Lisdarn in Cavan, St. Joseph’s in Louth, Cottage Home in Louth, St. Francis in Galway City, Lifford in Donegal, St. Francis in Fermoy, or Cluan Arran in Tipperary;

call on the Minister to confirm the other facilities that face cuts in the number of beds or other possible closure; and

condemn the Fine Gael/Labour Government for advancing the closure of public beds for the elderly and community hospitals given it is privatisation by the back door.”.

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

[28 November, 2011]

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

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

An Bille um Chonartháí 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.

MEMORANDA

Dé Máirt, 29 Samhain, 2011.
Tuesday, 29th November, 2011.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Acmhainní agus Talmhaíocht i Seomra Coiste 3, TL 2000, ar 2 p.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Natural Resources and Agriculture in Committee Room 3, LH 2000, at 2 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol, Iompar, Cultúr agus Gaeltacht i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000 ar 2.15 p.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Environment, Transport, Culture and the Gaeltacht in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 2.15 p.m.

Cruinniú de Choiste Comhairliúchán Poiblí an tSeanaid i Seomra an tSeanaid ar 2.30 p.m.
Meeting of the Seanad Public Consultations Committee in Seanad Chamber at 2.30 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh i Seomra Coiste 1, TL 2000, ar 3.30 pm
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs in Committee Room 1, LH 2000, at 3.30 p.m.

*Dé Céadaoin, 30 Samhain, 2011.
 Wednesday, 30th November, 2011.*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 9.30 a.m.

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 Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 2 p.m.
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 2 p.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Airgeadas, Caiteachas Poiblí agus Athchóiriú i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000, ar 4 p.m.
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 4 p.m.

*Déardaoin, 1 Nollaig, 2011.
 Thursday, 1st December, 2011.*

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas i Seomra Coiste 3, TL 2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
 Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality in Committee Room 3, LH 2000, at 9.30 a.m.

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.

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

Reachtúil:

1) Ráiteas maidir leis na cáilíochtaí de chuid an Chomhairleora Speisialta, Miriam O'Callaghan, Cúntóir Pearsanta, a ghníomhaíonn nó a ghníomhaigh mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Éanna Ó Coinnigh, Taoiseach, ag Roinn an Taoisigh, is iomchuí maidir lena

Statutory:

1) Statement of the qualifications of Special Adviser, Miriam O'Callaghan, Personal Assistant, who acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Enda Kenny, Taoiseach, at the Department of the Taoiseach, relevant to her functions as a Special Adviser, pursuant to section 19(4)(d) of the

feidhmeanna mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta, de bhun alt 19(4)(d) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001 [agus] Ráiteas i dtaobh an gaol leis an sealbhóir oifige an Comhairleoir Speisialta, Miriam O'Callaghan, Cúntóir Pearsanta, a ghníomhaíonn nó a ghníomhaigh mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Éanna Ó Coinnigh, Taoiseach, ag Roinn an Taoisigh de bhun alt 19(4)(c) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

2) Ráiteas i dtaobh an gaolta leis an sealbhóir oifige na Comhairleoirí Speisialta, Mary Donohoe, Rúnaí Pearsanta; John Carroll, Comhairleoir Beartais; Nick Miller, Comhairleoir Speisialta; Brian Murphy, Comhairleoir Speisialta; James O'Grady, Tiománaí Sibhialtach and John O'Shea, Tiománaí Sibhialtach, a ghníomhaíonn nó a ghníomhaigh mar Chomhairleoirí Speisialta don Teachta Leo Varadkar, Aire Iompair, Turasóireachta agus Spóirt ag an Roinn Iompair, Turasóireachta agus Spóirt, de bhun alt 19(4)(c) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

3) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, Meágan Ní Chúirc, Rúnaí Pearsanta, mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Proinséas Mhic Gearailt, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige, le héifeacht ón 6 Meitheamh, 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

4) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, William Lavelle, mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Proinséas Mhic Gearailt, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige, le héifeacht ón 6 Meitheamh, 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001.

5) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, John Feehily, Tiománaí Sibhialtach, mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Proinséas Mhic Gearailt, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige, le héifeacht ón

Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001 [and] Statement as to whether Special Adviser, Miriam O'Callaghan, Personal Assistant, who acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Enda Kenny, Taoiseach, at the Department of the Taoiseach, is a relative of the office holder, pursuant to section 19(4)(c) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

2) Statements as to whether Special Advisers, Mary Donohoe, Personal Secretary; John Carroll, Policy Adviser; Nick Miller, Special Adviser; Brian Murphy, Special Adviser; James O'Grady, Civilian Driver and John O'Shea, Civilian Driver, who act or acted as Special Advisers to Deputy Leo Varadkar, Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport, at the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, are relatives of the office holder, pursuant to section 19(4)(c) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

3) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, Meágan Ní Chúirc, Personal Secretary, acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Frances Fitzgerald, Minister of the Government at the Department of Children and Youth Affairs, with effect from 6 June, 2011 pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

4) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, William Lavelle, acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Frances Fitzgerald, Minister of the Government at the Department of Children and Youth Affairs, with effect from 6 June, 2011 pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.

5) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, John Feehily, Civilian Driver, acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Frances Fitzgerald, Minister of the Government at the Department of Children and Youth Affairs, with effect from 15 June, 2011 pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of

- 15 Meitheamh, 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001. the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.
- 6) Ráiteas i scríbhinn maidir leis na téarmaí agus na coinníollacha (conradh) faoina ngníomhaíonn nó faoina ghníomhaigh an Comhairleoir Speisialta, Jim Cassidy, Tiománaí Sibhialtach, mar Chomhairleoir Speisialta don Teachta Proinséas Mhic Gearailt, Aire den Rialtas ag an Roinn Leanaí agus Gnóthaí Óige, le héifeacht ón 2 Bealtaine, 2011, de bhun alt 19(4)(a) de na hAchtanna um Eitic in Oifigí Poiblí, 1995 agus 2001. 6) Statement in writing of the terms and conditions (contract) under which Special Adviser, Jim Cassidy, Civilian Driver, acts or acted as a Special Adviser to Deputy Frances Fitzgerald, Minister of the Government at the Department of Children and Youth Affairs, with effect from 2 May, 2011 pursuant to section 19(4)(a) of the Ethics in Public Office Acts 1995 and 2001.
- 7) Bord Fiontar Contae Chiarraí Teoranta. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil agus Ráitis Airgeadais, 2010. 7) Kerry County Enterprise Board Limited. Annual Report and Financial Statements, 2010.
- 8) Bord Fiontar Contae Shligigh Teoranta. Tuarascáil agus Ráitis Airgeadais, 2010. 8) Sligo County Enterprise Board Limited. Report and Financial Statements, 2010.
- 9) Údarás Forbartha Dugthailte Bhaile Átha Cliath. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil agus Ráitis Airgeadais, 2010. 9) Dublin Docklands Development Authority. Annual Report and Financial Statements, 2010.
- 10) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Liúntas Cíosa) (Leasú) (Páirtnéireacht Shibhialta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 600 de 2011). 10) Social Welfare (Rent Allowance) (Amendment) (Civil Partnership) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 600 of 2011).
- 11) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Díobhálacha Ceirde Comhdhlúite) (Leasú) (Páirtnéireacht Shibhialta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 601 de 2011). 11) Social Welfare (Consolidated Occupational Injuries) (Amendment) (Civil Partnership) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 601 of 2011).
- 12) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Ranníocaí Comhdhlúite agus Inárachaith-eacht) (Leasú) (Páirtnéireacht Shibhialta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 602 de 2011). 12) Social Welfare (Consolidated Contributions and Insurability) (Amendment) (Civil Partnership) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 602 of 2011).
- 13) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Liúntas Leasa Forlíontach Comhdhlúite) (Leasú) (Uimh. 4) (Páirtnéireacht Shibhialta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 603 de 2011). 13) Social Welfare (Consolidated Supplementary Welfare Allowance) (Amendment) (No. 4) (Civil Partnership) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 603 of 2011).
- 14) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisialaigh (Éilimh agus Íocaíochtaí Comhdhlúite agus Rialú) (Leasú) (Uimh. 6) (Páirtnéireacht Shibhialta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 604 de 2011). 14) Social Welfare (Consolidated Claims, Payments and Control) (Amendment) (No. 6) (Civil Partnership) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 604 of 2011).
- 15) An tOrdú um an Acht Luachála 2001 (Luacháil Uileghabhálach) (Cionroinnt) (Líonra Tarchurtha RTÉ Teoranta), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 605 de 2011). 15) Valuation Act 2001 (Global Valuation) (Apportionment) (RTE Transmission Network Limited) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 605 of 2011).
- 16) An tOrdú um an Acht Luachála 2001 (Luacháil Uileghabhálach) (Cionroinnt) (UPC Communications Ireland Limited), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 606 de 2011). 16) Valuation Act 2001 (Global Valuation) (Apportionment) (UPC Communications Ireland Limited) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 606 of 2011).