

*Dé Máirt, 6 Nollaig, 2011
Tuesday, 6th December, 2011*

12.30 p.m.

RIAR NA hOIBRE
Order Paper

GNÓ POIBLÍ
Public Business

Tairiscint:
Motion:

1. “Go ndéanfar an togra go ndéanann Seanad Éireann, ag tabhairt dá haire go ndearna an Rialtas, an 1 Nollaig, 2011, an tUas. Simon O’Brien, an tUas. Kieran Fitzgerald agus Carmel Foley, Uas. a ainmniú lena gceapadh ag an Uachtaráin le bheith ina gcomhaltaí de Choimisiún Ombudsman an Gharda Síochána agus an tUas. Simon O’Brien le bheith ina chathaoirleach air, a mholadh, de bhun alt 65(1)(b) d’Acht an Gharda Síochána, 2005, go ndéanfaidh an tUachtaráin an tUas. Simon O’Brien agus an tUas. Kieran Fitzgerald a cheapadh agus Carmel Foley, Uas., a athcheapadh le bheith ina gcomhaltaí den Choimisiún, agus an tUas. Simon O’Brien a cheapadh le bheith ina Chathaoirleach air, a tharchur chuig an gComhchoiste um Dhí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas, de réir Bhuan-Ordú 70A(3), agus go ndéanfaidh an Coiste sin, tráth nach déanaí ná an 9 Nollaig, 2011, teachtaireacht a chur chuig an Seanad ar an modh a fhordaítear i mBuan-Ordú 73, agus go mbeidh feidhm dá réir sin ag Buan-Ordú 75(2).

That the proposal that Seanad Éireann, noting that the Government on 1st December, 2011 nominated Mr. Simon O’Brien, Mr. Kieran Fitzgerald and Ms. Carmel Foley for appointment by the President to be members of the Garda Síochána Ombudsman Commission and Mr. Simon O’Brien to be its chairperson, recommends, pursuant to section 65(1)(b) of the Garda Síochána Act 2005, that Mr. Simon O’Brien and Mr. Kieran Fitzgerald be appointed and that Ms. Carmel Foley be re-appointed by the President to be members, and Mr. Simon O’Brien to be chairperson, of the Commission, be referred to the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality, in accordance with Standing Order 70A(3), which, not later than 9th December, 2011, shall send a message to the Seanad in the manner prescribed in Standing Order 73, and Standing Order 75(2) shall accordingly apply.”.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

Tíolactha:
Presented:

2. An Bille Rialtais Áitiúil (Muirrear Teaghlaigh), 2011 — Ordú don Dara Céim.
Local Government (Household Charge) Bill 2011 — Order for Second Stage.

Acht dá cheangal ar úinéirí maoine cónnithe áirithe muirrear teaghlaigh bliantúil a íoc i leith gach maoine den sórt sin leis an údarás áitiúil ar ina limistéar feidhme atá an

An Act to require the owners of certain residential properties to pay an annual household charge in respect of each such property to the local authority in whose

mhaoin chónaithe suite; dá cheangal faisnéis a bhaineann le gach maoin den sórt sin a thabhairt chun a chumasú bunachar sonraí maoine cónaithe sa Stát a ullmhú; do leasú an Achta Rialtais Áitiúil, 1998; do leasú an Achta Rialtais Áitiúil (Muirir), 2009; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

functional area the residential property is situated; to require the furnishing of information relating to each such property to enable the preparation of a database of residential properties in the State; to amend the Local Government Act 1998; to amend the Local Government (Charges) Act 2009; and to provide for related matters.

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

- 3. Ráitis maidir le Buiséad 2012.**
Statements on Budget 2012.

- 4. An Bille um Bearta Airgeadais Éigeandála ar Mhaithe le Leas an Phobail (Leasú), 2011 [Dáil] — An Dara Céim.**
Financial Emergency Measures in the Public Interest (Amendment) Bill 2011 [Dáil] — Second Stage.

- 5. An Bille Árachais Sláinte (Forálacha Ilghnéisitheacha), 2011 [Dáil] — An Dara Céim.**
Health Insurance (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2011 [Dáil] — Second Stage.

- 6. 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.

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7. “Go ndéanann Seanad Éireann, ag tabhairt dá haire go ndearna an Rialtas, an 1 Nollaig, 2011, an tUas. Simon O’Brien, an tUas. Kieran Fitzgerald agus Carmel Foley, Uas. a ainmniú lena gceapadh ag an Uachtaráin le bheith ina gcomhaltaí de Choimisiún Ombudsman an Gharda Síochána agus an tUas. Simon O’Brien le bheith ina chathaoirleach air, a mholadh, de bhun alt 65(1)(b) d’Acht an Gharda Síochána, 2005, go ndéanfaidh an tUachtaráin an tUas. Simon O’Brien agus an tUas. Kieran Fitzgerald a cheapadh agus Carmel Foley, Uas., a athcheapadh le bheith ina gcomhaltaí den Choimisiún, agus an tUas. Simon O’Brien a cheapadh le bheith ina Chathaoirleach air.

That Seanad Éireann, noting that the Government on 1st December, 2011 nominated Mr. Simon O’Brien, Mr. Kieran Fitzgerald and Ms. Carmel Foley for appointment by the President to be members of the Garda Síochána Ombudsman Commission and Mr. Simon O’Brien to be its chairperson, recommends, pursuant to section 65(1)(b) of the Garda Síochána Act 2005, that Mr. Simon O’Brien and Mr. Kieran Fitzgerald be appointed and that Ms. Carmel Foley be re-appointed by the President to be members, and Mr. Simon O’Brien to be chairperson, of the Commission.”

—Senator Maurice Cummins.

Tíolactha:
Presented:

- 8. An Bille um Dhlinse 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 thráchtala 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 Acharta um Dhlínse Cúrtéanna agus Forghníomhú Breithiúnas, 1998 agus an Acharta 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 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):

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

—Senator Terry Leyden.

- 11. 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:

- 12. 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.

- 13. 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

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

faoi deara é a chur ar fáil don phobal le such released to the public for genealogical, haghaidh taighde ginealais, staire agus historical and other research. taighde eile.

—Senator Labhrás Ó Murchú.

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

- 15.** An Bille Cróinéirí, 2007 — An Coiste.
Coroners Bill 2007 — Committee.

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

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

—Senator Ivana Bacik.

**18. Tairiscintí nach ón Ríaltas:
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 calls on the European Commission to clear the application by the Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources for on shore wind REFIT 2 with immediate effect.”.
—Senators *Michael D’Arcy, Maurice Cummins, Ivana Bacik, Jillian van Turnhout, Darragh O’Brien, Rónán Mullen, David Cullinane.*

[6 December, 2011]

- 19.** An Seanad a chur ar athló.
Adjournment of the Seanad.

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

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 Sheirbhísí Uisce (Leasú), 2011.
Water Services (Amendment) Bill 2011.

MEMORANDA

*Dé Máirt, 6 Nollaig 2011.
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Cruinníú 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.

*Dé Céadaoin, 7 Nollaig, 2011.
Wednesday, 7th December, 2011.*

Cruinníú 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.

Cruinníú dChomhchoiste um Chumarsáid, Acmhainní Nádúrtha agus Talmhaíocht i Seomra Coiste 1, TH2000, ar 11.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Communications, Natural Resources and Agriculture in Committee Room 1, LH 2000, at 11.30 a.m.

Cruinníú den An Chomhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 2.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 2.30 p.m.

*Déardaoin, 8 Nollaig, 2011.
Thursday, 8 December, 2011.*

Cruinníú den An Comhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL 2000, ar 10.00 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH 2000, at 10.00 a.m.

Cruinníú den Chomhchoiste um Chomhshaol, Iompar, Cultúr agus Gaeltacht i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000 ar 10 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on Environment, Transport, Culture and the Gaeltacht in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 10 a.m.

Cruinníú den Chomhchoiste um Fhorfheidhmiú Chomhaontú Aoine an Chéasta i Seomra Coiste 4, TL 2000, ar 12 meán lae.

Meeting of the Joint Committee on the Implementation of the Good Friday Agreement in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 12 noon.

Cruinníú den Fhochoiste um Ghnóthaí Eorpacha maidir le hAirgeadas, Caiteachas Poiblí agus Athchóiriú i Seomra Coiste 4, ag 2.00 p.m i TL2000
 Meeting of the Sub-Committee on European Affairs Relative to Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform in Committee Room 4, LH 2000, at 2.00 p.m

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

Reachtúil:

- 1) An Roinn Cumarsáide, Fuinnimh agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha agus an Coimisiún um Rialál Fuinnimh. Fógra maidir le modhnú ar na Ceadúnais um Sholáthar Leictreachais agus Gáis Nádúrtha.
- 2) An Chomhairle Náisiúnta Curaclaim agus Measúnachta. Ráitis Airgeadais don bhliain dar chríoch an 31 Nollaig, 2010.
- 3) Rialacha Nós Imeachta (Óglaigh na hÉireann), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 581 de 2011).
- 4) Na Rialacháin Armchúirteanna (Cúnamh Dlíthiúil) (Leasú), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 579 de 2011).
- 5) Na Rialacháin Leasa Shóisiallaigh (Eilimh agus Íocaíochtaí Comhdhlúite agus Rialú) (Leasú) (Uimh. 7) (Aosach Cáilithe), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 616 de 2011).
- 6) An tSeirbhís Chúirteanna. Plean Straitéiseach, 2011-2014.
- 7) Meastacháin ar Fháltais agus Caiteachas don bhliain dar críoch 31 Nollaig, 2012.
- 8) An Chuirt Oibreachais. Tuarascáil Bhliantúil, 2010.
- 9) Na Rialacháin um an Acht Uchtála, 2010 (Deimhniú Coimrithe), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 611 de 2011).
- 10) An Garda Síochána. Plean Póilínearcha, 2012.

Neamhreachtúil:

- 1) Rialacháin na gComphobal Eorpach (Cothabháil) (Leasú), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 612 de 2011).
- 2) Tithe an Oireachtas. An Conradh ar an Aontas Eorpach: Doiciméid a fuarthas de bhun an Phrótaile maidir le ról Parlaimintí Náisiúnta san Aontas Eorpach. 14 go 18 Samhain, 2011.

Statutory:

- 1) Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources and Commission for Energy Regulation. Notice of a modification to the Electricity and Natural Gas Supply Licences.
- 2) National Council for Curriculum and Assessment. Financial Statements for the year ending 31 December, 2010.
- 3) Rules of Procedure (Defence Forces) 2011 (S.I. No. 581 of 2011).
- 4) Courts-Martial (Legal Aid) (Amendment) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 579 of 2011).
- 5) Social Welfare (Consolidated Claims, Payments and Control) (Amendment) (No. 7) (Qualified Adult) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 616 of 2011).
- 6) Courts Service. Strategic Plan, 2011-2014.
- 7) Estimates of Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending 31 December, 2012.
- 8) Labour Court. Annual Report, 2010.
- 9) Adoption Act 2010 (Abridged Certificate) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 611 of 2011).
- 10) An Garda Siochana. Policing Plan, 2012.

Non-Statutory:

- 1) European Communities (Maintenance) (Amendment) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 612 of 2011).
- 2) Houses of the Oireachtas. Treaty on European Union: Documents received pursuant to Protocol on the role of National Parliaments in the European Union. 14 to 18 November, 2011.

- 3) Meastachán Forlíontach, don bhliain dar críoch 31 Nollaig 2011: — Vóta 19. Dlí agus Ceart agus Comhionannas (€1,000).
- 4) Meastachán Forlíontach, don bhliain dar críoch 31 Nollaig 2011: — Vóta 20. An Garda Síochána (€27,400,000).
- 5) Meastachán Forlíontach, don bhliain dar críoch 31 Nollaig 2011: — Vóta 22. An tSeirbhís Chúirteanna (€2,800,000).
- 6) An tSeirbhís Chúirteanna. Plean Straitéiseach, 2011-2014.
- 7) An tOrdú um Chomhairleoir Speisialta (An tAire Airgeadais) a Cheapadh (Uimh. 2), 2011 (I.R. Uimh. 574 de 2011).
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- 3) Estimate. Supplementary, for the year ending 31 December 2011: — Vote 19. Justice and Equality (€1,000).
- 4) Estimate. Supplementary, for the year ending 31 December 2011: — Vote 20. Garda Síochána (€27,400,000).
- 5) Estimate. Supplementary, for the year ending 31 December 2011: — Vote 22. Courts Service (€2,800,000).
- 6) Court-Martial Rules 2011 (S.I. No. 580 of 2011).
- 7) Appointment of Special Adviser (Minister for Finance) (No. 2) Order 2011 (S.I. No. 574 of 2011).