



SEANAD ÉIREANN

Déardaoin, 18 Meitheamh, 2015

Thursday, 18th June, 2015

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ORDER PAPER**

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10:30 a.m.

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GNÓ POIBLÍ
Public Business

Tairiscint:

Motion:

1. “Go n-aontaíonn Seanad Éireann leis an moladh ón gCoiste um Nós Imeachta agus Pribhléidí go ndéanfar, de réir na bhforálacha a bhaineann le Daoine Oirirce d’aitheasc Sheanad Éireann, cuireadh a thabhairt don Uasal Pilib Ó hÓgáin, an Coimisinéir Eorpach do Thalmhaíocht agus Forbairt Tuaithe, Seanad Éireann a aitheasc agus go mbeidh feidhm ag na socruithe seo a leanas:

That Seanad Éireann agrees with the recommendation of the Committee on Procedure and Privileges that, in accordance with the provisions for the address to Seanad Éireann by Distinguished Persons, Mr. Phil Hogan, European Commissioner for Agriculture and Rural Development, be invited to address Seanad Éireann and the following arrangements shall apply:

- (i) go dtiocfaidh an Seanad le chéile ar 12.30 p.m. Dé Máirt, an 23 Meitheamh 2015;
- (ii) d’ainneoin aon ní sna Buan-Orduithe i dtaobh Gnó Poiblí go ndéanfar an tOrd Gnó a thairiscint ar 1:30 p.m.;
- (iii) ar an Ord Gnó a bheith críochnaithe, beidh an Seanad arna chur ar fionraí go dtí 3:30 p.m.;
- (iv) go dtosóidh na himeachtaí ag an aitheasc ar 3:30 p.m. agus gurb éard a bheidh iontu óráid ón gCathaoirleach ag fáiltiú roimh Choimisinéir Ó hÓgáin, aitheasc an Choimisinéara, agus ar an aitheasc a bheith críochnaithe go dtabharfaidh sé freagra ar cheisteanna ó threoraithe na nGrúpaí nach rachaidh aon duine acu thar cúig nóiméad, agus ó Sheanadóir amháin de chuid Shinn Féin,

- (i) the Seanad shall meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 23rd June, 2015;
- (ii) notwithstanding anything in the Standing Orders relative to Public Business, the Order of Business shall be proposed at 1:30 p.m.;
- (iii) on the conclusion of the Order of Business, the Seanad shall stand suspended until 3:30 p.m.;
- (iv) the proceedings at the address shall commence at 3:30 p.m. and shall consist of a speech by the Cathaoirleach welcoming Commissioner Hogan, the address by the Commissioner at the conclusion of which he will reply to questions from Group spokespersons, who shall not exceed five minutes each, and one Sinn Féin Senator, who shall not exceed two minutes, and a speech of

nach rachaidh thar dhá nóiméad, agus
óráid bhuíochais ón Leas-
Chathaoirleach ar son an aithisc;

thanks by the Leas-Chathaoirleach for
the address;

go dtiocfaidh deireadh leis na himeachtaí ar
uair nach déanaí ná 4:45 p.m. agus air sin go
mbeidh an Seanad arna chur ar fionraí go dtí 5
p.m. agus go leanfar de ghnáthchúrsa an ghnó
dá éis sin.

the proceedings shall conclude no later than
4:45 p.m. whereupon the Seanad shall stand
suspended until 5 p.m. and the ordinary
routine of business shall ensue thereafter.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*

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2. An Bille um Chosaint Tomhaltóirí (Gnólachtaí Seirbhísithe Creidmheasa a Rialáil), 2015
[*Dáil*] – An Dara Céim.
Consumer Protection (Regulation of Credit Servicing Firms) Bill 2015 [*Dáil*] – Second
Stage.

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3. An Bille um Thionóntachtaí Cónaithe (Leasú) (Uimh. 2), 2012 [*Dáil*] – An Coiste.
Residential Tenancies (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2012 [*Dáil*] – Committee.

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4. An Bille Cróinéirí, 2007 – An Coiste.
Coroners Bill 2007 – Committee.

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5. Bille na Lia-Chleachtóirí (Leasú), 2014 – An Coiste.
Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Committee.

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6. An Bille um Rialáil Seirbhísí Dlí, 2011 [*Dáil*] – An Coiste.
Legal Services Regulation Bill 2011 [*Dáil*] – Committee.

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7. An Bille um Athchóiriú an Dlí Reachtúil, 2015 [*Dáil*] – An Tuarascáil.
Statute Law Revision Bill 2015 [*Dáil*] – Report Stage.

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8. Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil ón nGasra Comhairleach um Cháin agus Leas Sóisialach
ar Thacaíocht Leanaí agus Ioncaim Teaghlaigh (*atógáil*).
Statements on the Advisory Group on Tax and Social Welfare Report on Child and Family
Income Support (*resumed*).

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9. Ráitis maidir leis an Tuarascáil Deiridh ón gCoiste Idir-Rannach a bunaíodh chun na fíorais
maidir leis an mbaint a bhí ag an Stát leis na Neachtlanna Maighdilíneacha a shuíomh
(*atógáil*).
Statements on the Final Report of the Inter-Departmental Committee set up to establish the
facts of State involvement with the Magdalene Laundries (*resumed*).
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*Tugadh Isteach:
Introduced:*

- 10. Bille Ghradam an Uachtaráin, 2014 – An Chéad Chéim.**
Gradam an Uachtaráin Bill 2014 – First Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht d'éascú don Stát onóir a bhronnadh ar a dtabharfar Gradam an Uachtaráin chun éachtaí eisceachtúla a shaoránach agus cion oibre suntasach daoine eile a aithint agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to facilitate the conferral by the state of an honour to be known as Gradam an Uachtaráin to recognise the exceptional achievements of its citizens and the outstanding contributions of others and to provide for related matters.

– *Senators Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett, Mary Ann O'Brien.*

*Tugadh Isteach:
Introduced:*

- 11. An Bille Oideachais (Leas) (Leasú), 2015 – An Chéad Chéim.**
Education (Welfare) (Amendment) Bill 2015 – First Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do mhéadú na haoise fágála scoile go 17 agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to increase the school leaving age to 17 and to provide for related matters.

– *Senators Mary Moran, Aideen Hayden, Susan O'Keeffe.*

*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.*

*Tíolactha:
Presented:*

- 13. An Bille um Chlárú Sibhialta (Comhionannas Pósta), 2013 – Ordú don Dara Céim.**
Civil Registration (Marriage Equality) Bill 2013 – Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do chur deireadh leis an toirmeasc ar phósadh idir daoine ar den ghnéas céanna iad.

Bill entitled an Act to remove the prohibition on marriage between persons who are of the same sex.

– *Senators Ivana Bacik, John Gilroy, Jimmy Harte, Aideen Hayden, Lorraine Higgins, John Kelly, Denis Landy, Marie Moloney, Mary Moran, Susan O'Keeffe, John Whelan.*

14. An Bille um Dhúnorgain Chorporáideach, 2011 – An Dara Céim.
Corporate Manslaughter Bill 2011 – Second Stage.
– Senator Mark Daly.
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15. An Bille um Dhúnorgain Chorporáideach, 2013 – An Dara Céim.
Corporate Manslaughter Bill 2013 – Second Stage.
– Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.
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16. An Bille um Inscne a Aithint le Dlí, 2013 – An Dara Céim.
Legal Recognition of Gender Bill 2013 – Second Stage.
– Senators Katherine Zappone, Jillian van Turnhout, Fiach Mac Conghail.
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17. Bille na Lia-Chleachtóirí (Leasú), 2013 – An Dara Céim.
Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Bill 2013 – Second Stage.
– Senators David Norris, Seán D. Barrett, Rónán Mullen.
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18. Bille Toghcháin an tSeanaid (Comhaltaí Ollscoile) (Leasú), 2013 – An Dara Céim.
Seanad Electoral (University Members) (Amendment) Bill 2013 – Second Stage.
– Senators Terry Leyden, Thomas Byrne, Marc Mac Sharry, Mary White.
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19. An Bille um Thrédhearcacht GNBS agus Chorporáid na hÉireann um Réiteach Bainc, 2013 –
An Dara Céim.
NAMA and Irish Bank Resolution Corporation Transparency Bill 2013 – Second Stage.
– Senators Mark Daly, Darragh O'Brien, Thomas Byrne.
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20. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Bonneagar Straitéiseach) (Leasú), 2014 – An Dara Céim.
Planning and Development (Strategic Infrastructure) (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.
– Senators Rónán Mullen, Mary Ann O'Brien, Feargal Quinn.
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21. An Bille um Ghrinnscrúdú Parlaiminteach ar Cheapacháin (An Coimisiún Eorpach), 2014 –
An Dara Céim.
Parliamentary Scrutiny of Appointments (European Commission) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.
– Senators Paul Bradford, Sean D. Barrett, James Heffernan.
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22. An Bille Airí agus Rúnaithe (Leasú), 2014 – An Dara Céim.
Ministers and Secretaries (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.
– Senators Fidelma Healy Eames, Sean D. Barrett, Feargal Quinn.
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23. An Bille Deochanna Meisciúla (Leasú), 2014 – An Dara Céim.
Intoxicating Liquor (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.
– Senators Imelda Henry, Maurice Cummins, Colm Burke.
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24. An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Daoine Scothaosta a Chosaint) (Pianbhreith a Ghearradh) (Leasú), 2014 – An Dara Céim.
Criminal Law (Protection of Older People) (Sentencing) (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Rónán Mullen, Fidelma Healy Eames, Feargal Quinn, Seán D. Barrett.*

25. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Moratóir Sealadach), 2014 – An Dara Céim.
Planning and Development (Temporary Moratorium) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Diarmuid Wilson.*

26. An Bille um Athchóiriú Inimirce do Shaoránaigh de chuid S.A.M. a Chónaíonn in Éirinn, 2014 – An Dara Céim.

Immigration Reform for U.S. Citizens Living in Ireland Bill 2014 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Mark Daly, Darragh O'Brien, Denis O'Donovan.*

27. An Bille Sláinte (Cúram Baile Gairmiúil), 2014 – An Dara Céim.

Health (Professional Home Care) Bill 2014 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Colm Burke, Hildegard Naughton, Imelda Henry.*

28. An Bille Sláinte Poiblí (Toitíní Leictreonacha a Rialáil agus Leanaí a Chosaint), 2015 – An Dara Céim.

Public Health (Regulation of Electronic Cigarettes and Protection of Children) Bill 2015 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Averil Power, John Crown, Mark Daly.*

29. An Bille um Chumarsáid Leictreonach atá Dochrach agus Mailíseach, 2015 – An Dara Céim.
Harmful and Malicious Electronic Communications Bill 2015 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Lorraine Higgins, Ivana Bacik, John Whelan.*

30. Bille an Bhainc Ceannais (Cumhachtaí Práinne) (Rátaí Úis Athraitheacha), 2015 – An Dara Céim.

Central Bank (Emergency Powers) (Variable Interest Rates) Bill 2015 – Second Stage.

– *Senators Feargal Quinn, Gerard P. Craughwell, Rónán Mullen.*

Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

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

– *Senator Terry Leyden.*

Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

32. An Bille um Fhreagracht Fhioscach (Ráiteas), 2011 — An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Fiscal Responsibility (Statement) Bill 2011 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senator Sean D. Barrett.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

33. An Bille um Príobháideacht, 2012 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Privacy Bill 2012 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senators David Norris, Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

34. An Bille Creidmheasa Morgáiste (Iasachtaí agus Bannaí), 2012 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Mortgage Credit (Loans and Bonds) Bill 2012 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senator Sean D. Barrett.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

35. An Bille um Chomhionannas Fostaíochta (Leasú) (Uimh. 2), 2012 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Employment Equality (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2012 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senator Mary White.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

36. An Bille um Chobhsaíocht agus Athchóiriú Airgeadais, 2013 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Financial Stability and Reform Bill 2013 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senators Sean D. Barrett, John Crown, David Norris, Feargal Quinn.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

37. An Bille um Ghrinnschrúdú AE agus um Thrédhearcacht sa Rialtas, 2013 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
EU Scrutiny and Transparency in Government Bill 2013 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– Senators Mark Daly, Marc MacSharry, Diarmuid Wilson.
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Bille (atógáil) (0.02 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.02 m. remaining):

- 38.** An Bille um Fhóntais Ríthábhachtacha (Soláthar a Áirithiú), 2013 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Critical Utilities (Security of Supply) Bill 2013 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– *Senators Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett, David Norris.*
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

- 39.** Bille Toghcháin an tSeanaid (Rolla-Chomhaltaí) (Leasú), 2014 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Seanad Electoral (Panel Members) (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– *Senators Sean D. Barrett, John Crown, Feargal Quinn.*
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

- 40.** An Bille Árachais Sláinte (Athchóiriú), 2014 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Health Insurance (Reform) Bill 2014 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– *Senators Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett, Rónán Mullen.*
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

- 41.** Bille na nOllscoileanna (Forbairt agus Nuálaíocht) (Leasú), 2015 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Universities (Development and Innovation) (Amendment) Bill 2015 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– *Senators Sean D. Barrett, Feargal Quinn, David Norris.*
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Bille (atógáil) (0.01 n. fágtha):

Bill (resumed) (0.01 m. remaining):

- 42.** An Bille Comharbais (Leasú), 2015 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).
Succession (Amendment) Bill 2015 – Second Stage (*resumed*).
– *Senators Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett, Rónán Mullen.*
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- 43.** An Bille um an Dlí Sibhialta (Daoine atá ar Iarraidh), 2013 – Ordú don Choiste.
Civil Law (Missing Persons) Bill 2013 – Order for Committee.

– *Senators Colm Burke, Paul Bradford, Maurice Cummins.*

- 44.** (l)An Bille um an Seanad, 2013 – An Coiste (*alt 2, atógáil*).

(a)Seanad Bill 2013 – Committee (*section 2, resumed*).

– *Senators Katherine Zappone, Feargal Quinn, Mary Ann O'Brien.*

45. (l) An Bille um Chomhionannas Fostaíochta (Leasú) (Uimh. 2), 2013 – An Coiste (*leasú 4, atógáil*).
(a) Employment Equality (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2013 – Committee (*amendment 4, resumed*).
– Senator Ivana Bacik.
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46. An Bille um Thuirbíní Gaoithe, 2012 – An Coiste.
Wind Turbines Bill 2012 – Committee.
– Senator John Kelly.
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47. Bille na Lia-Chleachtóirí (Leasú), 2012 – An Coiste.
Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Bill 2012 – Committee.
– Senators Colm Burke, Jim D’Arcy, Maurice Cummins.
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48. An Bille um Athchóiriú Thoghcháin an tSeanaid, 2013 – An Coiste.
Seanad Electoral Reform Bill 2013 – Committee.
– Senator John Crown.
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49. An Bille Sláinte Poiblí (Infhaighteacht Dífhibrileoirí), 2013 – An Coiste.
Public Health (Availability of Defibrillators) Bill 2013 – Committee.
– Senators Feargal Quinn, Sean D. Barrett, John Crown, Rónán Mullen, David Norris.
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50. An Bille Luachála (Leasú), 2013 – An Coiste.
Valuation (Amendment) Bill 2013 – Committee.
– Senators Paul Coghlan, Maurice Cummins, Michael Mullins.
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51. An Bille Ardoideachais agus Taighde (Comhdhlúthú agus Feabhsú), 2014 – An Coiste.
Higher Education and Research (Consolidation and Improvement) Bill 2014 – Committee.
– Senators Sean D. Barrett, John Crown, David Norris.
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52. An Bille um an Dlí Coiriúil (Cionta Gnéasacha) (Leasú), 2014 – An Coiste.
Criminal Law (Sexual Offences) (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Committee.
– Senator Katherine Zappone.
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53. An Bille um Chlúmhilleadh (Leasú), 2014 – An Coiste.
Defamation (Amendment) Bill 2014 – Committee.
– Senators John Crown, Sean D. Barrett, Mark Daly.
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54. An Bille um Sheirbhísí Poiblí agus um Fháil Phoiblí (Luach Sóisialta), 2015 – An Coiste.
Public Services and Procurement (Social Value) Bill 2015 – Committee.
– Senators Darragh O’Brien, Thomas Byrne, Marc MacSharry, Diarmuid Wilson.
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55. An Bille um Shaoire do Thuismitheoirí, 2013 – An Tuarascáil.

Parental Leave Bill 2013 – Report Stage.

– *Senators Mary M. White, Diarmuid Wilson, Darragh O'Brien.**Tairiscintí:**Motions:*

56. “Go gceadaíonn Seanad Éireann an tOrdú seo a leanas ina dhréacht:

That Seanad Éireann approves the following Order in draft:

An tOrdú um an bhForas Taighde ar Oideachas (Bunú), 2015,

Educational Research Centre (Establishment) Order 2015,

ar leagadh cóipeanna de ina dhréacht faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 11 Meitheamh 2015.

copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 11th June, 2015.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[15th June, 2015]

57. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas, dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir leis an Athbhreithniú ar Acht an Gharda Síochána, 2005’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 3 Deireadh Fómhair, 2014.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality, entitled ‘Report on the Review of An Garda Síochána Act 2005’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 3rd October, 2014.”– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[28th April, 2015]

58. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas, dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir le héisteachtaí i ndáil le Foréigean Baile agus Foréigean Gnéasach’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 16 Deireadh Fómhair, 2014.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality, entitled ‘Report on hearings in relation to Domestic and Sexual Violence’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 16th October, 2014.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[28th April, 2015]

59. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas, dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil ar Éisteachtaí agus aighneachtaí maidir leis an Athbhreithniú ar Reachtaíocht i ndáil le Striapachas’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 27 Meitheamh, 2013.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality, entitled ‘Report on Hearings and submissions on the Review of Legislation on Prostitution’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 27th June, 2013.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[28th April, 2015]

60. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart, Cosaint agus Comhionannas, dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir le hAthchóiriú ar an gCóras Pionós’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 27 Márta, 2013.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice, Defence and Equality, entitled ‘Report on Penal Reform’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 27th March, 2013.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[28th April, 2015]

61. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht, Bia agus Muir dár teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir le hÚsáid Talún: uasmhéadú ar a poitéinseal’ a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 20 Samhain, 2014.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Food and the Marine entitled ‘Report on Land Use: maximising its potential’ which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 20th November, 2014.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[21st April, 2015]

62. “Go mbreithneoidh Seanad Éireann an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh dar teideal ‘Cearta Vótála Saoránach Éireannach ar an gCoigríoch’, ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 12 Samhain, 2014.

That Seanad Éireann shall consider the Report of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs entitled ‘Voting Rights of Irish Citizens Abroad’, copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 12th November, 2014.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[21st April, 2015]

63. “Go mbreithneoidh Seanad Éireann an Tuarascáil ón gComhfhochoiste um Iascach dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir le Pobail Tuaithe Inmharthana ar an gCósta agus ar na hOileáin a Chur chun Cinn’ ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 14 Eanáir 2014.

That Seanad Éireann shall consider the Report of the Joint sub-Committee on Fisheries entitled ‘Report on Promoting Sustainable Rural Coastal and Island Communities’ copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 14th January, 2014.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[10th June, 2015]

64. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Airgeadas, Caiteachas Poiblí agus Athchóiriú dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil maidir le héisteachtaí i ndáil le

That Seanad Éireann notes the report of the Joint Committee on Finance, Public Expenditure and Reform entitled ‘Report on hearings in regard to the European

Páipéar Uaine an Choimisiúin Eorpaigh ar Aontas Margaí Caipitil a Thógáil’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 13 Bealtaine, 2015.

Commission’s Green Paper on building a Capital Markets Union’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 13th May, 2015.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[19th May, 2015]

65. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Fhormhaoirsiú ar an tSeirbhís Phoiblí agus Achainíocha dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil ar chúram an Ombudsman a leathnú chun gach gné agus comhlacht atá gaolmhar le Córas an tSoláthair Dhíriú a chumhdach agus raon na Saorála Faisnéise a leathnú chun gach gné agus comhlacht atá gaolmhar le Córas an tSoláthair Dhíriú, lena n-áirítear na soláthraithe earraí agus seirbhísí go léir, cibé acu ón Earnáil Phríobháideach nó ón Earnáil Phoiblí iad, a chumhdach’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 7 Bealtaine 2015.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Public Service Oversight and Petitions entitled ‘Report on the extension of the remit of the Ombudsman to cover all aspects and bodies associated with the Direct Provision System (DPS) and the extension of the remit of Freedom of Information to cover all aspects and bodies associated with the DPS including all the suppliers of goods and services, whether from the Private or Public Sectors’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 7th May, 2015.”

– *Senator Maurice Cummins.*
[25th May, 2015]

66. “Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ó Choiste Comhairliúcháin Poiblí an tSeanaid dar teideal ‘Tuarascáil ar Shábháilteacht Feirme’, a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 26 Bealtaine 2015.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Seanad Public Consultation Committee entitled ‘Report on Farm Safety’, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 26th May, 2015.”

– *Senator Denis O’Donovan,*
Chairman of the Seanad Public Consultation Committee.
[27th May, 2015]

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

1. “That Seanad Éireann:

- notes the confused position of the Government in its renewable energy policy;
- recalls that the Minister for Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, announced with regret on 13th April, 2014 that an intergovernmental agreement with the United Kingdom could not be concluded;
- recalls that the Minister stated that the Midlands Wind Energy Project was not a realistic proposition;
- notes that the review of the Wind Energy Development Guidelines has not been concluded;

- notes, however, that An Bord Pleanála has in recent weeks granted planning permission for a major wind energy facility in County Laois;
- notes however that pre-planning consultation has commenced with An Bord Pleanála in respect of a major wind energy project in County Meath;
- notes also the Government's mixed messages in relation to the undergrounding of pylons;
- notes in relation to pylons that some communities such as the North-East are not receiving equal treatment from the Government or Eirgrid;
- calls on the Government to remove the confusion in its renewable energy policy;
- calls on the Government to ensure a moratorium on all wind energy projects until such time as planning and development guidelines have been fully reviewed with sensible and appropriate guidelines; and
- calls on the Government to put communities first in its renewable energy policy.”
 – *Senators Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Denis O'Donovan, Darragh O'Brien, Marc MacSharry, Terry Leyden, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White, Diarmuid Wilson.*

[1st July, 2014]

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2. “That Seanad Éireann resolves that Statutory Instrument No. 226 of 2014, Local Government (Financial and Audit Procedures) Regulations 2014, be annulled.”.

– *Senators Terry Leyden, Mark Daly.*

[15th July, 2014]

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3. “That Seanad Éireann:

noting the Programme for Government announced in 2011 which promised:

- to ensure that the quality of life of people with disabilities is enhanced and that resources allocated reach the people who need them; and
- to examine different mechanisms to promote the recognition of Irish Sign Language;

and acknowledging that:

- deaf people are four times more likely to be unemployed, and of those employed most do low skilled work, earning less than €24,000 each year;
- research highlights the need for information and training in the Deaf Community, with the goal of empowerment, encouragement and awareness;
- the Deaf Community needs information and training to create awareness of their rights to access health, education and employment services;
- the Deaf Community is restricted from information given by radio, television (limited

to subtitles) and even newspapers (literacy problems); and

- the Deaf Community is vulnerable to risks of isolation, discrimination and exclusion;

and calls for:

- the Government to reinstate the funds to the National Deaf Advocacy Service of the Irish Deaf Society.”
 – *Senators Mark Daly, Darragh O'Brien, Thomas Byrne, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Denis O'Donovan, Ned O'Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White, Diarmuid Wilson.*

[15th July, 2014]

4. “That Seanad Éireann believes that the Government should recognise the State of Palestine alongside the State of Israel.”

– *Senators Fiach Mac Conghail, Jillian Van Turnhout, Marie-Louise O'Donnell, Katherine Zappone.*

[17th October, 2014]

5. “That Seanad Éireann, noting with concern:

- the view of the Mental Health Commission that the progress made over recent years in improving mental health services in Ireland is in danger of coming to a standstill;
- that *A Vision for Change* is being implemented unevenly and inconsistently across the country;
- the failure to honour the Programme for Government commitment to ring-fence €35 million annually from within the health budget to develop community mental health teams; and

calls on the Government to;

- ensure that *A Vision for Change* is implemented in a consistent manner nationwide; and
- honour the commitment to provide €35 million annually to develop community mental health teams.”
 – *Senators Darragh O'Brien, Averil Power, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Jim Walsh, Mary White, Diarmuid Wilson.*

[10th November, 2014]

6. “That Seanad Éireann requests the Government, as a matter of urgency, to initiate legislation to provide for a constitutional referendum to reduce the voting age to 16 for all elections, in accordance with the recommendation of the Constitutional Convention.”

– *Senators Kathryn Reilly, David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh.*

[12th November, 2014]

7. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Minister of State with responsibility for the Diaspora Affairs to exert all diplomatic and political efforts on the President of the United States of America in the formulation of the impending Executive Order on Immigration due to be published in the coming weeks, to ensure the provision for a 'humanitarian visa' that would allow the estimated 50,000 undocumented Irish, as well as the estimated 12 million undocumented other people, living in the United States to leave and return to the U.S.A. if they need to travel to their home countries to be with family members in times of distress, illness or bereavement.”

– *Senators Mark Daly, Diarmuid Wilson, Thomas Byrne, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Darragh O'Brien, Brian O'Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White, David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly, Gerard Craughwell, Fidelma Healy Eames, Katherine Zappone.*

[20th November, 2014]

8. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Government to ensure RTÉ reverse its decision in respect to the cutting of the long wave 252 service, which is an invaluable asset for our Irish overseas and Diaspora.”

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

[27th November, 2014]

9. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Government to provide funding to ensure the continuation of ISPCC Childline's night-time service.”

– *Senators Jillian van Turnhout, Ivana Bacik, Sean D. Barrett, Thomas Byrne, Gerard P. Craughwell, Cáit Keane, Mark Daly, Fiach MacConghail, John Gilroy, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Marie Moloney, Mary Moran, David Norris, Mary Ann O'Brien, Darragh O'Brien, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Marie Louise O'Donnell, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Averil Power, Feargal Quinn, Jim Walsh, Mary White, Diarmuid Wilson, Katherine Zappone.*

[12th December, 2014]

10. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Government to reject the IAG/British Airways bid to purchase Aer Lingus and believes that the Government should retain its 25.1% stake in the company so as to protect Ireland's strategic interests and to support job retention in Aer Lingus.”

– *Senators Darragh O'Brien, Diarmuid Wilson, Thomas Byrne, Gerard P. Craughwell, Mark Daly, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Ned O'Sullivan, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Denis O'Donovan, Averil Power, Jim Walsh, Mary White.*

[27th January, 2015]

11. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government and the Commission for Energy Regulation to establish the Public Water

Forum, pursuant to section 7 of the Water Services Act 2014, before any metered or unmetered water services charges are issued in April 2015.”

– *Senators Marie-Louise O'Donnell, Fiach Mac Conghail, Jillian Van Turnhout.*
[4th February, 2015]

12. “That Seanad Éireann resolves that Statutory Instrument No. 47 of 2015 – Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (Section 48) (Housing Loan Requirements) Regulations 2015 be annulled.”

– *Senators Averil Power, Mark Daly.*
[17th February, 2015]

13. “That Seanad Éireann supports a one year bankruptcy term and an end to the bank veto in the Personal Insolvency Process.”

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

[25th March, 2015]

14. “That Seanad Éireann calls on the Government to reject the offer from IAG to purchase the 25.1% stake in Aer Lingus, thereby protecting Ireland's strategic interest into the future.”

– *Senators Darragh O'Brien, Diarmuid Wilson, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Mary White, Gerard P. Craughwell.*

[28th May, 2015]

15. “That Seanad Éireann recommends that, should the Government proceed with the sale of the 25.1% stake in Aer Lingus, the monies received be used to reduce the savage cuts imposed on Aer Lingus Pension Scheme members.”

– *Senators Darragh O'Brien, Diarmuid Wilson, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Mary White, Gerard P. Craughwell.*

[28th May, 2015]

16. “That Seanad Éireann:

- recognises the vital role played by the 949 members of Ireland's city and county councils across 31 local authorities;
- believes that locally-elected councillors have fully embraced the ‘Vision for Local Government’ as the main vehicle of governance and public service delivery at a local level by leading economic, social and community development, delivering efficient and good value services and representing citizens and local communities effectively and accountably;
- welcomes the current review of ‘Putting People First’, initiated by the Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government;

- is disappointed that this review will not address the personal circumstances of councillors;
- calls on the Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government immediately to carry out a review to:
 - establish the number of full-time councillors whose sole occupation is serving on city and county councils;
 - survey the workload of councillors following the changes to constituencies with a view to revaluing the allowances payable to councillors; and
 - examine the living standards of councillors, given the treatment of their representational payment as a salary;
 - examine the pension entitlements of those councillors not covered by contributory Department of Social Protection pensions with a view to ensuring that no councillor should ever finish a term of office without making contributions to a fully paid-up contributory old-age pension; and
 - review the current situation in which councillors are the only citizens over the age of 66 who continue to pay PRSI;
- and requests the Minister for Public Expenditure and Reform to immediately review the representational payment made to councillors with a view to bringing them fully into line with other workers and restoring the pay of the low paid in our society.”
 - *Senators Gerard P. Craughwell, Diarmuid Wilson, Thomas Byrne, Mark Daly, Terry Leyden, Marc MacSharry, Paschal Mooney, Darragh O'Brien, Brian Ó Domhnaill, Denis O'Donovan, Labhrás Ó Murchú, Ned O'Sullivan, Mary White.*

[17th June, 2015]

68. 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, 23 Meitheamh, 2015
Tuesday, 23rd June, 2015

Bille an Gharda Síochána (An tÚdarás Póilíneachta agus Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha), 2015 – An Tuarascáil.
Garda Síochána (Policing Authority and Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2015 – Report Stage.

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

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 (Ciontuithe Spíonta), 2012.
Criminal Justice (Spent Convictions) Bill 2012.

An Bille um Méaduithe Amháin ar Chíos (Clásail agus Athbhreithnithe), 2013.
Upward Only Rent (Clauses and Reviews) Bill 2013.

An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Cúnamh Frithpháirteach) (Leasú), 2014.
Criminal Justice (Mutual Assistance) (Amendment) Bill 2014.

An Bille um Inscne a Aithint, 2014.
Gender Recognition Bill 2014.

An Bille Uchtála (Féiniúlacht agus Faisnéis), 2014.
Adoption (Identity and Information) Bill 2014.

Bille na Leanaí (Leasú), 2015.
Children (Amendment) Bill 2015.

An Bille um Pá Íosta Náisiúnta (An Coimisiún um Pá Íseal), 2015.
National Minimum Wage (Low Pay Commission) Bill 2015.

MEMORANDA

Déardaoín, 18 Meitheamh, 2015
Thursday, 18th June, 2015

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste Fiosrúcháin i dtaobh na Géarchéime Baincéireachta i Seomra Coiste 1, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.

Meeting of the Joint Committee of Inquiry into the Banking Crisis in Committee Room 1, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Shláinte agus Leanaí i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 9.30 a.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on Health and Children in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 9.30 a.m.

Cruinniú den Chomhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh i Seomra Coiste 2, TL2000, ar 1.30 p.m.
Meeting of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs in Committee Room 2, LH2000, at 1.30 p.m.

SCRÍBHINNÍ A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID NA dTITHE DOCUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE HOUSES¹

Reachtúil:	Statutory:
Tairiscint Ceadaithe ag Teastáil	Requiring Motion of Approval
Níl aon scríbhinn á leagan faoin gCatagóir seo	None
In-neamhnithe le Tairiscint	Open to motion to annul
Na Rialacháin um Chlárú Comhpháirtíochtaí Feirme, 2015 (I.R. Uimh. 247 de 2015).	Registration of Farm Partnerships Regulations 2015 (S.I. No. 247 of 2015).

¹ I gcás nach leagtar scríbhinn ach faoi bhráid aon Teach amháin, cuirfear (D) – Dáil nó (S) – Seanad ina diaidh dá réir sin.
Where a document is laid before one House only it will be appended with (D) – Dáil or (S) – Seanad accordingly.