SEANAD ÉIREANN

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2.30 p.m.

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GNÓ POIBLÍ
Public Business

Tairiscint:
Motion:

1. "Go ndéanann Seanad Éireann:

(1) an Tuarascáil chomhaontaithe ón gComhchoiste um Chomhshaol agus Gníomhú ar son na hAeráide faoi Bhuan-Ordú 116 de chuid an tSeanaid maidir le COM(2021) 551, 554, 555, 557, 558 agus 568 a thabhairt dá aire– Tograí reachtaíochta phacáiste 'Oiriúnach do 55' AE a leagadh faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 28 Meán Fómhair 2021 de réir Bhuan-Ordú 116(3)(*b*);

(2) ag féachaint don Tuarascáil réamhráite, agus le linn a fheidhmeanna faoi alt 7(3) d'Acht an Aontais Eorpaigh, 2009 a fheidhmiú, an tuairim a shealbhú nach ndéanann na tograí COM(2021) 551, 554, 555, 557, 558 agus 568 prionsabal na coimhdeachta a chomhlíonadh ar na cúiseanna atá leagtha amach i mír 3 den Tuarascáil; agus

(3) a thabhairt dá aire, de bhun Bhuan-Ordú 116(4), go gcuirfear cóip den Rún seo mar aon leis an tuairim réasúnaithe agus an Tuarascáil réamhráite chuig Uachtarán Pharlaimint na hEorpa, Uachtarán

That Seanad Éireann:

(1) notes the agreed Report of the Joint Committee on Environment and Climate Action under Seanad Standing Order 116 on COM(2021) 551, 554, 555, 557, 558 and 568 – Legislative proposals of the EU 'Fit for 55' package, which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 28th September, 2021, in accordance with Standing Order 116(3)(*b*);

(2) having regard to the aforementioned Report, and in exercise of its functions under section 7(3) of the European Union Act 2009, is of the opinion that the proposals COM(2021) 551, 554, 555, 557, 558 and 568 do not comply with the principle of subsidiarity for the reasons set out in paragraph 3 of the Report; and

(3) notes that, pursuant to Standing Order 116(4), a copy of this Resolution together with the reasoned opinion and the aforementioned Report shall be sent to the Presidents of the European

na Comhairle agus Uachtarán an Choimisiúin.

Parliament, the Council and the Commission."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[29th September, 2021]

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2. An Bille fán nGníomhaireacht um Leanaí agus an Teaghlach (Leasú), 2021 – An Coiste.
Child and Family Agency (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Committee.

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3. Ráitis maidir leis an mBealarúis.
Statements on Belarus.

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4. (*l*) An Bille Aerloingseoireachta agus Aeriompair, 2020 [*Dáil*] – An Coiste.
(*a*) Air Navigation and Transport Bill 2020 [*Dáil*] – Committee.

Tairiscint:
Motion:

5. "Go mbeartaíonn Seanad Éireann go leanfaidh Cuid 2 den Acht Sláinte (Leasú) (Uimh. 2), 2021 (Uimh. 24 de 2021) i ngníomh ar feadh na tréimhse dar tosach an 10ú lá de Dheireadh Fómhair 2021 agus dar críoch an 9ú lá d'Eanáir 2022.

That Seanad Éireann resolves that Part 2 of the Health (Amendment) (No. 2) Act 2021 (No. 24 of 2021) shall continue in operation for the period beginning on the 10th day of October, 2021, and ending on the 9th day of January, 2022."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[30th September, 2021]

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6. An Bille um Chlárú Uachtanna, 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Registration of Wills Bill 2021 – Second Stage.
– Senators Victor Boyhan, Michael McDowell, Sharon Keogan, Rónán Mullen, David Norris, Gerard P. Craughwell.

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7. Ráitis chun Seachtain Feasachta na Disléicse a chomóradh.
Statements to mark Dyslexia Awareness Week.

Tairiscint:
Motion:

8. "D'ainneoin aon ní sna Buan-Orduithe i dtaobh Gnó Phoiblí, go rachaidh an Seanad, ar éirí dó Deardaoin, an 7 Deireadh Fómhair 2021, ar athló go dtí 12 meán lae Dé Máirt, an 12 Deireadh Fómhair 2021, agus go mbeidh feidhm ag na socruithe seo a leanas:

That, notwithstanding anything in the Standing Orders relative to Public Business, the Seanad on its rising on Thursday, 7th October, 2021, shall adjourn until 12 noon on Tuesday, 12th October, 2021, and the following arrangements shall apply:

(*a*) Is ar 12 meán lae a thógfar Nithe i dTosach Suí;

(*b*) Beidh Buan-Ordú 30 arna chur ar fionraí;

(*c*) Is ar 3.30 p.m. a dhéanfar an tOrd Gnó a thairiscint.

(*a*) Commencement matters shall be taken at 12 noon;

(*b*) Standing Order 30 shall stand suspended;

(*c*) The Order of Business shall be proposed at 3.30 p.m."

– Senator Regina Doherty.

[30th September, 2021]

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9. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Smuigleáil ar Dhaoine), 2021 – An Coiste.
Criminal Justice (Smuggling of Persons) Bill 2021 – Committee.

Tíolactha:
Presented:

10. Bille an Gharda Síochána (Cúiteamh), 2021 – Ordú don Dara Céim.
Garda Síochána (Compensation) Bill 2021 – Order for Second Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do bhunú córas a bheidh le cur in ionad an chórais dá bhforáiltear faoi Achtanna an Gharda Síochána (Cúiteamh), 1941 go 2003 d'fhonn socrú a dhéanamh chun cúiteamh a dheonú as airgead poiblí i leith díobhálacha pearsanta (lena n-áirítear díobhálacha is cúis le bás) a rinneadh do chomhalta reatha nó d'iarchomhalta den Gharda Síochána mar thoradh ar theagmhas mailíseach; chun na críche sin agus chun críoch gaolmhar, do dhéanamh an tAcht um Bord Measúnaithe Díobhálacha Pearsanta, 2003 a chur chun feidhme, fara modhnuithe, agus a leasú, agus do leasú achtacháin eile; d'aisghairm an Achta Gárda Síochána (Cúiteamh), 1941 agus an Achta Gárda Síochána (Cúiteamh) (Leasú), 1945; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to establish a system to replace the system provided for under the Garda Síochána (Compensation) Acts 1941 to 2003 in order to provide for the granting out of public moneys of compensation for personal injuries (including injuries causing death) that were inflicted on a current or former member of the Garda Síochána as a result of a malicious incident; for that and related purposes to apply with modifications and to amend the Personal Injuries Assessment Board Act 2003, and to amend other enactments; to repeal the Garda Síochána (Compensation) Act 1941 and the Garda Síochána (Compensation) (Amendment) Act 1945; and to provide for related matters.

– Senator Regina Doherty.

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11. An Bille Cosanta (Leasú), 2020 [*Dáil*] – An Coiste.
Defence (Amendment) Bill 2020 [*Dáil*] – Committee.

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12. Ráitis maidir le coinneáil an Uas. Richard O'Halloran sa tSín.
Statements on the detention of Mr. Richard O'Halloran in China.

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13. Ráitis maidir le Cúrsaí Cosanta.
Statements on Defence Matters.

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14. Ráitis maidir le freagairt na Roinne Coimirce Sóisialaí do Covid-19 (*atógáil*).
Statements on the Department of Social Protection's response to Covid-19 (*resumed*).

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15. Ráitis maidir le Ag Climatise - An Plean Oibre Náisiúnta Aeir agus Aeráide don Earnáil Talmhaíochta (*atógáil*).
Statements on Ag Climatise - The National Climate and Air Roadmap for the Agriculture Sector (*resumed*).

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16. Ráitis maidir le Gnó agus Covid-19 (*atógáil*).
Statements on Business and Covid-19 (*resumed*).

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17. Ráitis maidir le Deimhniú Glas Digiteach na hEorpa (*atógáil*).
Statements on the European Digital Green Certificate (*resumed*).

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18. Ráitis maidir le Tithíocht do Chách – Plean Tithíochta Nua d'Éirinn (*atógáil*).
Statements on Housing for All – a New Housing Plan for Ireland (*resumed*).

Tugadh Isteach:
Introduced:

19. An Bille um Pá Íosta Náisiúnta (Intéirnigh a Íoc), 2021 – An Chéad Chéim.
National Minimum Wage (Payment of Interns) Bill 2021 – First Stage.

Bille dá ngairtear Acht do dhéanamh socrú maidir leis an bpá íosta náisiúnta a íoc le daoine áirithe a bheidh ag obair mar intéirnigh nó ag gabháil do thaithí oibre; chun na críche sin, do leasú an Achta um Pá Íosta Náisiúnta, 2000; agus do dhéanamh socrú i dtaobh nithe gaolmhara.

Bill entitled an Act to provide for the payment of the national minimum wage to certain persons doing work as interns or on work experience; for that purpose to amend the National Minimum Wage Act 2000; and to provide for related matters.

– Senators Marie Sherlock, Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Mark Wall.

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20. An Bille um Dhrugaí Rialaithe agus um Dhochar a Laghdú, 2017 – An Dara Céim.
Controlled Drugs and Harm Reduction Bill 2017 – Second Stage.
– Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins, Frances Black, David Norris, Michael McDowell, Gerard P. Craughwell, Victor Boyhan.

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21. An Bille um Aerfoirt Stáit (Grúpa na Sionainne) (Leasú), 2020 – An Dara Céim.
State Airports (Shannon Group) (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Second Stage.
– Senators Martin Conway, Garret Ahearn, Aisling Dolan.

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22. Bille na gColáistí Teicniúla Réigiúnacha (Leasú), 2017 – An Dara Céim.
Regional Technical Colleges (Amendment) Bill 2017 – Second Stage.

– Senator Paddy Burke.

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23. An Bille um Tháirgí Míosta (Soláthar Saor in Aisce), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Period Products (Free Provision) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Rebecca Moynihan, Annie Hoey, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall.

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24. An Bille um Nós Imeachta Coiriúil agus Nithe Gaolmhara, 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Criminal Procedure and Related Matters Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Barry Ward, Mary Seery Kearney, Martin Conway.

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25. An Bille Cosanta (Srian le Teidil Áirithe a Úsáid), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Defence (Restriction on Use of Certain Titles) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Malcolm Byrne, Fiona O'Loughlin, Pat Casey.

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26. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Leasú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Rebecca Moynihan, Annie Hoey, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall.

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27. An Bille Uchtála (Faisnéis agus Rianú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Adoption (Information and Tracing) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall.

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28. An Bille um Rialáil Tacsaithe (Leasú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Taxi Regulation (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Joe O'Reilly, Jerry Buttimer, Barry Ward.

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29. An Bille Árachais Sláinte (Mic Léinn Idirnáisiúnta) (Leasú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Health Insurance (International Students) (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Malcolm Byrne, Lisa Chambers, Shane Cassells.

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30. An Bille Toghcháin (Leasú) (Vótáil ag Aois 16), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Electoral (Amendment) (Voting at 16) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Malcolm Byrne, Mary Fitzpatrick, Erin McGreehan.

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31. An Bille um Chearrbhachas (Fógraíocht a Thoirmeasc), 2021 – An Dara Céim.
Gambling (Prohibition of Advertising) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Mark Wall, Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock.

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32. An Bille um Aer Glan (Cosc ar Ghual Toiteach), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Clean Air (Smoky Coal Ban) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Timmy Dooley, Mary Fitzpatrick, Fiona O'Loughlin.

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33. An Bille um Chaomhnú Fostaíochta (Oibrithe Ardáin agus Féinfhostaíocht Bhréagach), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Protection of Employment (Platform Workers and Bogus Self-Employment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Marie Sherlock, Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Mark Wall.

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34. An Bille um Thionóntachtaí Cónaithe (Leasú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Residential Tenancies (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senator Barry Ward.

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35. An Bille um Chomharchumainn Oibrithe agus Ceart Ceannaigh, 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Worker Co-Operatives and Right To Buy Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senator Paul Gavan.

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36. An Bille um Pá Íosta Náisiúnta (Deireadh a Chur le Rátaí Pá Fo-Íosta), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

National Minimum Wage (Removal of Sub-minimum Rates of Pay) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senator Paul Gavan.

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37. An Bille um Athchóiriú an Dlí Talún agus Tíolactha (Leasú), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Land and Conveyancing Law Reform (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Alice-Mary Higgins, Lynn Ruane, Eileen Flynn, Frances Black.

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38. Bille na gCuideachtaí (Tuairisciú ar Astaíochtaí), 2021 – An Dara Céim.

Companies (Emission Reporting) Bill 2021 – Second Stage.

– Senators Lynn Ruane, Frances Black, Eileen Flynn, Alice-Mary Higgins.

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39. An Bille Toghcháin (Saoirse na Sochaí Sibhialta) (Leasú), 2019 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).

Electoral (Civil Society Freedom) (Amendment) Bill 2019 – Second Stage (*resumed*).

– Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins, Frances Black, David Norris, Victor Boyhan, Fintan Warfield.

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40. Bille Toghcháin an tSeanaid (Comhaltaí Ollscoile) (Leasú), 2020 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).

Seanad Electoral (University Members) (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Second Stage (*resumed*).

– Senators Malcolm Byrne, Shane Cassells, Pat Casey.

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41. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Coireacht Fuatha), 2020 – An Dara Céim (*atógáil*).

Criminal Justice (Hate Crime) Bill 2020 – Second Stage (*resumed*).

– Senators Fiona O'Loughlin, Lisa Chambers, Robbie Gallagher.

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42. An Bille fá Choiste Comhairleach Náisiúnta um Braitheoireacht, 2020 – Ordú don Choiste.
National Screening Advisory Committee Bill 2020 – Order for Committee.
– Senators David Norris, Victor Boyhan, Gerard P. Craughwell.

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43. An Bille um Chiontuithe mar gheall ar Chionta Gnéasacha Áirithe (Leithscéal a Ghabháil agus Saoradh), 2016 – An Coiste.
Convictions for Certain Sexual Offences (Apology and Exoneration) Bill 2016 – Committee.

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44. An Bille fán nGníomhaireacht um Shábháilteacht Feirme, 2018 – An Coiste.
Farm Safety Agency Bill 2018 – Committee.
– Senators Paul Daly, Robbie Gallagher, Diarmuid Wilson.

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45. An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Ord Poiblí) (Leasú), 2019 – An Coiste.
Criminal Justice (Public Order) (Amendment) Bill 2019 – Committee.
– Senators Robbie Gallagher, Lorraine Clifford-Lee, Diarmuid Wilson.

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46. An Bille um Gharchabhair agus Meabhairshláinte i Scoileanna (Múinteoirí Reatha), 2018 – An Coiste.
First Aid and Mental Health in Schools (Existing Teachers) Bill 2018 – Committee.
– Senators Robbie Gallagher, Diarmuid Wilson.

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47. An Bille um Gharchabhair agus Meabhairshláinte i Scoileanna (Oiliúint Tosaigh ar Mhúinteoirí), 2018 – An Coiste.
First Aid and Mental Health in Schools (Initial Teacher Training) Bill 2018 – Committee.
– Senators Robbie Gallagher, Diarmuid Wilson.

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48. An Bille um Rannpháirtíocht Phobail (Míchumas) (Forálacha Ilghnéitheacha), 2019 – An Coiste.
Community Participation (Disability) (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2019 – Committee.
– Senators Lynn Ruane, Frances Black, Victor Boyhan, Alice-Mary Higgins.

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49. An Bille um Údaráis Phoiblí agus Gnóthais Fóntais (Conarthaí a Ullmhú agus Critéir Dhámhachtana), 2019 – An Coiste.
Public Authorities and Utility Undertakings (Contract Preparation and Award Criteria) Bill 2019 – Committee.
– Senators Alice-Mary Higgins, Frances Black, Lynn Ruane.

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50. An Bille um Inscne a Aithint (Leasú), 2017 – An Coiste.
Gender Recognition (Amendment) Bill 2017 – Committee.
– Senators Fintan Warfield, David Norris.

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51. An Bille um Thoirmeasc ar Theiripí Tiontúcháin, 2018 – An Coiste.
Prohibition of Conversion Therapies Bill 2018 – Committee.

– Senators Fintan Warfield, Niall Ó Donnghaile, Paul Gavan, David Norris, Victor Boyhan, Gerard P. Craughwell, Frances Black, Alice-Mary Higgins, Lynn Ruane, Jerry Buttimer, Catherine Ardagh.

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52. An Bille um Tháirgí Míosta a Sholáthar Saor in Aisce, 2021 – An Coiste.
Free Provision of Period Products Bill 2021 – Committee.
– Senators Lorraine Clifford-Lee, Catherine Ardagh, Mary Fitzpatrick.

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53. Bille na nAltraí Foghlama (Pá), 2021 – An Coiste.
Student Nurses (Pay) Bill 2021 – Committee.
– Senators Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall.

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54. An Bille um Aosaigh a Chosaint, 2017 – An Coiste.
Adult Safeguarding Bill 2017 – Committee.
– Senators Lorraine Clifford-Lee, Frances Black, Alice-Mary Higgins, Jerry Buttimer, Victor Boyhan, Lynn Ruane.

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55. An Bille um Threalamh Tarrthála Beatha, 2017 – An Coiste.
Life Saving Equipment Bill 2017 – Committee.
– Senators Paul Daly, Robbie Gallagher, Diarmuid Wilson.

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56. Bille Toghcháin an tSeanaid (Leasú), 2015 – An Coiste.
Seanad Electoral (Amendment) Bill 2015 – Committee.
– Senators Diarmuid Wilson, Mark Daly, Denis O'Donovan, Ned O'Sullivan.

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57. An Bille Rialtais Áitiúil (TCI a Úsáid le linn Cionta a Ionchúiseamh), 2021 – An Coiste.
Local Government (Use of CCTV in Prosecution of Offences) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Mark Wall, Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock.

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58. An Bille Toghcháin (Leasú) (Vótáil ag Aois 16), 2016 – An Coiste.
Electoral (Amendment) (Voting at 16) Bill 2016 – Committee.

– Senators Fintan Warfield, Lynn Ruane.

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59. An Bille um Eagrú Ama Oibre (Saoire a Bhaineann le Sláinte Atáirgthe), 2021 – An Coiste.
Organisation of Working Time (Reproductive Health Related Leave) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall.

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60. An Bille um Chúnamh Dlíthiúil Sibhialta (Luach Cothaithe Saor in Aisce nó Saor in Aisce go Páirteach a Eisiamh) (Leasú), 2021 – An Coiste.

Civil Legal Aid (Exclusion of Value of Free or Partly Free Board) (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Lynn Boylan, Niall Ó Donnghaile, Paul Gavan, Fintan Warfield.

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61. An Bille um Chomhionannas Fostaíochta (Leasú) (Comhaontuithe Neamhnochta), 2021 – An Coiste.

Employment Equality (Amendment) (Non-Disclosure Agreements) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Lynn Ruane, Frances Black, Eileen Flynn, Alice-Mary Higgins.

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62. An Bille um Pleanáil agus Forbairt (Grianphainéil le haghaidh Foirgnimh Phoiblí, Scoileanna, Teaghaisí agus Áitreabh Eile) (Leasú), 2021 – An Coiste.

Planning and Development (Solar Panels for Public Buildings, Schools, Homes and Other Premises) (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Pauline O'Reilly, Róisín Garvey, Vincent P. Martin.

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63. An Bille um Chionta Neamh-Mharfacha in aghaidh an Duine (Leasú) (Stalcaireacht), 2021 – An Coiste.

Non-Fatal Offences Against the Person (Amendment) (Stalking) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Lisa Chambers, Mary Fitzpatrick, Erin McGreehan.

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64. An Bille um Chrannchur Náisiúnta (Leasú), 2021 – An Coiste.

National Lottery (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Committee.

– Senators Barry Ward, Emer Currie, Micheál Carrigy.

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65. (*l*) Bille Náisiúntachta agus Saoránachta Éireann (Eadóirsiú Mionaoiseach a Rugadh in Éirinn), 2018 – An Coiste (*alt* 2, *atógáil*).

(*a*) Irish Nationality and Citizenship (Naturalisation of Minors Born in Ireland) Bill 2018 – Committee (*section* 2, *resumed*).

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66. Tuarascáil ón gCoiste um Nós Imeachta agus Pribhléidí maidir le Buan-Ordú 45 a leasú.

Report of the Committee on Procedure and Privileges on the amendment of Standing Order 45.

Tairiscint:
Motion:

67. "Go ndéanann Seanad Éireann a thabhairt dá aire go ndéanann an Comhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha agus Cosaint:

- an gníomh neamhdhleathach a rinne údaráis na Bealarúise trí eitilt Ryanair idir an Ghréig agus an Liotuáin a idirghabháil Dé Domhnaigh, an 23 Bealtaine 2021 a cháineadh go soiléir;

That Seanad Éireann notes that the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence:

- condemns unequivocally the unlawful act by the Belarusian authorities of the interception of a Ryanair flight between Greece and Lithuania on Sunday 23rd May, 2021;

- an tsraith smachtbhannaí arna moladh ag Comhairle an Aontais Eorpaigh (AE) mar fhreagairt ar an ngníomh neamhdhleathach seo a aithint;

- a thathaint ar an gComhairle Eorpach agus ar an gCoimisiún Eorpach leanúint ar aghaidh le monatóireacht a dhéanamh ar chúrsaí sa Bhealarúis;

- a iarraidh go scaoilfear saor Raman Pratasevich agus Sofia Sapega gan choinníollacha agus go dtabharfar dearbhuithe maidir lena saoirse gluaiseachta; agus

- a iarraidh ar an Aire Gnóthaí Eachtracha a chinntiú go dtabharfar an cheist anuas a luaithe is féidir ag Comhairle Slándála na Náisiún Aontaithe agus ag Comhairle Gnóthaí Eachtracha AE.

- acknowledges the set of sanctions proposed by the Council of the European Union (EU) in response to this unlawful act;

- urges the European Council and European Commission to continue to monitor the situation in Belarus;

- calls for the unconditional release of Raman Pratasevich and Sofia Sapega and for guarantees for their freedom of movement to be provided; and

calls on the Minister for Foreign Affairs to ensure that the matter is raised at the earliest opportunity at the United Nations Security Council and at the EU Foreign Affairs Council."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[27th May, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

68. "Go gceadaíonn Seanad Éireann an Stát d'fheidhmiú an roghnaithe nó na rogha faoi Phrótacal Uimh. 21 maidir le seasamh na Ríochta Aontaithe agus na hÉireann i dtaca leis an limistéar saoirse, slándála agus ceartais, atá i gceangal leis an gConradh ar an Aontas Eorpach agus leis an gConradh ar Fheidhmiú an Aontais Eorpaigh, glacadh leis an mbeart seo a leanas:

Rialachán (AE) 2021/693 ó Pharlaimint na hEorpa agus ón gComhairle an 28 Aibreán 2021 lena mbunaítear an Clár um Cheartas agus lena n-aisghairtear Rialachán (AE) Uimh. 1382/2013,

ar leagadh cóip de faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 17 Meitheamh 2021.

That Seanad Éireann approves the exercise by the State of the option or discretion under Protocol No. 21 on the position of the United Kingdom and Ireland in respect of the area of freedom, security and justice annexed to the Treaty on European Union and to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, to accept the following measure:

Regulation (EU) 2021/693 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 April 2021 establishing the Justice Programme and repealing Regulation (EU) No. 1382/2013,

a copy of which was laid before Seanad Éireann on 17th June, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[9th July, 2021]

Tairiscint:

Motion:

69. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Thurasóireacht, Cultúr, Ealaíona, Spórt agus Meán dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Tionchar Covid-19 ar Earnálacha an Fháilteachais agus na Siamsaíochta', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 21 Iúil 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Tourism, Culture, Arts, Sport and Media entitled 'Report on the Impact of Covid-19 on the Hospitality and Entertainment Sectors', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 21st July, 2021."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[21st July, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

70. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart dar teideal 'Tuarascáil ar chruinniú an 27 Aibreán 2021 maidir leis an ábhar arb é an Rialachán Ginearálta maidir le Cosaint Sonraí', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 22 Iúil 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice entitled 'Report on meeting on 27th April 2021 on the topic of GDPR', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 22nd July, 2021."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[22nd July, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

71. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Grinnscrúdú ar an mBille um Bás Dínitiúil, 2020 [BCP]', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 22 Iúil 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice entitled 'Joint Committee on Justice Report on Scrutiny of the Dying with Dignity Bill 2020 [PMB]', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 22nd July, 2021."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[23rd July, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

72. "Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Oideachas, Breisoideachas agus Ardoideachas, Taighde, Nuálaíocht agus Eolaíocht dar teideal 'Bulaíocht ar Scoil agus an Tionchar atá aici ar Mheabhair-

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Education, Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science entitled 'School Bullying and the Impact on Mental Health', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 23rd August, 2021."

Shláinte', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Seanad Éireann an 23 Lúnasa 2021.

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[31st August, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

73. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ó Chomhchoiste na Gaeilge, na Gaeltachta agus Phobal Labhartha na Gaeilge dar teideal: 'Tuarascáil an Chomhchoiste ar Thuarascáil an Choimisinéara Teanga: Maidir le cur i bhfeidhm Moltaí Imscrúdaithe a rinneadh faoi Fho-Alt 21(f) d'Acht na dTeangacha Oifigiúla, 2003 – An Garda Síochána', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 4 Lúnasa 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of Joint Committee on the Irish Language, Gaeltacht and the Irish-speaking Community entitled '*Tuarascáil an Chomhchoiste ar ar Thuarascáil an Choimisinéara Teanga: Maidir le cur i bhfeidhm Moltaí Imscrúdaithe a rinneadh faoi Fho-Alt 21(f) d'Acht na dTeangacha Oifigiúla, 2003 – An Garda Síochána*', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 4th August, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[14th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

74. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Fianaise Íospartaigh i gcásanna éignithe agus ionsaithe ghnéasaigh', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 11 Meitheamh 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice entitled 'Report on Victim's Testimony in cases of rape and sexual assault', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 11th June, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[16th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

75. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Iompar agus Líonraí Cumarsáide dar teideal 'Saincheisteanna a théann i gcion ar thionscal na heitlíochta', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 9 Nollaig 2020.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Transport and Communications Networks entitled 'Issues affecting the aviation industry', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 9th December, 2020."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[16th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

76. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Thalmhaíocht agus Muir dar teideal 'Saincheisteanna a bhfuil tionchar acu ar Earnáil na Foraoiseachta in Éirinn', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 2 Márta 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Agriculture and the Marine entitled 'Issues impacting the Forestry Sector in Ireland', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 2nd March, 2021."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[16th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

77. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh dar teideal 'Tograí maidir leis an gComhdháil ar Thodhchaí na hEorpa', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 16 Nollaig 2020.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs entitled 'Proposals for the Conference on the Future of Europe', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 16th December, 2020."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[16th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

78. "Go dtugann Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Oideachas, Breisoideachas agus Ardoideachas, Taighde, Nuálaíocht agus Eolaíocht dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Tionchar COVID-19 ar Bhunoideachas agus ar Mheánoideachas', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 20 Eanáir 2021.

That Seanad Éireann notes the Report of the Joint Committee on Education, Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science entitled 'Report on the Impact of COVID-19 on Primary and Secondary Education', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 20th January, 2021."

– *Senator Regina Doherty.*
[17th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

79. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí Eachtracha agus Cosaint dar teideal 'Tuarascáil ar Scartáil agus Díláithriú sa Chríoch Phalaistíneach faoi fhorghabháil' ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 13 Iúil 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence entitled 'Report on the Demolitions and Displacements in the occupied Palestinian Territory' copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 13th July, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[17th September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

80. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Ghnóthaí an Aontais Eorpaigh dar teideal 'An Comhaontú Cuimsitheach Eacnamaíoch agus Trádála (CETA)', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 15 Meán Fómhair 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on European Union Affairs entitled 'The Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 15th September, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[22nd September, 2021]

Tairiscint:
Motion:

81. "Go dtabharfaidh Seanad Éireann dá aire an Tuarascáil ón gComhchoiste um Dhlí agus Ceart dar teideal 'Tuarascáil maidir le Saoirse Shibhialta le linn Phaindéim COVID-19', ar leagadh cóipeanna di faoi bhráid Sheanad Éireann an 28 Meán Fómhair 2021.

That Seanad Éireann shall take note of the Report of the Joint Committee on Justice entitled 'Report on Civil Liberties during the COVID-19 Pandemic', copies of which were laid before Seanad Éireann on 28th September, 2021."

– Senator Regina Doherty.
[28th September, 2021]

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82. *Tairiscintí nach ón Rialtas: Fóraim na Rolla-Chomhaltaí agus na gComhaltaí Ollscoile.*
Non-Government Motions: Panel and University members' forums.

An Rolla Saíochta agus Oideachais
Cultural and Educational Panel

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1. "That Seanad Éireann:

- notes that the student profile of those studying medicine and law in our universities continues to be dominated by those from more affluent socio-economic backgrounds;

- further notes that there are perceived and actual barriers to the medical and legal professions for those from less affluent socio-economic backgrounds;

- calls for an examination of the barriers to entry into the medical and legal professions to be undertaken by the Department for Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science, in conjunction with the Higher Education Authority and the relevant

professional bodies, and that a report outlining suggested methods to ensure greater opportunities for access be presented before Seanad Éireann within six months."
– Senators Malcolm Byrne, Lisa Chambers, Seán Kyne, John McGahon, Fintan Warfield.
[10th March, 2021]

An Rolla Oibreachais
Labour Panel

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2. "That Seanad Éireann seeks action on the elimination of the gender pay gap."
– Senators Robbie Gallagher, Shane Cassells, Pat Casey, Ned O'Sullivan.
[6th November, 2020]

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

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1. "That Seanad Éireann:

acknowledges:

- families, carers and service providers have been stretched to incredible lengths, many to breaking point throughout the course of this pandemic;

- the personal toll and long-term impact of the withdrawal of care and supports for people with disabilities, their families and their carers is deeply worrying;

- due to Covid-19, disability services that rely on voluntary fundraising to meet operating costs have been unable to do so;

- services are suffering from chronic underfunding which has resulted in unmet need exacerbated by Covid-19;

- reopened disability day services are operating at approximately 40 per cent capacity;

- service providers submitted their funding requirements to the Health Service Executive in mid-June; and

- the Government's allocation of €10 million in additional funding to day services and home support services for disability service users is insufficient and will not meet the urgent Covid-19 related costs for service providers, community and home support;

recognises:

- that Ireland's ratification of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities requires progressive implementation; and

- the innovative and committed response of disability and dementia service providers in the delivery of care and support for people with disabilities and their families throughout this pandemic; and

calls on the Government to:

- provide the funding required to fully reopen day and other essential disability services to implement all Covid-19 related protocols; and

- provide the additional funding, resources and capital investment required to guarantee sustainable capacity within disability and dementia services."

– Senators Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall, Lynn Boylan, Paul Gavan, Niall Ó Donnghaile, Fintan Warfield, Frances Black, Eileen Flynn, Alice-Mary Higgins, Lynn Ruane, Michael McDowell, Victor Boyhan, Gerard Craughwell, Sharon Keogan, Rónán Mullen.

[6th October, 2020]

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2. "That Seanad Éireann, in recognising the gallantry of the soldiers of 'A' company during the siege of Jadotville in 1961, calls on the Minister for Defence to award Distinguished Service Medals and Military Medals for Gallantry to the men of 'A' company, 35th Infantry Battalion."

– Senators Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall, Niall Ó Donnghaile, Lynn Boylan, Paul Gavan, Fintan Warfield, Gerard Craughwell, Victor Boyhan, Alice-Mary Higgins, Frances Black, Rónán Mullen, Eileen Flynn.

[28th October, 2020]

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3. "That Seanad Éireann:

recognises that:

- post offices serve a vital social and economic role in their communities;

- there is a very specific commitment in the Programme for Government to protect the postal network;

- rural and small urban post offices, which are mostly run by independent postmasters, have had their income and footfall greatly reduced;

- many small post offices are now operating on the equivalent of the national minimum wage;

- Grant Thornton has predicted that 885 post offices will cease to exist by July 2021; and

- if footfall and incomes are not improved then the post office network will be decimated; and

calls on the Government to:

- act on its commitment as outlined in the Programme for Government;

- implement an action plan for the post office network within three months;

- implement a new community banking service operated by An Post to be made available in all post offices throughout the country; this post community bank could be based on

either the New Zealand Kiwibank model or the German Sparkassen model, both of which have been found to be valid models;

- consider a once-off capital investment fund for the further modernisation of the post office network to enable the widespread provision of banking services in rural and disadvantaged urban areas, most of which have been completely abandoned by the current banking model;

- ensure that the provision of all over-the-counter services relating to Government Departments must be tendered for on the basis of both social and economic grounds, to include rural Ireland in any future growth;

- ensure that all business previously identified by Grant Thornton, the former Oireachtas Joint Committee on Transport and Communications and the Post Office Network Business Development Group must be implemented;

- establish a working group to identify the potential for local post offices to act as hubs to facilitate other services such as health, transport, agriculture, etc., and to act as a one-stop-shop for Government services as committed to in the Programme for Government;

- strongly consider committing funds, while the above measures are being implemented, to ensure no more downward pay reviews to post offices which will make them uneconomical and have the effect of closure by a thousand cuts;

- ensure that a five-year holding plan will be put in place while these changes are being implemented or there will be no network left to salvage; and

- recommends that An Post be invited before the Joint Committee on Transport and Communications Networks to outline their plan for the future of the post office network."

– Senators David Norris, Victor Boyhan, Gerard Craughwell, Sharon Keogan, Michael McDowell, Rónán Mullen, Frances Black.

[25th November, 2020]

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4. "That Seanad Éireann:

- condemns the unlawful and protracted detention of Richard O'Halloran, a citizen of Ireland, in the People's Republic of China;

and calls on:

- the Chinese authorities to release him immediately; and

- the Irish Government to raise in every appropriate venue, including the United Nations and the European Union, its demand for his immediate release."

– Senators Michael McDowell, Gerard Craughwell, Victor Boyhan, Sharon Keogan, Rónán Mullen, David Norris, Lynn Ruane, Eileen Flynn, Annie Hoey, Rebecca Moynihan, Marie Sherlock, Mark Wall, Vincent P. Martin, Mary Seery Kearney, Malcolm Byrne, Lynn Boylan, Paul Gavan, Niall Ó Donnghaile, Fintan Warfield, Frances Black, Diarmuid Wilson, Mary Fitzpatrick, Barry Ward.

[9th February, 2021]

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5. "That Seanad Éireann totally rejects the British Government's proposals for 'dealing with the past' including amnesties for those who committed murder. No individual, group, organisation or State forces/agents can be immune from prosecution. Investigations, prosecutions, inquests and civil actions cannot be abolished and due process must take place."

– Senators Emer Currie, Garret Ahearn, Paddy Burke, Jerry Buttimer, Maria Byrne, Micheál Carrigy, Martin Conway, John Cummins, Regina Doherty, Aisling Dolan, Sean Kyne, Tim Lombard, John McGahon, Joe O'Reilly, Mary Seery Kearney, Barry Ward.

[30th September, 2021]

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

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

Dé hAoine, 31 *Nollaig*, 2021
Friday, 31*st December*, 2021

An Bille um an Seanad, 2020 – Ordaíodh é a léamh an dara huair an 31 Nollaig 2021.
Seanad Bill 2020 – Ordered to be read a second time on 31st December, 2021.

– Senators Michael McDowell, Gerard Craughwell, Alice-Mary Higgins.

Dé Sathairn, 26 *Márta*, 2022
Saturday, 26*th March*, 2022

An Bille um Cháilíocht i Sainfháil Phoiblí (Conarthaí a Ullmhú agus Critéir Dhámhachtana), 2021 – Ordaíodh é a léamh an dara huair an 26 Márta 2022.
Quality in Public Procurement (Contract Preparation and Award Criteria) Bill 2021 – Ordered to be read a second time on 26th March, 2022.

– Senators Alice-Mary Higgins, Lynn Ruane, Frances Black, Eileen Flynn.

BILLÍ SEANAID SA DÁIL
Seanad Bills with the Dáil

An Bille um Chultúr agus Stair an Lucht Siúil san Oideachas, 2018.
Traveller Culture and History in Education Bill 2018.

An Bille fá Choimisiún na hÉireann um Chearta an Duine agus Comhionannas (Faisnéis faoin Difríocht Pá idir na hInscní), 2017.
Irish Human Rights and Equality Commission (Gender Pay Gap Information) Bill 2017.

An Bille um Pá Íosta Náisiúnta (Séisíní Fostaithe a Chosaint), 2017.
National Minimum Wage (Protection of Employee Tips) Bill 2017.

An Bille Oideachais (Cairt Mac Léinn agus Tuismitheoirí), 2019.
Education (Student and Parent Charter) Bill 2019.

An Bille um Chosaint Idirnáisiúnta (Athaontú Teaghlaigh) (Leasú), 2017.
International Protection (Family Reunification) (Amendment) Bill 2017.

An Bille um Ghníomhaíocht Eacnamaíoch a Rialú (Críocha faoi Fhorghabháil), 2018.
Control of Economic Activity (Occupied Territories) Bill 2018.

An Bille um Neamhord Speictream an Uathachais, 2017.
Autism Spectrum Disorder Bill 2017.

An Bille um Cheartas Coiriúil (Tréimhsí Athshlánúcháin), 2018.
Criminal Justice (Rehabilitative Periods) Bill 2018.

SCRÍBHINNÍ A LEAGADH FAOI BHRÁID NA dTITHE
DOCUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE HOUSES[1]

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 Acht an Bhainc Cheannais, 1942 (Alt 32D), 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 487 de 2021).	Central Bank Act 1942 (Section 32D) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 487 of 2021).
Na Rialacháin um an Acht Sláinte, 1947 (Alt 31A - Srianta Sealadacha) (Covid-19) (Uimh. 2) (Leasú) (Uimh. 16), 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 500 de 2021).	Health Act 1947 (Section 31A - Temporary Restrictions) (Covid-19) (No. 2) (Amendment) (No. 16) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 500 of 2021).
Na Rialacháin um Tháirgí Íocshláinte (Oideasú agus Rialú Soláthair) (Leasú) (Uimh. 9), 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 492 de 2021).	Medicinal Products (Prescription and Control of Supply) (Amendment) (No. 9) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 492 of 2021).

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[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.

Rialacháin an Aontais Eorpaigh (Bearta Sriantacha i leith na Liobáine) , 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 493 de 2021).

European Union (Restrictive Measures concerning Lebanon) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 493 of 2021).

Na Rialacháin fán Acht um Cheartas Coiriúil (Cionta Sceimhlitheoireachta), 2005 (Alt 42) (Bearta Sriantacha i leith Daoine agus Eintitis Áirithe a Bhaineann leis na hEagraíochtaí ISIL (Da’esh) agus Al-Qaida) (Uimh. 3), 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 494 de 2021).

Criminal Justice (Terrorist Offences) Act 2005 (Section 42) (Restrictive Measures concerning Certain Persons and Entities Associated with the ISIL (Da’esh) and Al-Qaida Organisations) (No.3) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 494 of 2021).

Rialacháin an Aontais Eorpaigh (Bearta Sriantacha i leith na hÚcráine) (Uimh. 2), 2021 (I.R. Uimh. 495 de 2021).

European Union (Restrictive Measures concerning Ukraine) (No.2) Regulations 2021 (S.I. No. 495 of 2021).