

ORDER OF BUSINESS
ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS FOR
THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2020
(AS AGREED ON 19 MARCH 2020)

Announcement of Business for the Week:

- Item 5, Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Finance Act 2004 (Section 91) (Deferred Surrender to the Central Fund) Order 2020
- Item 4, Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Bill 2020 - All Stages

Announcement of Proposed Arrangements for this week's business:

In relation to today's business, it is proposed that:

1. Notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders, the only business to be taken today shall be the business as set out in the Second Revised Report of the Business Committee dated 19 March 2020, with no Questions on Promised Legislation;
2. Item 5, Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Finance Act 2004 (Section 91) (Deferred Surrender to the Central Fund) Order 2020, shall be taken without debate and any division demanded thereon shall be taken immediately;
3. Re Item 4, Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Bill 2020 All Stages - the proceedings on Second Stage, shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after two hours and 35 minutes and any division demanded on the conclusion of Second Stage shall be taken immediately. Speeches on Second Stage shall be confined to a single round for a Minister or Minister of State and the main spokespersons or a representative from each party or group and shall not exceed 15 minutes each; all members may share time; and a Minister or Minister of State may make a concluding speech not exceeding five minutes. Proceedings on Committee and Remaining Stages shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after one and a half hours by one Question, which shall, in relation to amendments, include only those set down or accepted by the Minister. The first contribution by a mover of an amendment shall not exceed 2 minutes, and any other contributions shall not exceed 1 minute;

4. Notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders, if a division is demanded today, the bells shall be rung for a period of not less than three minutes, and the doors locked after a further five minutes has elapsed: Provided that after the three minutes of ringing the bells, the doors may be locked as soon as 50 members are in the chamber; and
5. The Dáil on its rising shall adjourn until 2.00 p.m. on Thursday 26th March 2020.
