

ORDER OF BUSINESS

TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, 24 – 26 November 2020

Announcement of Business for the Week:

Tuesday's Government business shall be:

- **Item 7**, Motion re Fifth Report of the Committee of Selection (*without debate*)
- **Item 8**, Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Technological Universities Act 2018 (Section 36) (Appointed Day) Order 2020 (*back from Committee*) (*without debate*)
- **Item 14**, Statements on Covid-19 (*to conclude within 145 minutes*)

Private Members' Business shall be **Item 23**, the Regulation of Lobbying (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Second Stage, selected by Sinn Féin.

Wednesday's Government business shall be:

- **Item 9**, Further Revised Estimate 2020 [Vote 32] (*back from Committee*) (*without debate*)
- **Item 10a**, Motion re Leave to Introduce Supplementary Estimates 2020 [Votes 30 and 45] (*without debate*)
- **Item 10b**, Motion re Referral to Select Committee of Supplementary Estimates 2020 [Votes 30 and 45] (*without debate*)
- **Item 10c**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Financial Resolutions
- **Item 10d**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Instruction to Committee
- **Item 15**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Committee and Remaining Stages

Private Members' Business shall be **Item 104**, Motion re Funding for the Irish Greyhound Industry, selected by the Social Democrats.

Thursday's Government business shall be **Item 15**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Committee and Remaining Stages (*resumed, if not previous concluded*).

Item 24, Mental Health Parity of Esteem Bill 2020 – Second Stage (Deputy Mark Ward), will be debated in the evening slot.

Announcement of Proposed Arrangements for this week's business:

In relation to Tuesday's business there are 8 proposals. It is proposed that:

- the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of topical issues, which shall be taken immediately following private members' business;
- **Item 7**, Motion re Fifth Report of the Committee of Selection, shall be taken without debate;
- **Item 8**, Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Technological Universities Act 2018 (Section 36) (Appointed Day) Order 2020, shall be taken without debate;
- **Item 14**, Statements on Covid-19, shall not exceed 145 minutes, with arrangements in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 135 minutes, followed by a 10-minute statement in reply by a Minister or Minister of State, and all members may share time;
- Oral Questions to the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage under Standing Order 46(1)(b) shall be taken on the conclusion of the Statements on Covid-19;
- the sitting shall be suspended for a 20-minute sanitisation SOS immediately following Oral Questions to the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage, and shall not be suspended immediately following Private Members' Business;
- the Second Stage of **Item 23**, Regulation of Lobbying (Amendment) Bill 2020, shall be taken immediately following the SOS after the Oral Questions to the Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage, and shall be brought to a conclusion within 2 hours; and
- Oral Questions to the Minister for Foreign Affairs pursuant to Standing Order 46(1)(b) shall not be taken today.

In relation to Wednesday's business there are 5 proposals. It is proposed that:

- **Item 9**, Further Revised Estimate 2020 [Vote 32], shall be taken without debate;
- **Item 10a**, Motion re Leave to Introduce Supplementary Estimates 2020 [Votes 30 and 45], shall be taken without debate;
- **Item 10b**, Motion re Referral to Select Committee of Supplementary Estimates 2020 [Votes 30 and 45], shall be taken without debate;
- **Item 10c**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Financial Resolutions, shall be taken immediately following topical issues, shall be moved together and decided without debate by one question which shall be put from the Chair, and any division demanded shall be taken immediately; and
- **Item 10d**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Instruction to Committee, shall be taken immediately prior to the commencement of Committee Stage, without debate, and any division demanded shall be taken immediately.

In relation to Thursday's business, there are 4 proposals. It is proposed that:

- the Dáil shall meet at 9 a.m. in the Convention Centre Dublin, when it shall take Oral Questions to the Minister for Foreign Affairs pursuant to Standing Order 46(1)(b);
- the sitting shall be suspended for 20 minutes immediately prior to the resumption of the Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020;
- **Item 15**, Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020 – Committee and Remaining Stages (*resumed*), shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion at 5.32 p.m. by one Question which shall be put from the Chair, and which shall, in relation to amendments, include only those set down or accepted by the Minister for Foreign Affairs; and
- topical issues shall be taken on the conclusion of proceedings on the Withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2020.