

## REVISED (1) ORDER OF BUSINESS

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS FOR  
TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, 02 - 04 NOVEMBER 2021  
(AS AGREED ON 28 OCTOBER 2021)

### Announcement of Business for the Week:

Tuesday's business shall be:

- **Item 10**, Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Sectoral Employment Order (Construction Sector) 2021 (*without debate*)
- **Item 11**, Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Horse and Greyhound Racing Fund Regulations 2021 (*without debate*)
- **Item 12**, Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of Regulation (EU) 2021/693 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28th April, 2021, establishing the Justice Programme and repealing Regulation (EU) No. 1382/2013 (*back from Committee*) (*without debate*)
- **Item 13**, Motion *re* Ministerial Rota for Parliamentary Questions (*without debate*)
- **Item 15**, Motion *re* Proposed authorisation by Dáil Éireann for the Houses of the Oireachtas Commission to instruct legal representatives (*without debate*)
- **Item 16**, Motion *re* extension of Part 3 of the Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Act 2020, **Item 17**, Motion *re* extension of Criminal Justice (Enforcement Powers) (Covid-19) Act 2020, and **Item 18**, Motion *re* extension of Health (Amendment) Act 2020 (*to be debated together, but decided separately, and to conclude within 145 minutes*)

Private Members' Business shall be **Item 205**, Motion *re* Nurses and Midwives, selected by Sinn Féin.

Wednesday's business shall be:

- **Item 14**, Motion *re* Report of the Joint Committee on Transport and Communications under Dáil Standing Order 133 on European Union proposals – COM(2021)552, 556, 559, 561, 562 and 567 (*without debate*)
- **Item 48**, Statements post European Council meeting of 21st-22nd October, pursuant to Standing Order 124 (*to conclude within 125 minutes, with 20 minutes Q&A, and a 5-minute response from a Minister or Minister of State*)
- **Item 4**, Finance Bill 2021 (Second Stage) (*to adjourn at 9.30 p.m., if not previously concluded*)

- **Item 1**, Criminal Justice (Smuggling of Persons) Bill 2021 [*Seanad*] (Second Stage) (*if taken, to adjourn at 9.30 p.m.*)
- **Item 5**, Animal Health and Welfare (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2021 (Second Stage) (*if taken, to adjourn at 9.30 p.m.*)

Private Members' Business shall be Second Stage of **Item 57**, the Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2021, selected by the Independent Group.

Thursday's business shall be:

- **Item 4**, Finance Bill 2021 (Second Stage) (*resumed*) (*to adjourn at 6.40 p.m., if not previously concluded*)
- **Item 1**, Criminal Justice (Smuggling of Persons) Bill 2021 [*Seanad*] (Second Stage) (*if taken, to adjourn at 6.40 p.m.*)
- **Item 5**, Animal Health and Welfare (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2021 (Second Stage) (*if taken, to adjourn at 6.40 p.m.*)
- **Item 49**, Statements on "Monitoring Adequate Housing in Ireland" – a report by the Irish Human Rights and Equality Commission (*to be taken not later than 6.40 p.m., and to conclude within 110 minutes*)

#### **Proposed Arrangements for this week's business:**

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

1. the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of topical issues pursuant to Standing Order 37, which shall be taken on the conclusion of oral Parliamentary Questions to the Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment pursuant to Standing Order 46(1), and Oral Parliamentary Questions to the Taoiseach pursuant to Standing Order 46(1) shall not be taken;
2. **Item 10**, Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Sectoral Employment Order (Construction Sector) 2021, shall be taken without debate;
3. **Item 11**, Motion *re* Referral to Joint Committee of proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Horse and Greyhound Racing Fund Regulations 2021, shall be taken without debate;
4. **Item 12**, Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of Regulation (EU) 2021/693 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28th April, 2021, establishing the Justice Programme and repealing Regulation (EU) No. 1382/2013, shall be taken without debate;
5. **Item 13**, Motion *re* Ministerial Rota for Parliamentary Questions, shall be taken without debate;

6. **Item 15**, Motion *re* Proposed authorisation by Dáil Éireann for the Houses of the Oireachtas Commission to instruct legal representatives, shall be taken without debate;
7. **Item 16**, Motion *re* extension of Part 3 of the Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Act 2020, **Item 17**, Motion *re* extension of Criminal Justice (Enforcement Powers) (Covid-19) Act 2020, and **Item 18**, Motion *re* extension of Health (Amendment) Act 2020, shall be debated together, but decided separately, and the proceedings thereon shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after 145 minutes, with arrangements in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 135 minutes, following which a Minister or Minister of State may make a speech in reply which shall not exceed 10 minutes, and members may share time;
8. **Item 205**, Motion *re* Nurses and Midwives, shall take place on the conclusion of Government Business, and shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after two hours; and
9. Oral Parliamentary Questions to the Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment pursuant to Standing Order 46(1) shall be taken on the conclusion of Private Members' Business and shall conclude within 90 minutes.

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

1. the Dáil shall sit later than 9.30 p.m. and shall adjourn on the conclusion of the weekly division time which shall be taken at 9.30 p.m.;
2. for Wednesday, 3rd November, 2021, private members' time pursuant to Standing Order 169 shall be allocated to the Independent Group, and for Wednesday, 10th November, 2021, such private members' time shall be allocated to the Rural Independent Group; otherwise, the rota for private members' time as agreed by the Dáil on 30th July, 2020, shall continue unchanged, and the proceedings on Second Stage of **Item 57**, the Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2021, shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after two hours;
3. **Item 14**, Motion *re* Report of the Joint Committee on Transport and Communications under Dáil Standing Order 133 on European Union proposals – COM(2021)552, 556, 559, 561, 562 and 567, shall be taken without debate;
4. **Item 48**, Statements post European Council meeting of 21st-22nd October, pursuant to Standing Order 124, shall be taken on the conclusion of Questions to the Taoiseach pursuant to Standing Order 46(1) and the following arrangements shall apply:

- (i) the statements shall consist of a single round, which shall not exceed 100 minutes, with arrangements in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for that time, followed by questions and answers will shall not exceed 20 minutes;
  - (ii) following the questions and answers, a Minister or Minister of State may make a statement in reply which shall not exceed five minutes; and
  - (iii) members may share time; and
5. the sitting shall be suspended for an hour on the conclusion of Item 48 and shall not be otherwise suspended pursuant to the weekly schedule agreed by the Dáil on 11 May 2021.

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

1. the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of topical issues pursuant to Standing Order 37 which shall be taken on the conclusion of Item 49;
2. in relation to **Item 49**, Statements on “Monitoring Adequate Housing in Ireland” – a report by the Irish Human Rights and Equality Commission, the following arrangements shall apply:
  - (i) the statements shall be taken on the conclusion of Government legislation, or at 6.40 p.m., whichever is the earlier, and shall not exceed 110 minutes, with arrangements in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 100 minutes, following which a Minister or Minister of State may make a statement in reply which shall not exceed 10 minutes; and
  - (ii) members may share time; and
3. no Second Stage of a private member’s Bill pursuant to Standing Order 160 nor a Committee report pursuant to Standing Order 102 shall be taken.

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