ORDER OF BUSINESS
ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS FOR
TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, 29 - 31 MARCH 2022

Business for the week

Tuesday’s business shall be:

- Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Technological Universities Act 2018 (Section 36) (Appointed Day) (No. 2) Order 2022 (back from Committee) (without debate)
- Institutional Burials Bill 2022 – Referral to Select Committee (without debate)
- Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (Exempted Development) (Number 2) Regulations 2022 (to conclude within 55 mins)

Private Members’ Business shall be Motion re Services for Children with Disabilities, selected by Sinn Féin.

Wednesday’s business shall be:

- Statements on the Government’s response to the situation in Ukraine (to conclude within 210 mins)
- Circular Economy, Waste Management (Amendment) and Minerals Development (Amendment) Bill 2022 (Second Stage) (if not previously concluded, debate shall be interrupted either at 8pm or two hours and 26 minutes after the conclusion of Ukraine statements, whichever is the later)

Private Members’ Business shall be Second Stage of the Thirty-Ninth Amendment of the Constitution (Neutrality) Bill 2022, selected by People Before Profit-Solidarity

Thursday’s business shall be:

- Statements on the Women’s Health Action Plan (to conclude within 145 minutes)
- Circular Economy, Waste Management (Amendment) and Minerals Development (Amendment) Bill 2022 (Second stage, resumed, if not previously concluded) (to adjourn at 5.45 p.m., if not previously concluded)
- Statements on the National Maternity Hospital (to conclude within 110 mins)
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 Minister for Justice pursuant to Standing Order 46(1)(b);

2. the Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Technological Universities Act 2018 (Section 36) (Appointed Day) (No. 2) Order 2022 shall be taken without debate;

3. the Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (Exempted Development) (Number 2) Regulations 2022 shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after 55 minutes, and the following arrangements shall apply:
   (i) the opening speech of a Minister or Minister of State shall be followed by the speech of a member of Sinn Féin, with those speeches not exceeding 10 minutes in each case;
   (ii) the speeches of the members of the Labour Party, Social Democrats, People-Before-Profit-Solidarity, the Regional Group, the Rural Independent Group and the Independent Group, who shall be called upon in that order, shall not exceed 5 minutes in each case;
   (iii) members may share time; and
   (iv) a Minister or Minister of State shall be called upon to make a speech in reply which shall not exceed 5 minutes;

4. in relation to Private Members’ Business, the Motion re Services for Children with Disabilities, the following arrangements shall apply:
   (i) the motion shall be taken on the conclusion of the Motion re Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (Exempted Development) (Number 2) Regulations 2022; and
   (ii) the proceedings thereon shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after two hours; and

5. oral Parliamentary Questions to the Minister for Justice pursuant to Standing Order 46(1)(b) shall be taken for 90 minutes on the conclusion of private members' business.

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

1. in relation to the schedule for the day, the following arrangements shall apply:
(i) the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of the weekly division time;

(ii) oral Parliamentary Questions to the Taoiseach pursuant to Standing Order 46(1)(a) shall not be taken; and

(iii) notwithstanding Standing Order 25(1)(a), the time when oral Parliamentary Questions to the Taoiseach normally takes place pursuant to the Order of the Dáil on 11th May, 2021, shall be the time when the Dáil adjourns for 60 minutes;

2. notwithstanding anything in Standing Orders, the proceedings on the second reading motion on the Thirty-Ninth Amendment of the Constitution (Neutrality) Bill 2022 shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after two hours;

3. in relation to the Statements on the Government’s response to the situation in Ukraine, the following arrangements shall apply:

   (i) the statements shall not exceed 210 minutes;

   (ii) the speaking arrangements shall be in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 200 minutes;

   (iii) a Minister or Minister of State shall be called upon to make a statement in reply which shall not exceed 10 minutes; and

   (iv) members may share time; and

4. on Wednesday, proceedings on the second reading motion on the Circular Economy, Waste Management (Amendment) and Minerals Development (Amendment) Bill 2022 shall, if not previously concluded, be interrupted, and the weekly division time shall take place, either at 8 p.m., or two hours and 26 minutes after the conclusion of the Statements on the Government’s response to the situation in Ukraine, whichever is the later: Provided that in any event, the weekly division time shall take place not earlier than 8 p.m.

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

1. in relation to the schedule for the day, the following arrangements shall apply:

   (i) the Dáil shall adjourn on the conclusion of the Statements on the National Maternity Hospital; and

   (ii) Thursday evening business pursuant to Standing Order 159(2) shall not be taken;
2. in relation to the Statements on the Women's Health Action Plan, the following arrangements shall apply:

   (i) the statements shall not exceed 145 minutes;

   (ii) the speaking arrangements shall be in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 135 minutes;

   (iii) a Minister or Minister of State shall be called upon to make a statement in reply which shall not exceed 10 minutes; and

   (iv) members may share time;

3. topical issues pursuant to Standing Order 37 shall be taken at 5.45 p.m., or on the conclusion of Second Stage of the Circular Economy, Waste Management (Amendment) and Minerals Development (Amendment) Bill 2022, whichever is the earlier; and

4. in relation to the Statements on the National Maternity Hospital, the following arrangements shall apply:

   (i) the statements shall take place on the conclusion of topical issues and shall not exceed 110 minutes;

   (ii) the speaking arrangements shall be in accordance with those agreed by Order of the Dáil of 30th July, 2020, for 100 minutes;

   (iii) a Minister or Minister of State shall be called upon to make a statement in reply which shall not exceed 10 minutes; and

   (iv) members may share time.