

ORDER OF BUSINESS

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BUSINESS FOR

TUESDAY TO THURSDAY, 28 FEBRUARY – 2 MARCH 2023

Announcement of Business for the Week:

Tuesday's business shall be:

- Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of Finance Act 2004 (Section 91) (Deferred Surrender to the Central Fund) Order 2023 (*without debate*)
- Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the definition of criminal offences and penalties for the violation of Union restrictive measures (*to conclude within 55 minutes*)
- Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2022 [*Seanad*] (Second Stage) (*if not previously concluded, to be interrupted and stand adjourned either at 6 p.m. or after 1 hour and 15 mins, whichever is the later*)

Private members' business shall be the Motion *re* the National Ambulance Service, selected by Sinn Féin.

Wednesday's business shall be:

- Motions for Further Revised Estimates for Public Services 2023 [Votes 16, 23 and 34] (*to be moved together and decided without debate by one question*)
- Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2022 [*Seanad*] (Second Stage, resumed, if not previously concluded) (*if not previously concluded, to be interrupted and stand adjourned either at 4.30 p.m. or after 1 hour and 40 minutes, whichever is the later*)
- Courts and Civil Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2022 (Report and Final Stages) (*to be taken no earlier than 4 p.m.*)
- Central Bank (Individual Accountability Framework) Bill 2022 (Amendments from the Seanad)
- Regulation of Lobbying (Amendment) Bill 2022 (Report and Final Stages) (*if not previously concluded, to be interrupted and stand adjourned either at 7.30 p.m. or 1 hour after the conclusion of proceedings on the Central Bank (Individual Accountability Framework) Bill 2022, whichever is the later*)

Private members' business shall be the Motion *re* the Future of Regional Pre-Hospital Emergency Care, selected by the Regional Group.

Thursday's business shall be:

- Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2022 [*Seanad*] (Second Stage, resumed, if not previously concluded)
- Policing, Security and Community Safety Bill 2023 (Second Stage, resumed) (*if not previously concluded, to be interrupted and stand adjourned at 4.30 p.m.*)

Thursday evening business shall be Second Stage of the Employment Equality (Pay Transparency) Bill 2022, sponsored by Deputy Rose Conway-Walsh.

Announcement of proposed arrangements for this week's business:

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

1. the ordinary routine of business as contained in Schedule 3 to Standing Orders shall be modified to the extent that Government business shall be interrupted and stand adjourned and private members' business shall be taken either at 6 p.m. or 1 hour and 15 minutes after the commencement of proceedings on the Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2022 [*Seanad*], whichever is the later, with consequential effect on the commencement time for oral Parliamentary Questions to the Minister for Environment, Climate and Communications and topical issues, and on the time for the adjournment of the Dáil;
2. the Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of Finance Act 2004 (Section 91) (Deferred Surrender to the Central Fund) Order 2023 shall be taken without debate; and
3. the Motion *re* Proposed approval by Dáil Éireann of the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the definition of criminal offences and penalties for the violation of Union restrictive measures shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion after 55 minutes, and the following arrangements shall apply:
 - (i) the order of speaking and allocation of time shall be as follows:
 - opening speech by a Minister or Minister of State - 10 minutes;
 - speech by representative of Sinn Féin - 10 minutes;
 - speeches by representatives of the Labour Party, Social Democrats, People-Before-Profit-Solidarity, the Regional Group, the Rural Independent Group and the Independent Group - 5 minutes per party or group; and
 - a speech in response by the Minister – 5 minutes; and
 - (ii) members may share time.

In relation to Wednesday's business:

1. the ordinary routine of business as contained in Schedule 3 to Standing Orders shall be modified to the extent that the weekly division time shall be taken on either the adjournment or conclusion of proceedings on the Regulation of Lobbying (Amendment) Bill 2022, with consequential effect on the time for the adjournment of the Dáil;

2. the Motions for Further Revised Estimates for Public Services 2023 [Votes 16, 23 and 34] shall be moved together and decided without debate by one question which shall be put from the Chair;
3. the resumed proceedings on the second reading motion on the Credit Union (Amendment) Bill 2022 [*Seanad*] shall, if not previously concluded, be interrupted and stand adjourned either at 4.30 p.m. or after 1 hour and 40 minutes, whichever is the later;
4. the proceedings on Report and Final Stages of the Courts and Civil Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2022 shall be taken no earlier than 4 p.m.; and
5. the proceedings on Report and Final Stages of the Regulation of Lobbying (Amendment) Bill 2022 shall, if not previously concluded, be interrupted and stand adjourned either at 7.30 p.m. or 1 hour after the conclusion of proceedings on the Central Bank (Individual Accountability Framework) Bill 2022, whichever is the later.

In relation to Thursday's business, the ordinary routine of business as contained in Schedule 3 to Standing Orders shall be modified to the extent that, if not previously concluded, the proceedings on Government business shall be interrupted and stand adjourned and topical issues shall be taken at 4.30 p.m., with consequential effect on the commencement time for Second Stage of the Employment Equality (Pay Transparency) Bill 2022, and on the time for the adjournment of the Dáil: Provided that in the event Government business concludes before 4.30 p.m., topical issues shall be taken on the conclusion of Government business.
