

## Minister Breen Q3 2018 (1 July – 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018)

### ▲ 3 Jul

- 09:15 – 09:45 Pre-brief with Officials
- 09:45 – 10:30 Minister meeting with US Chargé D’Affaires – Mr Reece Smyth
- 13:30 – 14:30 Pre-brief with Officials on meeting with Minister Humphreys
- 14:00 – 14:30 Leaders Questions
- 14:30 – 15:00 Meeting with Minister Humphreys and Minister Donohoe on SEO’s
- 15:00 – 15:45 Government Business
- 15:30 – 15:45 Pre-brief with Trade Section
- 15:45 – 16:15 Minister meeting with Joe Healy IFA
- 17:30 – 18:15 Topical Issues
- 18:30 – 22:00 To attend Reception to mark the 242<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of the Independence of the United States of America
- 22:00 – 23:30 Government Business

### ▲ 4 Jul

- 07:45 – 09:15 Opening address at American Chamber of Commerce Ireland – US Business Leadership Summit
- 10:30 – 11:30 Meeting with Department An Taoiseach and Data Protection Officials
- 12:00 – 12:30 Leaders Questions
- 16:00 – 17:00 Briefing with Digital Single Market Unit on Memo for Government and Strategy

- 17:50 – 18:40 Topical Issues
  - 20:40 – 23:30 Government Business
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#### ▲ 5 Jul

- 09:00 – 12:00 Minister to bring DSM Memo to Cabinet
  - 12:00 – 12:30 Leaders Questions
  - 12:45 – 13:30 Voting Block
  - 14:00 – 17:00 Photo call with Andrew McDonnell EIB
  - 15:00 – 16:00 Ministerial Management Board Meeting
  - 17:00 – 17:50 Topical Issues
  - 17:50 – 22:50 Government Business
  - 18:00 – 20:00 Farewell Reception for the Ambassador of Estonia Mrs Kristi Karelsohn
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#### ▲ 6 Jul

- 10:30 – 18:30 Government Business
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#### ▲ 9 Jul

- 13:50 – 14:00 Pre-meeting brief with Gerry McCarthy from EI
- 14:00 – 14:30 Meeting with small delegation from Georgia
- 15:00 – 15:15 Pre-brief with Officials
- 15:15 – 15:45 Meeting with the French Ambassador
- 17:00 – 18:30 Meeting of Cabinet Committee A

▲ 10 Jul

- 12:00 – 12:30 Briefing with Officials on Industrial Development Bill
- 13:30 – 14:30 Photo call for Launch of New Credit Guarantee Scheme
- 14:00 – 23:00 Dáil sitting
- 15:47 – 17:17 Oral PQ's
- 18:00 – 18:30 Taking report stage on the Industrial Development Bill
- 19:00 – 23:30 Travelling to Limerick

▲ 11 Jul

- 10:00 – 13:30 Minister officially opening BD research Centre
- 10:30 – 23:30 Dáil Sitting
- 11:00 – 13:30 (Apologies for Minister) Dept. Taoiseach Data Forum
- 11:30 – 12:30 Visits to STATS Limerick
- 15:00 – 16:00 Ministerial Management Board Meeting
- 17:30 – 19:00 FG PP Meeting
- 17:35 – 23:30 Government Business

▲ 12 Jul

- 09:15 – 09:45 Briefing for Compet Council
- 10:30 – 12:00 Attend EI 2017 Export Results
- 10:30 – 22:48 Dáil Sitting
- 12:00 – 12:30 Leaders Questions
- 12:47 – 13:30 Voting Block

- 14:00 – 14:30 Meeting with Mr Joe Lynch Ireland Saudi Arabia Business Council
- 14:00 – 17:00 Government Business
- 16:00 – 17:00 Meeting with Tony Heffernan (Pardus Energy Limited)
- 17:00 – 17:50 Topical Issues
- 17:50 – 23:00 Government Business
- 19:30 – 20:30 FG Presidential Dinner

▲ **15 Jul**

- 08:00 – 16:00 Travel to Informal Meeting of the Ministers responsible for Competitiveness
- 12:15 – 16:00 Flight to Vienna Aer Lingus EI 12664 – Dep 12:15 Arrive Vienna 16:00

▲ **16 Jul**

- 08:00 – 16:30 Informal Compet Council
- 17:15 – 18:40 Flight from Vienna to London Heathrow- Austrian Airlines OS455 Vienna INT to London Heathrow Terminal 2 Dep 17:15 Arr 18:40

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▲ **17 Jul**

- 09:00 – End of Day EI Farnborough Air Show UK

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▲ **18 Jul**

Start of Day – 09:30 EI Farnborough Air Show UK

09:00 – 15:30 Farnborough Programme

17:30 – 19:00 FG PP Meeting

20:10 – 21:30 Heathrow to Dublin Aer Lingus EI 179 Dep  
LHR 20:10 Arr Dublin 21:30 Terminal 2

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▲ 19 Jul

- 09:45 – 10:30 Confirmed meeting with Sharon McGuinness, new CEO HSA
- 10:15 – 10:45 Briefing with Officials on Joint Labour Committee and IR Bill
- 10:45– 11:00 Pre-brief with Taoiseach Officials
- 11:00 – 13:00 Taoiseach’s data Forum
- 12:15 – 14:45 Lunch with Australian Minister for Trade, Tourism and Investment Mr Steven Ciobo hosted by the Australian Chamber of Commerce
- 15:30 – 16:00 Meeting with the Ambassador of Iran – Ambassador Kachoueian
- 16:45 – 17:00 Pre-brief with Officials
- 17:00 – 17:30 Phone call with Lord Barker
- 22:00 – 23:30 Government Business

▲ 23 Jul

- 09:00 – End of Day Minister travelling to Washington
- 12:55 – 16:55 Flight Dublin to Washington 12:55 arrive 15:45 (now United Airlines)

▲ 24 Jul – 26 Jul

■ All Day Minister travelling to Washington

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▲ 27 Jul

■ Start of Day – 09:30 Minister travelling to Washington

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August 2018

▲ 8 Aug

■ 10:00 – 11:00 Attend photo/media opp for 1st work day  
Edwards Lifesciences staff

▲ 12 Aug

■ 10:30 – 12:30 To attend the Tullamore Agricultural Show

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▲ 15 Aug

■ 11:30 – 12:00 Flight Dublin to Chicago 11:30 - arrive 14:00 EI  
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▲ 16 Aug

■ 10:00 – End of Day Milwaukee Irish Fest

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▲ 17 Aug

■ All Day Milwaukee Irish Fest

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▲ 18 Aug

■ All Day Milwaukee Irish Fest

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▲ 19 Aug

■ Start of Day – 10:30 Milwaukee Irish Fest

■ 16:00 – 18:00 Flight Chicago to Dublin EI 122

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▲ 20 Aug

■ 05:00 – 05:30 Flight Arrives Dublin 05:15 Monday 20th EI 122

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▲ 21 Aug

■ 10:00 – 11:00 Meeting Matthew Thomas Shannon Group

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▲ 22 Aug

■ 14:45 – 15:00 Pre-brief with officials

■ 15:00 – 16:00 Meeting with Scottish Minister Ivan McKee

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▲ 24 Aug

■ 18:30 – 21:00 Attend opening dinner for "Voices of Impact: Women Leaders Shaping Global Change" Symposium

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▲ **25 Aug**

- 10:45 – 11:15 Bus picking up guests for Pope's address
- 12:15 – 13:15 Address by the Pope and the Taoiseach
- 18:30 – 19:00 To attend Festival of Families Event

▲ **26 Aug**

- 12:40 – 12:45 Arrive at Griffith College for bus transfer to Phoenix Park
- 14:30 – 17:30 Celebrate Mass with Pope Francis

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▲ **28 Aug**

- 11:30 – 14:00 Google event for SMEs

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▲ **29 Aug**

- 12:30 – 13:00 Briefing with Officials
- 14:00 – 14:30 German media interview request - Die Zeit (phone interview)
- 15:30 – 16:00 Photo call launch for Gourmet Food Parlour Jobs Announcement with Legacy Consultancy

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**September 2018**

▲ **4 Sep**

- 08:00 – 09:00 Minister to launch 'Beyond Local' for Clare LEO
- 17:00 – 18:30 Minister Travel to Newry



▲ 5 Sep

- 09:30 – 11:30 Minister to visit ITI office to Launch ITI Research Study (and meeting companies)

▲ 6 Sep

- 10:00 – 10:30 Minister to attend with An Tánaiste at an announcement with Chanelle Group - opening new €10m manufacturing facility
- 13:00 – 20:00 Fine Gael Annual Think In.

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▲ 7 Sep

- 05:55 – 08:30 Flight Dublin to Amsterdam KL0932
- 09:00 – 11:00 FYI FG Think In

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▲ 9 Sep

- 09:00 – End of Day EI Trade Mission to Brazil

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▲ 10 Sep – 11 Sep

- All Day EI Trade Mission to Brazil

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▲ 12 Sep

- All Day EI Trade Mission to Brazil
- 10:45 – 12:30 Fly Sao Paulo to Brasilia 10:45

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▲ 13 Sep

■ All Day EI Trade Mission to Brazil

■ 12:15 – 14:00 Fly Brasilia to Rio

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▲ 14 Sep

■ All Day EI Trade Mission to Brazil

■ 21:55 – 23:55 Fly Rio to Amsterdam

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▲ 15 Sep

■ Start of Day – 16:30 EI Trade Mission to Brazil

■ 14:30 – 15:00 Arrive Amsterdam

■ 16:00 – 16:40 Return to Dublin KLM Flight (from Amsterdam) KL937 at 16:40pm

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▲ 17 Sep

■ 09:30 – 10:30 Ibec Mid-West and Kerry REC - briefing for TD's

■ 19:00 – 21:00 Address and present awards at the EI International Buyers Dinner and EI's Innovation Arena Awards 2018

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▲ 18 Sep

■ 08:00 – 09:00 To address EI US Healthcare Forum

■ 11:00 – 12:00 HSA launch/demo

■ 11:00 – 17:30 Ploughing Championships

■ 12:00 – 13:00 Opening the Local Enterprise Village at the Ploughing championships

■ 13:00 – 14:00 Attend EI Innovation Arena

■ 14:00 – 14:30 Dáil will resume at 2pm after Summer Recess

- 15:30 – 16:00 Visit WRC stand
  - 16:00 – 16:30 Visit SFI stand
  - 18:30 – 21:00 Data Summit evening event with Taoiseach
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#### ▲ 19 Sep

- 12:00 – 21:30 Data Summit
- 15:30 – 16:00 Address Commission outreach event on 'New Deal for Consumers'
- 17:30 – 19:00 FG PP Meeting

#### ▲ 20 Sep

- 08:30 – 09:30 Meeting with UAE Minister for Infrastructure and Maritime
  - 09:30 – 10:30 Pre-brief Ministers meeting with Minister Donohoe
  - 10:30 – 12:30 Minister's Budget meeting with Minister Donohoe
  - 12:30 – 13:00 Pre-briefing meeting for the IDC on the DSM
  - 12:47 – 13:30 VOTING BLOCK
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#### ▲ 21 Sep

- 12:00 – 13:30 Confirmed - Minister to officiate at the official opening of Matilda's Planet

#### ▲ 24 Sep

- 09:30 – 16:30 Announce LEO Mid-West Regional Jobs Figures (Clare, Limerick and Tipp)

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▲ 25 Sep

- 08:30 – 11:30 Taking Care of Business (TCOB) Event (Opening address 8:50am)
- 11:30 – 12:15 Visit to Reagecon Diagnostics Ltd in Shannon
- 14:00 – 22:00 Dail Voteable all day until 10pm
- 15:30 – 16:30 Ministerial Management Board Meeting
- 15:30 – 17:00 IDC on DSM (Brexit & INCL Geo-blocking)
- 18:30 – 19:00 Attending the 69th anniversary of the founding of the Peoples Republic of China
- 20:00 – 22:00 Definite vote on conclusion of private members business tomorrow evening at 10pm

▲ 26 Sep

- 10:30 – 12:00 Drop in to Chambers Ireland Pre-Budget Networking Day
- 11:50 – 12:30 Photo FG HQ
- 14:00 – 14:30 Meeting with Korean Ambassador
- 14:47 – 15:35 Topical Issues
- 20:30 – 21:30 Attending Taoiseach's meeting with FG Ministers and Ministers of State

▲ 27 Sep

- 09:00 – 09:30 Meeting with IRHA re Budget Submission on Diesel Fuel Rebate Scheme
- 10:00 – 11:00 Meeting with Officials on AGSB

- 12:00 – 13:00 Leaders Questions
  - 12:30 – 13:30 WEEKLY DIVISIONS
  - 17:00 – 17:48 Topical Issues
  - 18:00 – 20:30 President Higgins in Ennis
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