

Minister Humphreys Q4 2018 (01 October 2018 – 31 December 2018)

October 2018

1 Oct

11:00 – 12:00 Cherrywood Counselling Centre launch

2 Oct

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with Sec Gen

13:00 – 13:30 Budget briefing with officials

13:45 – 14:15 Pre-Brief for IRHA Meeting

14:00 – 14:30 Meeting IRHA Budget Submission on Diesel Fuel Rebate Scheme

14:30 – 15:00 Briefing for meeting With Bank CEO's

15:02 – 15:47 Minister on Rota for Taoiseach's Questions

16:00 – 16:30 Meeting with the CEOs of the 3 big banks (AIB, BOI and Ulster)

17:00 – 17:15 Minister to meet with Jane Howard CEO and Elizabeth Arnett Head of Corporate Affairs, Ulster Bank

19:00 – 20:30 Official Launch of County Meath Chamber

3 Oct

10:15 – 10:25 Pre- Brief Enterprise Forum on Brexit and Global Challenges

10:30 – 12:30 Coordination Group on Brexit

12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions

14:30 – 17:00 Enterprise Forum on Brexit and Global Challenges

16:00 – 17:30 Minister to be briefed by officials for DBEI 2019 Budget

17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

4 Oct

Minister to travel to Innsbruck, Austria for Informal Trade Council

5 Oct

Minister to attend Informal Trade Council

6 Oct

19:00 – 23:30 FG Presidential Dinner

7 Oct

12:00 – 13:30 Official Opening of Killyconnan Sports Ground

8 Oct

10:30 – 11:00 Launch of Mental Health Awareness Week

9 Oct

08:15 – 09:15 Minister to be briefed by officials on DBEI 2019 Budget

09:30 – 12:30 Government Meeting

12:00 – 12:45 Special Meeting of Parliamentary Party

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with Sec Gen

13:00 – 21:00 Budget 2019 Statements

16:30 – 17:00 Brexit Press Conference

17:30 – 17:45 Video for Dept. Budget Key Points

20:05 – 20:35 Minister to do Budget Interview with Northern Sound Radio

21:00 – 21:30 SOS

After 21:30 Financial Resolutions

10 Oct

10:00 – 11:30 Ministers to be briefed by officials for DBEI Post Budget Press Conference

11:30 – 12:18 Leaders Questions

14:00 – 14:45 DBEI Budget Press Conference

17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

19:35 – 20:30 Minister to speak for 5 minutes on Budget 2019

11 Oct

11:30 – 12:30 Minister to do interview with Jack Horgan Jones

14:30 – 15:00 Minister to be briefed by officials on Motion regarding Merger Thresholds

12 Oct

09:30 – 10:15 Minister to attend Center Parcs Recruitment Day

10:00 – 18:30 Taoiseach Visiting Constituency

16:30 – 17:30 Cross Border Childcare Project

13 Oct – 14 Oct

15 Oct

14:15 – 15:15 Bike Green Launch

16 Oct

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with Sec Gen

16:00 – 16:30 Minister to attend Joint Oireachtas Committee

17:30 – 18:30 Minister to attend Reception for outgoing Chair of CLRG

18:15 – 18:45 Martina Fitzgerald's Book Launch

17 Oct

08:30 – 08:45 FG Photocall for President Higgins

09:00 – 10:00 Enterprise Irelands International Markets Week

10:15 – 10:30 Pre-briefing for Meeting with Christine Heffernan, Director of Corporate Affairs, Tesco.

10:30 – 11:00 Meeting with Christine Heffernan, Director of Corporate Affairs, Tesco.

11:15 – 11:30 Photocall with Mazars

12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions

13:45 – 14:00 Pre-Briefing for Meeting with Regional APJ Chairs

14:00 – 16:00 Meeting with the Regional Chairpersons APJ

16:15 – 17:30 Briefing for Oral PQ's

17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

18 Oct

10:30 – 12:00 Dept. Oral PQ's

12:47 – 13:30 Voting block

16:00 – 17:00 Minister to attend Monaghan LEO National Women's Enterprise Day 2018

18:30 – 19:30 Minister to officially open Cavan LEO National Women's Enterprise Day 2018

19 Oct

07:30 – 09:00 InterTrade Ireland Breakfast Event

09:00 – 12:30 Getting Ireland Brexit Ready Event

18:00 – 18:30 Launch Cavan County Council Peace IV Action Plan

20 Oct

21 Oct

12:30 – 14:00 The Week in Politics

22 Oct

09:45 – 10:15 Joe Finnegan Interview

23 Oct

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with Sec Gen

15:02 – 15:32 Postponed Division (Vote)

24 Oct

08:15 – 09:00	IAASA Brexit event (Dublin)
10:30 – 11:00	Bimonthly meetings with Julie Sinnamon EI
12:00 – 12:32	Leaders Questions
14:30 – 16:00	Ministerial Management Board Meeting
16:30 – 17:00	FG PP Meeting
19:00 – 21:30	Minister Attending Investec Dinner

25 Oct

09:00 – 11:00	Getting Ireland Brexit Ready Event
11:45 – 12:30	Minister to be briefed by officials re budgetary matters
12:47 – 13:30	Voting block
14:15 – 14:45	Minister to be briefed by officials for EI/IDA Trade Mission
15:45 – 17:15	Minister meeting IDA and Dept. Officials regarding IDA Regional Property Programme
18:00 – 20:00	Chevalier/Légion D'Honneur Awards & Cocktail Reception

26 Oct

10:30 – 11:30	Opening of ASD Unit Scoil Naomh Brid
13:00 – 15:30	Prize Day at Monaghan Collegiate School

27 Oct – 28 Oct

29 Oct – 30 Oct

31 Oct

All Day	EI/IDA Trade Mission to Hong Kong and China
06:15 – 06:45	Interview with Newstalk on Trade Mission
11:00 – End of Day	Minister to travel to Hong Kong

November 2018

1 Nov

All Day EI/IDA Trade Mission

2 Nov

All Day EI/IDA Trade Mission

3 Nov – 4 Nov

All Day EI/IDA Trade Mission

5 Nov

All Day EI/IDA Trade Mission

6 Nov

All Day EI/IDA Trade Mission

7 Nov

07:30 EI/IDA Trade Mission
01:00 – 06:15 Minister returns from Hong Kong and China
12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions
17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

8 Nov

11:30 – 12:30 Minister to be briefed by Officials on Second Stage of PIAB Bill
12:47 – 13:30 Voting block
14:00 – 16:00 Minister to take Second Stage of PIAB Bill

16:15 – 16:45	Minister to be briefed by officials on Cabinet Committee A, Re: Future Jobs
17:00 – 17:30	FG Video
20:00 – 22:00	Carrickmacross/Castleblayney FG District Convention

9 Nov

08:45 – 09:00	Local Link Photocall
10:15 – 10:30	Photocall at Local Link new office
10:30 – 11:30	Official Launch of new services at Clones Courthouse
12:15 – 12:30	Photocall at Clones bus stop

10 Nov

09:15 – 10:15	Connaught-Ulster Session of the European Youth Parliament Ireland
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11 Nov

10:30 – 14:00	Minister to attend Remembrance Day Celebrations
17:15 – 20:15	Presidential Inauguration - Departure for Dublin Castle from Govt. Buildings
21:00 – 23:00	Presidential Inauguration Reception

12 Nov

09:30 – 10:30	Minister to speak at Business Event, Kingscourt, Co. Cavan
11:00 – 11:45	Minister to visit Wright Build Modular Homes with Minister English
12:15 – 13:00	Minister to visit Silver Hill Foods to meet with Customers
13:30 – 14:00	Minister English to open Housing Project at Knockroe Glen
14:00 – 14:30	Minister English to open Housing Project at Drumbear Wood
17:30 – 19:00	Minister to attend Cabinet Committee A

13 Nov

08:45 – 09:45	Pre-Government Meeting
10:00 – 13:00	Government Meeting
13:30 – 13:45	Briefing with Dept officials on the Sector Brief Memo
14:30 – 15:00	Meeting with Professor Mark Ferguson SFI
15:00 – 16:00	Minister to be briefed by officials on Report Stage of Hall Marking (Amendment) Bill
18:05 – 20:00	Minister to take Report Stage of Hall Marking (Amendment) Bill

14 Nov

09:30 – 11:00	Government Meeting
09:30 – 11:00	Postponed - Meeting with Government Backbenchers
11:00 – 11:30	Briefing with officials on Copenhagen Report
12:00 – 12:32	Leaders Questions
13:15 – 13:45	Minister to be briefed by officials on LEEF
14:00 – 16:00	Minister to attend LEEF Meeting
16:45 – 17:00	Pre-brief for Meeting with Joe Healy re below cost selling
17:00 – 17:30	Meeting with Joe Healy, Damian McDonald, Paul Brophy and Elaine Farrell (IFA) re below cost selling
17:30 – 18:00	FG PP Meeting
20:30 – 22:00	Meeting of FG Ministers and Ministers of State with An Taoiseach

15 Nov

08:00 – 09:00	Minister to attend Sandyford Business District Group
09:45 – 10:00	Minister to do radio interview with Joe Finnegan
10:05 – 10:25	Photocall with Quarternion
10:45 – 11:00	Pre-brief for Meeting with Tom Parlon CIF
11:00 – 11:30	Meeting with Tom Parlon CIF
11:45 – 12:00	Irish Manufacturing Research Photocall
12:47 – 13:30	Voting block

14:00 – 14:15	Minister to meet John Farrelly and Chinese Delegation
14:15 – 14:45	Pre-brief for Meeting with Ms Bing Dai and Michelle Flanagan
14:30 – 15:00	Meeting with Ms Bing Dai and Michelle Flanagan
15:15 – 16:15	Minister to be briefed by Officials on ODCE Matters
19:00 – 22:00	Minister to attend Northern Ireland Drinks Industry Dinner

16 Nov

10:30 – 11:00	Launch of Internship Programme: Partnership between Cavan Institute and University of Pittsburgh
11:00 – 13:00	Minister to officiate at CMETB and LMETB Apprenticeship Graduation Ceremony
15:00 – 16:45	Entekra Monaghan Announcement
19:30 – 20:00	Ardfheis Opening Ceremony
19:30 – 23:30	FG Ard Fheis
21:30 – 22:30	Minister to attend Q&A with Taoiseach and Cabinet

17 Nov

09:00 – 18:00	Fine Gael Ardfheis
10:00 – 10:20	Gather for doorstep
10:20 – 10:35	Doorstep
11:00 – 11:15	Gather for Live TV Session
11:15 – 13:00	Live TV session with Speech
14:30 – 16:00	Northern Ireland session

18 Nov

19 Nov

09:50 – 10:30	Launch of the Future Neuro SFI Research Centre
11:00 – 11:30	Minister to speak at 2nd Global Asia Matters Summit Dublin
11:30 – 12:00	Meeting with Mr Yeend, Chef de Cabinet to WTO DG

15:00 – 16:00 Minister to officiate at Opening of Kingscourt Waste Treatment Plant

19:00 – 20:00 Minister to officiate Tidy Towns Regional Awards

20 Nov

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

12:30 – 13:00 Photograph of current & former female members of Dáil followed by lunch at 1pm

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting with Sec Gen

12:45 – 14:00 Fine Gael Vótáil100 Seminar

15:00 – 16:30 Minister to be briefed by officials on EU issues

15:02 – 15:47 Minister on Rota for Taoiseach's Questions

17:00 – 17:30 Minister to be briefed by officials on European Fund Investment Bill 2018

21 Nov

08:40 – 09:30 ISME Annual Conference

12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions

12:45 – 14:00 European Investment Fund Agreement Bill 2018 - All Stages

14:15 – 14:30 Pre-brief for Meeting with Ambassador of Mexico

14:30 – 15:00 Meeting with Ambassador of Mexico

15:15 – 15:30 Pre-brief for Meeting with Medtech

15:30 – 16:00 Meeting with Medtech Sinead Keogh

16:00 – 17:00 Minister to be briefed by Officials for Future Jobs Forum

17:15 – 17:45 Prerecord with Newstalk Belfast

17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

18:00 – 19:00 Meeting of FG Trustees

22 Nov

08:45 – 13:15 Future Jobs 2019 Summit

12:47 – 13:30	Voting block
14:00 – 14:30	Pre-brief Retail Consultation Forum
14:30 – 17:00	Retail Consultation Forum
17:25 – 17:40	Minister to do Interview with Drivetime

23 Nov

24 Nov

25 Nov

14:00 – 15:00	Minister to officially open event: Inside [CRAFT] Network and Craft Trail
15:30 – 16:30	Remembrance Day Ceremony

26 Nov

09:30 – 10:30	Minister to attend Energy in Poultry Event
13:00 – 13:30	Minister to officiate at the Official Opening of the newly refurbished Market House, Carrickmacross
20:00 – 22:00	Ballybay/Clones Convention

27 Nov

08:45 – 09:45	Pre-Government Meeting
10:00 – 13:00	Government Meeting
13:30 – 14:00	Minister to be briefed by officials on REDF
14:00 – 14:30	Minister to meet Minister Halligan
14:30 – 15:00	Photocall with Accela Leadership
15:00 – 15:15	Photocall with IDA client company INIT Innovations
15:15 – 15:45	Meeting with Sec Gen
15:45 – 16:30	Minister to meet Sec Gen and officials

19:00 – 21:00 Presentation of Teagasc Graduation Certs

28 Nov

10:30 – 12:00 Ministerial Management Board Meeting

11:30 – 11:45 Minister to do GIS Video

12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions

Minister to travel to Brussels for Competitiveness Council

29 Nov

Minister attending Competitiveness Council

18:50 – 19:30 Minister returns from Brussels

30 Nov

09:00 – 09:45 Breakfast Meeting Upper Shannon Erne Future Economy Project

11:00 – 11:30 Minister attending Launch of report by Breffni

13:00 – 14:00 Opening of new Astro Turf pitch

December 2018

1 Dec

2 Dec

3 Dec

06:30 – 06:45	Newstalk interview Gavin McLoughlin
09:00 – 10:30	REDF Announcement (Meath)
12:45 – 14:15	REDF Announcement (Monaghan)
16:00 – 16:30	Photocall: Launch of Northern & Western Regional Assembly

4 Dec

08:45 – 09:45	Pre-Government Meeting
10:00 – 13:00	Government Meeting
13:15 – 13:30	Interview with News at One
14:00 – 15:15	Briefing for Oral PQ's
15:58 – 17:28	Oral PQ's
17:30 – 18:15	Officials to brief Minister for Committee Stage of PIAB Bill
17:30 – 18:30	FYI Oireachtas Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony 2018
18:45 – 20:45	Minister to take Committee Stage of PIAB (Amendment) (No 2) Bill 2018

5 Dec

10:15 – 10:45	Minister to do video piece for DTIF Launch
10:30 – 12:30	Minister to be briefed for Supplementary Estimates
12:00 – 12:32	Leaders Questions

14:00 – 14:50	Minister to attend Select Committee consideration of Dept. Supplementary Estimates
15:10 – 15:50	Minister to be briefed by officials on DTIF
17:30 – 18:00	FG PP Meeting

6 Dec

08:30 – 08:40	Minister to meet Martin Shanahan
09:00 – 10:00	Minister to attend Launch of CRO go live ICT System Refresh
10:15 – 10:30	Minister to be pre-briefed by officials on meeting with Peter Clinch
10:30 – 11:30	Meeting with Peter Clinch
11:30 – 11:45	Photocall for Digital Transformation
11:45 – 12:15	Photocall MathWorks, Inc. (MathWorks)
12:00 – 12:30	Minister to participate in photocall opportunity with Ministers Creed, Donohoe, EIF and SBCI
12:47 – 13:30	Voting block
15:15 – 15:45	Final of the County Cavan Inter Secondary Schools debating competition
18:00 – 19:00	FYI Opening evening of Designer Crafts at the Market House/Fine Art Exhibition

7 Dec

10:00 – 11:00	Martina Fitzgerald's Book Signing (Monaghan)
14:30 – 16:00	Interview with Caroline Kealy for Border History Documentary
20:00 – 21:00	Minister to attend presentation of Ulster Medals to the double-winning County Minor Footballers

8 Dec

9 Dec

17:00 – 18:00 Christmas Choral Concert Cavan

10 Dec

11:15 – 12:30 Disruptive Technologies Fund Launch

15:45 – 17:45 Minister to respond to Sir John Major at Inaugural Albert Reynolds Memorial Address

11 Dec

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

14:30 – 15:00 Photocall for IPA Directory

15:15 – 15:45 Pre-briefing Committee Stage of European Investment Fund Agreement Bill 2018

16:00 – 18:00 Committee Stage of European Investment Fund Agreement Bill 2018

19:00 – 21:00 Minister to meet members of Joint Committee BEI

12 Dec

09:30 – 10:00 Pre-Briefing Brexit Coordination Group

10:00 – 12:00 Brexit Coordination Group

12:00 – 12:32 Leaders Questions

13:00 – 13:45 Minister to meet Iain Lees

14:20 – 14:30 Pre-Briefing with Officials for meeting with Musgraves

14:30 – 15:00 Meeting with Musgraves

15:00 – 15:15 Photocall with Minister Madigan - Business to Arts

15:30 – 16:30 Minister to visit Employment Permits Section

16:30 – 17:00 Minister to be briefed by officials for meeting with Grocery Importers/Retailers

17:00 – 17:15 Photocall with Network International Cargo

17:30 – 18:00 FG PP Meeting

13 Dec

08:40 – 09:00 Pre-briefing for the Enterprise Forum Meeting

09:00 – 10:30 Enterprise Forum Meeting

11:30 – 13:00 Getting Brexit Ready Grocery Importers/Retailers

13:15 – 13:30 Interview with Northern Sound

13:27 – 14:10 Voting block

14:15 – 14:30 Pre-Briefing with officials for Bord na Mona Meeting

14:30 – 15:30 Meeting concerning Bord na Mona decarbonisation restructuring

16:00 – 16:30 Minister to meet Sec Gen

17:00 – 17:30 Departmental Christmas drinks

18:30 – 23:00 Minister to attend Business & Finance Awards 2018 (Black Tie)

14 Dec

15 Dec – 16 Dec

17 Dec

18 Dec

08:45 – 09:45 Pre-Government Meeting

10:00 – 13:00 Government Meeting

15:05 – 15:15 Pre-briefing with officials for Ministers meeting with Ian Drennan

15:15 – 15:45	Minister to meet Ian Drennan
16:00 – 16:15	FYI Choir Coffee Dock Performance
16:00 – 16:15	Photocall to launch Customs Training Tool
16:15 – 16:35	Pre-brief with officials for meeting with Patrick Prendergast, Provost, TCD
16:30 – 17:00	Minister to meet Patrick Prendergast, Provost, TCD
17:00 – 18:00	Government Meeting to resume
19:20 – 19:22	Minister to take Report and Final Stages of European Investment Fund Agreement Bill 2018

19 Dec

09:00 – 09:45	Minister to meet with Dermot Divilly (Chair) and Conor O'Brien (CEO) PIAB
10:15 – 10:30	Pre-briefing for Meeting with Paul Clarke and Ken McGrath
10:30 – 11:30	Minister to meet Paul Clarke, EMCA and Ken Mc Grath, Ashley Environmental
11:15 – 12:00	Minister to meet Sec Gen
12:00 – 12:32	Leaders Questions
13:45 – 14:00	Interview with RTE
14:00 – 14:15	Gift Voucher Photo Call
14:30 – 15:30	Ministerial Management Board Meeting
16:30 – 16:45	Interview with Cormac McQuinn
17:45 – 18:15	Briefing for Ministers on contingency plan for no deal Brexit