

Minister Dillon Diary: July 2026

01-Jul

12.55 - 14.00	Coach Pick up and Registration Dublin Castle
14:00 - 16:30	Opening Ceremony Ireland's Presidency of the Council of the European Union
18:30 - 19:30	Statements on the EU Presidency

02-Jul

11.00 - 12.00	Retail Ireland Council Meeting
12.00 - 13.00	Leaders Questions & Questions on Promised Legislation

05-Jul

10.00 - 14.00	Arrival and Transfer to EPSCO Informal, Ballina
19.00 - 21.30	Cultural visit and reception at Foxford Woollen Mills

06-Jul

08.00 - 09.00	Media: Doorstep Interviews
09:00 - 10:30	Working Session (1a), EPSCO, Ballina
09:00 - 09:30	Bilateral with Ester Lynch
09:30 - 10:00	Bilateral with Peter Van Rooij
10:45 - 13:00	Working Session (1b), EPSCO, Ballina
19.00 - 21.30	Official Dinner, Mount Falcon Hotel

07-Jul

12:30 - 13:00	Post Cabinet Meeting
13.00 - 14.00	Diary Meeting
14.00 - 15.00	Leaders Questions & Questions on Promised Legislation
14.34 - 17.00	Dáil Votable

08-Jul

09:45 - 10:00	Topical Issue
12.00 - 13.00	Leaders Questions & Questions on Promised Legislation
13.00 - 14.00	Meeting with Dr Norah Patten regarding Spaceflight Research
15.00 - 16.00	Meeting with Ambassador of Japan, Mr. Miyagawa Manabu
16.00 - 23.00	Dáil Votable
23.10 - 23.40	Voting Block

11-Jul

18.00 - 19.00	Announcement of Gaelic Football UNESCO application
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14-Jul

12.30 - 13.30	IDA Meeting
12.30 - 12.45	Cost of Doing Business Advisory Report Photo
13.30 - 14.00	Diary Meeting
14.00 - 15.00	Leaders Questions & Questions on Promised Legislation
17.00 - 21.00	Bastille Day, Gardens of the Residence of France

15-Jul

14.00 - 15.00	Meeting with HSA CEO and Assistant CEO
15:00 - 22:30	Dáil Votable
21:57 - 22:27	Voting Block

16-Jul

11:00 - 12:00	SFA budget 2027 meeting
12.00 - 13.00	Leaders Questions & Questions on Promised Legislation
13:00 - 13:12	Motion - Electoral (Postal Voting)(Carers) Bill
14:00 - 15:30	Meeting with Yvonne White and Team

20-Jul

10:00 - 10:30	Westport House - Sod Turning
21:15 - 22:40	Flight to Heathrow Airport, Farnborough Trade Mission

21-Jul

07:00 - 07:45	Travel to Aviator Hotel
07:45 - 08:45	Ministerial Briefing
08.45 - 09.00	Travel to Farnborough International Airshow
09:00 - 09:50	Visit Enterprise Ireland at the "Ireland" Pavilion
10:00 - 10:30	Meeting with Senior Executives, Boeing
11:00 - 11:30	Meeting with Senior Executives, Airbus
12:00 - 12:30	Meeting with Senior Executives, Bombardier
12.45 - 14.00	Lunch with Clients led by Enterprise Ireland
14.30 - 15.15	Meeting with Senior Executives, Archer Aviation
15.30 - 15.50	Meet with European Space Agency
15.50 - 16.00	Photo Opportunities with Enterprise Ireland Clients
16.00 - 16.30	Networking Reception at "Ireland" Pavillion
16.45 - 17.30	Depart for London Heathrow Airport
19.35 - 20.55	Flight from Heathrow Airport to Dublin

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22-Jul

14.30 - 16.00	Meeting with Dermot Mulligan and Team
16.00 - 17.30	Meeting with John Newham and Team

24-Jul

10.00 - 10.15	Media: Interview with Radio Kerry
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