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PQ: 5492/19

**To ask the Minister for Health if pharmacies that have indicated their willingness to participate in termination of pregnancy services have now been authorised to dispense the relevant medications; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Louise O'Reilly.**

Dear Deputy O'Reilly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 5492/19), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The HSE has issued two circulars to pharmacy contractors on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018 and 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019 – copies attached.

As at 13 February 2019, 132 pharmacies have received Termination of Pregnancy Stock Order Forms from contracted GPs or designated centres and have been authorised to access Termination of Pregnancy products from Allphar.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kieran Healy', written over a horizontal line.

Kieran Healy  
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