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Re: PQ 30276/19

***To ask the Minister for Health if the ENT department at University Hospital Limerick has lost its accreditation for training of non consultant doctors in the speciality of ENT; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Michael Harty**

Dear Dr Harty,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I can confirm that training recognition was withdrawn for registrars in Otolaryngology at University Hospital Limerick following a visit by a member of the Surgical Advisory Committee in Otolaryngology on the 27th August 2014.

I trust this clarifies the position, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,



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