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PQ 32655/19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Clonakilty Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

PQ 32656/19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Skibbereen Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

PQ 32657-19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Dunmanway Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

PQ 32658-19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Skibbereen Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

PQ \* 32675/19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Kinsale Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

PQ \* 32676/19 \* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the upgrade of Castletownbere Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

Dear Deputy O' Mahony,

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

Clonakilty Community Hospital – A planning application was submitted to Cork County Council in November 2018 and Cork County Council requested further information on same. The requested information was returned and subsequently, further information was again requested by Cork County Council. A meeting was held between HSE South Estates representatives and Cork County Council and the subsequent additional information requested will be returned in the coming week. A decision is then expected on the planning application in the coming weeks. The project is currently progressing in line with the requirement to complete these works in advance of Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2022.

**Skibbereen Community Hospital** (St. Anne's) – Following a tender competition a contractor has been selected for these works and the contract is currently being put in place. Work is expected to commence on site in August 2019 and is scheduled to be completed in Q4 2020.



**Dunmanway Community Hospital** (St. Anthony's) – Construction is currently underway and the project is due to be complete in Q4 2019.

**Kinsale Community Hospital** – The planning application for the extension to the hospital was lodged with Cork County Council in early July. The project is currently progressing in line with the requirement to complete these works in advance of Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2022.

Castletownbere Community Hospital (St. Joseph's) – Following a tender competition a contractor has been selected for these works and the construction contract is currently being put in place. Work is expected to commence on site in August 2019 and is scheduled to be completed in Q4 2020.

Yours sincerely,

Jim Curran Head of Estates