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Mr. Brian Stanley T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
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Re: Parliamentary Question – 25436/19

To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons in counties Longford and Westmeath approved for home help and homecare hours; and the number of persons on the waiting list despite having already been approved for hours -Brian Stanley

Dear Deputy Stanley,

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 have examined the matter and wish to respond as follows:

Longford:

The number of clients in receipt of service is: 587. The number of care hours provided by HSE Home Care Support Assistants is: 12,507. The number of clients placed on the waiting list in May for hours is:9.

Westmeath:

The number of clients in receipt of service is: 711. The number of care hours provided by HSE Home Care Support Assistants is: 7,849. The number of clients placed on the waiting list in May for hours is: 39.

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Pat Bennett
Chief Officer CHO Area 8