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**Deputy Michael Moynihan,
Constituency Office,
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RE: PQ 34370/20

To ask the Minister for Health if funding is being provided to operate a facility (details supplied) in County Limerick; and if he will make a statement on the matter

St Gabriel's Respite House, Mungret, Co. Limerick.

Dear Deputy Moynihan,

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 the following outlines the position.

I can confirm that Minister Anne Rabbitte visited St. Gabriel's Respite House on Wednesday 28th October 2020 along with other local elected representatives. The Minister has stated that she would support St. Gabriel's application for funding and this would be a priority for her in Budget 2021.

I trust this clarifies the situation but should you require any further information or clarification in this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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