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PQ 59754/21* To ask the Minister for Health when it is expected that the promised phase of the Naas hospital development plan will be activated in accordance with the original projections; when it is expected the facility will be completed and opened; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Bernard J. Durkan

Dear Deputy Durkan,

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.


Approval to progress the appointment of the Design Team for the Day Procedures/Endoscopy, Oncology and Physical Therapy Unit at Naas General Hospital has been received.

The tender process is underway for a full design team (6 no. technical consultants) and is expected to conclude shortly. It is expected that the design team will be selected and appointed early in 2022.

All capital development proposals must progress through a number of approval stages, in line with the Public Spending Code, including detailed appraisal, planning, design and procurement before a firm timeline can be established.

Approval must be received for each individual stage to ensure that the proposal delivers value for money and remains affordable, and that sufficient funding is available to fund the project to completion, including equipping and commissioning costs.

Yours sincerely,



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