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Deputy Michael Fitzmaurice, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

PQ 59985/21 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons reliant daily on wheelchairs for living purposes in Dublin, Connacht, Leinster, Munster and Ulster, respectively in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

- Michael Fitzmaurice

Dear Deputy Fitzmaurice,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 59985/21) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The HSE is currently not in a position to provide you with the information requested on the number of persons reliant daily on wheelchairs for living purposes, as we do not collect data in the category requested.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

Seán McArt

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