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Deputy Aengus Ó Snodaigh Dáil Eireann, Dublin 2.

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To ask the Minister for Health if there is a delay with the release of funding to the Cherry Orchard primary care centre in order that they can provide much needed scooters.

- Aengus Ó Snodaigh TD

Dear Deputy Ó Snodaigh

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Funding for Aids and Appliances is managed via demand led schemes. A Resource Allocation Group meets each week to discuss items submitted for approval, and these are processed in line with available resources. This group includes clinical representatives from all disciplines, so that informed decisions are made regarding priorities for funding.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but if you have any queries or require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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