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**PQ 52124/21: To ask the Minister for Health if he will pursue an application for capital funding to the HSE for the construction of a new modular building at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ballina. -Dara Calleary**

Dear Deputy Calleary,

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.

A capital submission was made to the National Capital & Property Steering Committee on the 20<sup>th</sup> January 2021 for the “provision of replacement 30 bed (6 No. four bedded and 6 No. singles all with en-suites) modular building to house male patients from Ballina CNU”. This project is currently under consideration by the HSE’s Older Persons service and a meeting is being arranged with Community Healthcare West to review the submission.

Yours sincerely,

**Jim Curran**  
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