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Mr. Thomas Pringle TD  
Dáil Eireann  
Leinster House  
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Re: PQ ref 53294/21

*"To ask the Minister for Health the extent to which data was irretrievably lost by the HSE due to the recent cyber-attack; and if he will make a statement on the matter."*

Dear Deputy Pringle,

The cyber recovery process is ongoing, prioritising the restoration of clinical and operational services. There is no view, at this stage of any data which has been irretrievably lost by the HSE due to the cyber-attack.

If you feel that the question has not been fully answered or you require any further clarity, please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fran Thompson".

Fran Thompson,  
Interim Chief Information Officer, OoCIO, HSE.