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**PQ58735/21**

*To ask the Minister for Health the current working hours of the ambulance service based at Buncrana, County Donegal; when the new ambulance base will be fully operative; and the hours that will be worked. - Pádraig Mac Lochlainn*

Dear Deputy Mac Lochlainn,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) National Ambulance Service (NAS) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above submitted Parliamentary Question, which you submitted for response.

There is currently a deployment point in Buncrana, which is operational from 1000hrs – 1900hrs daily.

As part of the NAS estates portfolio we are finalising plans with HSE estates to secure a suitable premises that will be utilised as an ambulance deployment point in Buncrana which will be operational 12 hours per day.

I hope that this information is helpful.

Yours Sincerely,

William Merriman  
Deputy Director  
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