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Deputy David Cullinane Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin 2

## RE: Ref: 45296/21

RE: "To ask the Minister for Health the number of full-time staff by job title working in the orthopaedic department of Tullamore Regional Hospital; the number of staff vacancies by job title within this department; and if he will make a statement on the matter"

Dear Deputy,

Further to your recent correspondence regarding the above, I can advise that the Orthopaedic department at Midland Regional Hospital Tullamore delivers a regional service for both Orthopaedic elective and trauma activity.

As such many hospital departments including Nursing, Radiology, Laboratory, Outpatients, Physiotherapy, Audit staff and many others, support the Orthopaedic service within the hospital.

Currently Midland Regional Hospital Tullamore have:

- 6 WTE Orthopaedic Consultants with no vacancies in this speciality. One new post has been advertised.
- 3 WTE Specialist Registrars with no vacancies in this speciality
- 10 WTE Other Non-Consultant Hospital Doctor's with no vacancies in this speciality

\*WTE= Whole Time Equivalent

If I can provide any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Catriona McDonald

Catriona McDonald General Manager