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Mr Brian Stanley T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
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Re: Parliamentary Question – 4035/22

To ask the Minister for Health when side B of Abbeyleigh nursing unit will be brought back into use to accommodate the 18 intermediate acute care beds to be overseen by Portlaoise General Hospital. -Brian Stanley

Dear Deputy Stanley,

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. I have examined the matter and I outline the position as follows.

Side B of Abbeyleigh nursing unit will operate 18 intermediate acute care beds under the governance and management of the Dublin Midlands Hospital Group following the recruitment of a Consultant Community Geriatrician.

I trust the above is in order, please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Anne Kennedy
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