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**Re: PQ 51415/22 –  
Irish Sign Language Interpreters to assist deaf or hard-of-hearing patients**

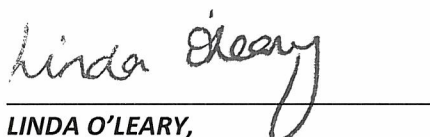
Dear Deputy Cullinane,

I refer to recent PQ with regard to the provision of Irish sign language Interpreters to assist deaf or hard-of-hearing patients attending WGH, which has been referred to me for direct response.

I wish to confirm that the services of HSE approved Interpreters and Translators are available, on request, to all patients attending WGH who require this service.

I trust that this information is helpful to you.

Yours sincerely,



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**LINDA O'LEARY,**  
**HOSPITAL MANAGER.**