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RE: To ask the Minister for Health the average waiting times for urgent and non-urgent patients at the symptomatic breast cancer clinic at University Hospital Galway; the number of patients on each list; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Seán Canney

Dear Deputy Canney,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply to you directly in the context of the request for information referenced above, the following outlines the situation.

- There are 1,652 patients on the Routine Waiting List since June 2021 to the present date.
- There are 295 patients on the Urgent Waiting List since February 2022 to the present date.

I trust this clarifies the matter.

Yours sincerely,

Chris Kane
General Manager
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