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**Deputy Michael Ring,** Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, **Kildare Street**, Dublin 2.

PQ 45667/22 – To ask the Minister for Health if the drug gammacore which is recommended by a consultant for the treatment of chronic and cluster headaches is being considered for approval; if not, if it will be considered; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

- Michael Ring

Dear Deputy Ring,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 45667/22) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I can advise that the HSE is not aware of the any drug or medication under the name 'Gammacore', as existing in the register maintained by the HPRA. As such, 'Gammacore' is not a drug that is under consideration.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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