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Ref: PQ 18947/23

09<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Deputy Paul Donnelly Dáil Eireann Dublin 2

**Dear Deputy Donnelly** 

I refer to your recent parliamentary question which has been forwarded to me for attention.

PQ 18947/23: To ask the Minister for Health the estimated full-year cost of recruiting two additional WTE senior dietitians in eating disorders for CHI Connolly.

## Children's Health Ireland (CHI) Response:

Children's Health Ireland (CHI) can advise that as per HSE calculator, based on the mid-point of the scale as of March 2023 (€63,691), the cost of recruiting two additional WTE senior dietitians in eating disorders would be €144,228 (€72,114 each).

For future reference, please note that information on the HSE pay scales is publically available and can be accessed via the link below.

https://healthservice.hse.ie/staff/pay/pay-scales/

Yours sincerely

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