



Mr Alan Dillon, TD,
Dail Eireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

7th March 2023

PQ 8467/23* To ask the Minister for Health if consideration will be given to use a facility (details supplied: Áras Attracta complex in Swinford, County Mayo.) as suitable accommodation for families or individuals; and if he will make a statement on the matter.
-Alan Dillon

Dear Deputy Dillon,

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.

The property known as the Áras Attracta complex in Swinford, County Mayo is currently in the ownership of the HSE. The Áras Attracta complex is partially utilized for the delivery of healthcare services.

I can confirm that some of the residential bungalows and other units on the Áras Attracta complex, are surplus to the needs of the HSE and were identified among a list of vacant properties shared with other relevant stakeholders, in the context of a response to the needs of the refugees from the war in the Ukraine.

HSE Capital and Estates have facilitated access to the campus to other parties involved in the provision of accommodation for families and individuals, including Mayo County Council. The HSE will continue to support and provide assistance in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Paul de Freine
National Director,
Capital & Estates

