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PQ1324/23 *“To ask the Minister for Health if consideration will be given to the publication of reimbursement levels, costs of procedures and hospital charges to enable patients to make informed decisions prior to seeking medical treatment abroad under the EU Cross Border Directive on Healthcare; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”*

Dear Deputy Burke,

Thank you for your parliamentary question referenced above, which has been forwarded to me for direct reply.

I am happy to confirm that since the provisions of the EU Directive 2011/24/EU came into legislation in Ireland the HSE has published the hospital charges, otherwise known as DRG codes and associated costs, on the HSE website. The full list of inpatient and day case reimbursement rates are available on the Cross Border Directive (CBD) webpage via the following link <https://www2.hse.ie/services/schemes-allowances/cross-border-directive/apply-for-repayment/>.

If you have any queries, or would like to discuss further, please do not hesitate to contact me on 0872668759 or via catherinet.donohoe@hse.ie.

Yours sincerely,

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