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Deputy Catherine Murphy
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“To ask the Minister for Health the number of GMS panels by town in County Kildare that are currently frozen; the duration of the freeze; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

Deputy Catherine Murphy

Dear Deputy Murphy,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for a response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Health Service Executive can confirm that there are currently four GP panels frozen in Kildare. One GP panel is frozen due to the Panel hitting the maximum panel size and three of the panels are frozen due to GP retirement. This allows recruitment to take place and to provide continuity of care to the patients.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but if you have any queries or require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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