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Deputy John Brady,

27 Main Street,

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Re: PQ 36741/23

To ask the Minister for Health to provide an update on a vacant building (details supplied: Rathclaren House, Dublin Road, Bray, Co Wicklow); to confirm what the plans are for this building; if there has been interest expressed in this building by another State body or if it has been deemed to be surplus to requirements and sold; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -John Brady

Dear Deputy Brady,

The Health Executive Service has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Bilateral engagement with Community Healthcare East and Wicklow County Council has resulted in a proposal to develop a Health and Wellbeing Hub for the Fassaroe/Little Bray area at this location involving a shared governance/management arrangement between HSE and Wicklow County Council.

Confirmation of funding to progress this proposal is awaited from Wicklow County Council.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Sadhbh Brangan, Area Business Manager, HSE Community Healthcare East.