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***Re: PQ 29390/23 – “To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth the number of assessment of need assessments that have been outsourced by the HSE to private providers in CHO6 in 2022 and 2023; the cost of same; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”***

Dear Deputy Naughten,

Thank you for your recent correspondence. The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the current position.

The following table details the number of Assessment of Need assessments that have been outsourced by the HSE to private providers in CHO6 in 2022 and 2023 and the cost of same:

Year	No. Assessments Outsourced	Cost
2022	28	€107,366.00
2023	34	€213,940.00

I trust that this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

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