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Deputy Darren O'Rourke
Dáil Éireann
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PQ 21278/23

To ask the Minister for Health the estimated full-year cost of recruiting 170 additional paramedics for the National Ambulance Service. -Darren O'Rourke

Dear Deputy O'Rourke,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) National Ambulance Service (NAS) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Questions, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The estimated full-year cost of recruiting 170 additional paramedics is set out in the table below.

Grade Code	Pay	Non Pay		Estimated Total
		Non-Pay Recurring	Non-Pay Once-Off	
6463	€11.654m	€1.825m	€0.803m	€14.282m
		€2.628m		

I trust the information provided is helpful.

Yours sincerely

Vincent Cronly
Director of Planning and Infrastructure
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