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RE: PQ 21826/23

"To ask the Minister for Health the number of vacant optometry and ophthalmology roles in primary care services in CHO2; and if he will make a statement on the matter"

Dear Deputy Naughten

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

Galway	No vacancies
Mayo	1WTE Consultant Ophthalmologist (permanent post) 1WTE Optometrist (temporary post)
Roscommon	1WTE Optometrist (Permanent) 0.5WTE Optometrist (temporary post)

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

Yours sincerely

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