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**RE: PQ 49169/23**

**"To ask the Minister for Health the number of dentists which left the dental treatment scheme, where they were providing dental care to medical card patients in counties Roscommon and Galway, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter"**

Dear Deputy

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.

I can confirm that since the DTSS was established, 18 dentists have left the scheme in Co Galway and 12 have left in Co Roscommon.

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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**Mary Warde**  
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