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PQ 44912/23* To ask the Minister for Health the measurements that are in place year-on-year to ensure the HSE becomes carbon neutral over the coming years. -Alan Kelly

Dear Deputy Kelly,

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. Due to the recent industrial action by management and administrative grade staff in Forsa union in the HSE, there were delays in the processing and answering of Parliamentary Questions. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

The HSE have developed its Infrastructure Decarbonisation Roadmap, which sets out the actions that are being progressed to achieve the Climate Action targets set out in the Governments Climate Action plan, which includes the aim of achieving an estate which is net carbon zero by 2050.

The HSE's Infrastructure Decarbonisation Roadmap is available for download at the link location provided below:

<https://www.hse.ie/eng/about/who/healthbusinessservices/national-health-sustainability-office/climate-change-and-health/hse-infrastructure-decarbonisation-roadmap.pdf>

Yours sincerely

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