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PQ 46829/23*To ask the Minister for Health to provide an update on the provision of a primary care centre in New Ross, County Wexford; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Verona Murphy

Dear Deputy Murphy,

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.

The proposed new Primary Care Centre in New Ross is being delivered by way of HSE Primary Care Centre Operational Lease Model. The preferred provider for the new centre in New Ross has indicated a potential issue regarding the economic viability of the project.

Subsequently, engagement has taken place on a “without prejudice” basis with the provider, in order to understand the nature and extent of same.

However should the preferred provider be unable to proceed the HSE will be exploring all options to deliver a new Primary Care Centre in the area.

Yours sincerely

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