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Re: PQ no: 38720/23 – St Luke's Hospital, Kilkenny

Dear Deputy Funchion,

I refer to the recent representation made to St Luke's Hospital, Kilkenny, which has been referred for direct response.

To ask the Minister for Health the number of vacant WTE staff, by job title, in the accident and emergency department at St. Luke's General Hospital, Kilkenny, as of 29 August 2023; and when each of these vacancies will be filled, in tabular form. -Kathleen Funchion

I have had this matter examined and am advised of the following:

Staff Grade	Vacancies	Proposed date to fill
Staff Nurse	1 WTE	30/09/2023
Staff Nurse	0.5 WTE	30/10/2023

I trust this information is helpful to you.

Yours sincerely


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