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Deputy Catherine Murphy TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

RE: PQ 38952/23 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE consultant ophthalmic surgeons attached to each hospital of the Dublin Midlands Hospital Group in the years of 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023, in tabular form

Dear Deputy Murphy

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

| Hosptial Name | 2021 | 2022 | To date 2023 |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Midland Regional | | | |
| Hospital Tullamore | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Midland Regional | | | |
| Hospital Portlaoise | 0.49WTE | 0.49 WTE | 0.49 WTE |
| Naas General Hospital | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| St James Hospital | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tallaght University | | | |
| Hospital | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.18 |
| | Sessional Commitment x | Sessional Commitment x | Sessional Commitment x |
| St Lukes Radiation | 1 Opthamic Surgeon | 1 Opthamic Surgeon | 1 Opthamic Surgeon |
| Oncology Network | from Eye & Ear Hospital | from Eye & Ear Hospital | from Eye & Ear Hospital |

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours Sincerely

Mr Trevor O' Callaghan Chief Executive Officer

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