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Ms Violet-Anne Wynne TD,
Dàil Eireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
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PQ 15472/24

To ask the Minister for Health to outline the progress of an application submitted for the €9.95 million upgrade of the theatre complex and sterile services department at Ennis Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Violet-Anne Wynne

Dear Deputy Wynne,

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.

A theatre upgrade was approved for Ennis Hospital as part of the HSE's Capital Programme for 2022. This development includes two new operating theatres and a new Central Sterile Services Department. The approved capital budget for this project is €9.95m and has received full planning permission.

It is envisaged that this project will be delivered in Q1 2026.

I trust this clarifies the position, please contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,



Ms Colette Cowan
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