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PQ 30959/24: To ask the Minister for Health the number and percentage of people with disabilities employed across his Department and bodies under the aegis of his Department in each of the years 2020 to 2023; the number and percentage of people with disabilities employed across his Department and bodies under the aegis of his Department in the corresponding timeframe that had full-time contracts; and the number and percentage of people with disabilities employed in his Department and bodies under the aegis of his Department in 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 that had part-time contracts, in tabular form. - Pauline Tully

Dear Deputy,

I refer to your recent Parliamentary Question which was sent to the HSE for response. The HSE conducted a survey of its workforce in each of the years 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023. In each case, respondents were asked if they had a disability as defined by the Disability Act 2005. The results were as follows:

YEAR	% of the HSE's Workforce who Reported a Disability	COMMENT
2020	16%	514 staff out of a survey sample of 3,212
2021	13%	1,508 staff out of a survey sample of 11,339
2022	13%	2,519 out of a survey sample of 19,700
2023	17%	1,735 staff out of a survey sample of 10,504

The HSE does not collate information in relation to the type of contracts that the employees in question hold, and unfortunately this information is not available.

I trust this clarifies and is of some assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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