Mr Jerry Buttimer, TD, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street Dublin 2

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PQ 2852/25* To ask the Minister for Health his views on the current status of the former HSE health centre and future plans for the building in Passage West, County Cork. -Jerry Buttimer

Dear Deputy Buttimer,

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 former health centre in Passage West, Co. Cork is surplus to HSE requirements and is on the HSE Property Disposal Register.

In line with the HSE Property Protocol and the Department of Public Expenditure, NDP Delivery and Reform Circular 11/15: Protocols for the Transfer and Sharing of State Property Assets, the former Health Centre has been appraised by Tailte Eireann and Cork County Council confirmed in September 2024 that they wished to acquire same.

The HSE were informed in January of this year that Cork County Council are awaiting Acquisition Approval from their Management Group in order to proceed with this process.

Yours sincerely

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