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Deputy Darren O'Rourke,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

Re: PQ 6832/25 - To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if there has been a change in the past three years in relation to transport entitlements for disability adult day services (Prosper); and if she will make a statement on the matter – Darren O'Rourke

Dear Deputy O'Rourke,

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. I have examined the matter and outlined the position as follows.

There has been no change to transport and Prosper Meath Services in the last three years. Historically, some transport was provided by Meath Disability Services, however there is no capacity on these routes at present.

Day Services do not have a separate budget for transport. That said, the HSE works collaboratively with providers to identify solutions in supporting service users access their Day Services.

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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