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Deputy John Connolly Dáil Eireann Kildare Street Dublin 2 28<sup>th</sup> July

PQ 37996/25

Ref: Clifden CNU

Dear Deputy Connolly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above representation (PQ 37966/25) which you submitted via the PAD system. I have linked with our local HSE Estates Department, and the following outlines the current position.

The completion of the tender documents are expected in October 2025. The procurement process for the main works contract is programmed to commence Q4 with the intent of been ready to appoint the main works contractor in Q1/2 2026.

Tree removal works and initial site clearance took place in February 2025 and a further enabling works contractor has been appointed to commence on August 12<sup>th</sup> 2025. These enabling works covers the provision of underground utility services diversion, provision of elements of new utility infrastructure that will support the construction of the proposed new build, replacement Community Nursing Unit (CNU) on the St Anne's site. This early phase of works is progressing in advance to prepare the existing, operational Older Persons Services to continue to function alongside the main CNU construction works. The enabling works also endeavors to minimise future disruption and is in the interest of health and safety.

I trust this answers your queries, and please contact us if there is any further issues.

Yours sincerely,

Ann Cosgrove, IHA Manager Galway Roscommon, HSE West and North West.