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Dáil Éireann,

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**“To ask the Minister for Health when the ground floor and first floor of the new Mallow General Hospital will be fully operational; the plans for the use of these two sections of the hospital; and if she will make a statement on the matter.”**

Dear Deputy Burke,

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 first floor is expected to be delivered by the end of the year from a building and Estates perspective.

The timeline for when the ward will be fully operational is dependent on approval for the staffing resource required and the recruitment and onboarding of same. There is no timeline for this yet as we are awaiting approval in relation to staffing.

The ground floor is expected to be phase 2 of this project and will be delivered in 2026.

If you have any questions on this, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours sincerely,

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