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Deputy Séan Fleming
Leinster House
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

Re: PQ 41244/25 – To ask the Minister for Health when facilities will be provided at a Health Centre (details supplied) and if she will make a statement on the matter.

Details supplied: A car parking area at the Clonaslee Health Centre, Co. Laois, the HSE has a substantial piece of land on the grounds on which the Health Centre is built and there is no facilities for cars to park here and all people attending the Health Centre have to park on the public road and elderly people having to cross a very busy road to get in and out of the Health Centre.

Dear Deputy Fleming,

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 outline the position as follows.

There is currently provision to park approx. 9 vehicles within the grounds of Clonaslee Health Centre. The HSE have reviewed the title on the lands surrounding Clonaslee Health Centre and can confirm that there is an opportunity to provide additional off-road parking to the side of the Health Centre. The HSE are currently working through the design for new car parking on this site. The construction of this additional parking is subject to funding, approvals (both internal and external) and is also conditional on a formal Licence being put in place between the HSE and the GP practice to not only enable the continued use of the HSE owned building by the GP practice but to protect the State's interest in its estate.

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

Yours sincerely,



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