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PQ 30052/25* To ask the Minister for Health for an update on the feasibility study for the proposed mother and baby unit at St Vincent's Hospital, scheduled to be completed in quarter one 2025. -Sorca Clarke

PQ 30051/25* To ask the Minister for Health for an update on the capital submission for the proposed mother and baby unit at St Vincent's Hospital. -Sorca Clarke

Dear Deputy Clarke,

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.

Consideration is being given to a proposal of a similar nature to what you have described as a Mother and Baby Perinatal Mental Health unit at St Vincent University Hospital.

A proposed brief is currently being developed, following which, site options for the Mother and Baby Perinatal Mental Health unit will be considered and a feasibility study progressed.

A capital submission will be made once the feasibility study is concluded.

Yours sincerely

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