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Deputy Cullinane Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

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RE PQ 32065/25

Question

To ask the Minister for Health if all public information notices are published and based on open competition to give all eligible competent suppliers, public and commercial, a transparent and fair opportunity to compete, in line with the standards set out in the National Public Procurement Framework, and the HSE's own procurement commitments, including the principles of openness, transparency, value for money, and equal access for all competent suppliers; and if she will make a statement on the matter. -David Cullinane

Response

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) 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 HSE publishes all its competitive tender requirements on www.etenders.gov.ie and depending on the nature of the contract will identify the most appropriate procurement procedure to be employed. These include open procedure, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system etc. all of which would be advertised on www.etenders.gov.ie to enable all interested suppliers to participate.

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact the Office of the National Director of Procurement on (01) 635 2251 or via ProcurementND@hse.ie.

Yours sincerely,

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