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Deputy Sherlock  
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**RE: PQ 24427-25 – “To ask the Minister for Health if a voluntary acute hospital (details supplied) carried out a review of services to align them with available funding in 2024; the outcome of any such review; which services, including patient services, were reduced to align with the available funding; the time period for such reduction in services applied; and if she will make a statement on the matter.” Details: Beaumont Hospital**

Dear Deputy Sherlock,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above representation, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The HSE undertakes regular engagement with all voluntary hospitals to review performance in line with available funding and delivery of service obligations. In relation to 2024, no reductions to services were implemented, especially regarding unscheduled care commitments and meeting HSE KPI targets.

See below Table 1 which is an activity summary of 2023 and 2024 for your information.

Table 1: Beaumont Hospital

Activity Type	YTD 2023	YTD 2024
ED New Attendances	60835	64509
Inpatient Discharges	26728	27821
Day Case (Excluding Dialysis)	73793	78042
OPD New	52506	56753
OPD Return	147550	156645

I trust this answers your question to your satisfaction.

Yours sincerely,

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