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Mr Padraig Rice TD  
Dáil Eireann  
Leinster House  
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**Re: PQ ref 26504/25**

***“To ask the Minister for Health if she is aware of concerns regarding the MedLis (Medical Laboratory Information System); the efforts being made to address these concerns; and if she will make a statement on the matter.”***

Dear Deputy Rice,

Given the size and scope of the MedLIS project, it is acknowledged that it has been both challenging and complex, involving numerous technical, operational and organisational hurdles. The scale of integration across multiple departments and laboratory disciplines has necessitated careful & coordination design and development throughout the implementation process. Despite these difficulties, feedback received from Beaumont Hospital has been overwhelmingly positive.

It is recognised that small number of discipline-specific workflows continue to present issues that require ongoing refinement. These challenges are being addressed through a collaborative partnership between the HSE, Oracle Health, Beaumont Hospital and other planned users of the system. All stakeholders are committed to continuous evaluation and optimisation of the MedLIS platform to ensure it not only meets current needs but also provides a robust and adaptable diagnostic laboratory platform

If you feel that the question has not been fully answered or you require any further clarity, please contact me.



Yours sincerely,

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