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PQ 56695/25*To ask the Minister for Health the amount that has been spent by her Department to conduct tendering processes for public infrastructure projects in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024; and if she will make a statement on the matter. -Eoghan Kenny

A number of clarifications were sought and provided from Deputy Kenny: *If the total project cost for tendering including DT fees, Construction Costs, and equipping can be provided for any public infrastructure project 2020-2024 that would suffice. I don't want the figures for any specific projects, instead a total for all capital projects during the timeline outlined, while I appreciate that this may take significant time, this is the information I am seeking to obtain*

Dear Deputy Kenny,

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.

As previously communicated during the clarification period, the tendering process is intrinsically linked to the design process and is not an independent body of work that is delivered.

The tender process is undertaken as part of the infrastructural development and is just one element of the service provided by Design Team members, it is not a cost which is itemized or billed separately. As such it is not possible to give a cost given that it is part of an overall service provided. However in line with the Capital Works Management Framework Design Team fees for the tender (stage 3) of the design process would typically be approximately 5% of the overall design fees.



In relation to your query related to the total project cost for capital projects please see Table 1 below which captures the total project cost for capital projects delivered from 2020 to 2024 as requested.

Table 1.

2020 (€m)	2021 (€m)	2022 (€m)	2023 (€m)	2024 (€m)
830	934	1050	904	1213

Please Note:

1. Figures given do not include ICT capital expenditure which is under the remit of HSE Technology & Transformation;
2. All figures given are rounded to the nearest million euro;
3. Figures are approximate and may in some limited cases include cashflowing of funding provided from sources other than the "Health Vote"/ NDP;

Yours sincerely

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