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Mr Ged Nash, T.D. Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question "To ask the Minister for Health if there are plans to extend the MRI service at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital to a seven-day service; and if she will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy Nash,

HSE Dublin and North East 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. Having reviewed the matter, the following outlines the position.

The MRI services in Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda operates Monday to Friday 8am to 8pm.

Urgent requirements outside of these times for MRI scans are provided through established clinical pathways with Model 4 Hospitals within HSE Dublin and North East.

There are no plans to extend the service at present.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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