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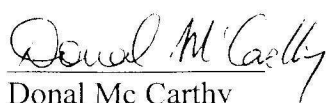
Further to Circulars 110/99 and 114/99, I am again directed by the Minister for Health and Children to refer to the recent agreement reached between employers and unions representing nurses in relation to their claims under the Programme for Competitiveness and Work and Partnership 2000.

The sanction of the Minister may now be assumed for the implementation of the following arrangement in respect of retired nurses:

Where adjustments have been made to salaries applicable to nursing grades in which people served before their retirement, those retired nurses are to benefit from these increases in accordance with standard parity criteria.

Your non-capital allocation has already been adjusted to take account of the cost involved. Any queries relating to this circular should be addressed to the Nursing Policy Division. Telephone number is (01) 6354056 / 6354057.

Your sincerely


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