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**To ask the Minister for Health if he can advise on a tender process (details supplied); and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Violet-Anne Wynne**

**Details supplied: Tender process involving a satellite Haemodialysis Unit at Ennis Hospital**

Dear Deputy Wynne,

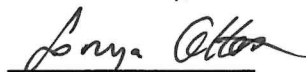
The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

We are planning to contract a satellite haemodialysis unit in Ennis which will serve patients from County Clare. We envisage that this unit will be similar to the satellite centre already in place on the Dock Road, Limerick.

The tender process for the Contracted Satellite Haemodialysis Unit is now complete. Our ambition was to award a contract in Q1 2024. However, given the size of the contract and the significant investment required this will now require funding and HSE Board approval before proceeding.

I trust this clarifies the position, please contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,



**Ms. Sonya Cotter**  
**Acting Chief Executive Officer**  
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