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Deputy Duncan Smith T.D., Dáil Eireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

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Dear Deputy Smith,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the following Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to this Department for response.

## To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons awaiting placement under the fair deal scheme as of 4 January 2024 in CHO7.

As of the 4<sup>th</sup> of January 2024 there were **69** Clients in the CHO7 area on the NHSS Placement list under the Fair Deal Scheme.

I hope this clarifies the position.

Yours sincerely,

Ultan Styres

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