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From the Chief Executive Officer

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Deputy Thomas Gould, T. D.
(via HSE PQ/REPDR system)

Re: To ask the Minister for Health whether paediatric staff in the Mercy University Hospital have been reallocated within the same hospital pending the move to CUH: When this will happen; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Gould,

I refer to your PQ in respect of the above and apologise for the delayed response.

Mercy University Hospital has been actively engaging and consulting with staff on the Paediatric Ward for some time. The TUPE (Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations) process began on the 16th January 2023 and is substantially completed. From 1st April 2024, CUH will be the employer of paediatric staff located in MUH in advance of the physical transfer of MUH paediatric service to CUH in June 2024. During this transition period from April to June 2024, all paediatric staff continue to work in MUH.

I trust this answers your query and please do not hesitate to contact the Office of the CEO should you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Anne Coyle
Chief Executive Officer

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