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PQ 3194/24* To ask the Minister for Health to detail the planned upgrades to Naas General Hospital, to include costings, timeframes for commencement of works and completion dates for works, working currently underway and timeframes for completion; the overall budget allocated for the planned works; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -James Lawless

Dear Deputy Lawless,

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. Due to the recent industrial action by management and administrative grade staff in Forsa union in the HSE, there were delays in the processing and answering of Parliamentary Questions. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Please find enclosed details of capital projects which are presently in development at Naas General Hospital (Appendix 1) as requested. The projects at Naas General Hospital are at an early stage of the design and planning process. Information on the project costings, timeline and scope will become clearer as the design process advances.

Yours sincerely

Brian O'Connell
Interim National Director
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Appendix 1 – Projects in development at Naas General Hospital

Project	Brief Project Description	Status
Acute Mental Health Unit	50 Bed Acute Mental Health Unit to replace the existing facility	In Design
Acute Medical Assessment Unit (AMAU)	Reconfiguration and refurbishment of existing space to provide 11 bed acute medical assessment unit	In Design