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PQ 31703/24* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the planned ambulance base in Recess in Connemara, which has already received planning permission; and if he will make a statement on the matter. - Éamon Ó Cuív

Dear Deputy Ó Cuív,

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.

The development of the former Health Centre in Recess, Connemara into an Ambulance Base is well underway. The refurbishment works will include fabric and energy upgrades to the building. The accommodation will include the provision of an office/radio room, kitchenette, universally accessible WC, locker/changing room, seating area, ancillary storage facilities and 2 parking bays for ambulances.

The preparation of tender documentation is well advanced, it is intended to tender these construction works in Q3 2024, works could commence on site in Q4 2024 with a 9 month programme.

Yours sincerely

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