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Deputy Willie O'Dea Houses of the Oireachtas Leinster House Dublin 2

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To ask the Minister for Health when the newly completed unit at St. Camillus Hospital will open to patients; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy O'Dea,

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. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

I can confirm that St. Camillus Community Nursing Unit (50 bed Unit) is currently completing works that were highlighted at a HIQA inspection on 11th December 2023. These works are almost at completion, however opening of the Unit is dependent on HIQA registration and funding approval for additional wte.

I trust this information is of assistance to you and should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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