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Paul Kehoe TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

Ref: PQ 41620/24

Re: Home Care

"To ask the Minister for Health if he will provide an up-to-date list of the number of people and the length of time they have been waiting for home care hours in Dublin west; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

-Paul Kehoe

Dear Deputy Kehoe,

I refer to the above Parliamentary Question which has been referred by the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth to the Health Service Executive for direct response. I requested that the Disability Referrals Team examine the matter and the following outlines the position.

The number of people who are currently waiting of home care hours in Dublin West: 21 service users (approx.)

The length of time they have been waiting for home care hours in Dublin west: this data is not currently collected by Disability services.

I trust this information is of use to you. If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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