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**Deputy David Cullinane** Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin 2

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PQ 35071/23 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of delayed transfers of care for each month for each year 2018-2023 to date, inclusive, at each location, in tabular form; the number of delayed discharges and the number as a percentage of all discharges; the number of bed days lost; and the number as a percentage of all bed days available for the period.

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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.

Business Information within the HSE comprises a central repository for activity information for Acute and Non Acute Services. This is known as the Business Information Unit (BIU). Extensive amounts of data are collected, collated, validated and analysed by this unit. This data is used in performance monitoring and measurement which influences the HSE in taking both operational and strategic decisions.

The information requested has been provided in the attached Excel file supplied by the Acute BIU. Please note the BIU have advised that they do not have figures on delayed discharges as a percentage of total discharges, or on bed days lost as a percentage of all bed days available for the period.

I trust this is of assistance to you.

ours sincerely

**General Manager Acute Operations** 

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|   |        | Bed    |        | Bed    |        | Bed    | 7.10   | Bed    |        | Bed    |       | Bed    |
|   | No of  | Days   | No of | Days   |
|   | Beds   | Lost   | Beds  | Lost   |
| National                                | 579    | 17,015 | 596    | 15,487 | 604    | 18,086 | 575    | 16,627 | 496    | 16,383 | 484   | 14,064 |
| Children's Health Ireland               | 6      | 161    | 5      | 144    | 6      | 162    | 6      | 164    | 6      | 183    | 9     | 233    |
| Dublin Midlands Hospital Group          | 133    | 3,941  | 146    | 3,677  | 127    | 4,378  | 120    | 3,619  | 110    | 3,429  | 113   | 3,397  |
| MRH Portlaoise                          | 6      | 237    | 7      | 208    | 5      | 226    | 11     | 242    | 6      | 235    | 5     | 156    |
| MRH Tullamore                           | 5      | 150    | 4      | 130    | 6      | 148    | 7      | 173    | 4      | 174    | 6     | 135    |
| Naas General Hospital                   | 14     | 409    | 14     | 370    | 11     | 392    | 10     | 312    | 11     | 268    | 9     | 349    |
| St. James's Hospital                    | 64     | 1,834  | 71     | 1,721  | 66     | 2,237  | 59     | 1,720  | 51     | 1,666  | 60    | 1,664  |
| St. Luke's Radiation Oncology Network   | -      | 9      | 1      | 29     | -      | 22     | -      | 8      | -      | -      | 1     | 22     |
| Tallaght University Hospital            | 44     | 1,302  | 49     | 1,219  | 39     | 1,353  | 33     | 1,164  | 38     | 1,086  | 32    | 1,071  |
| Ireland East Hospital Group             | 169    | 4,971  | 153    | 4,164  | 157    | 4,320  | 156    | 4,165  | 126    | 4,274  | 129   | 3,575  |
| Mater Misericordiae University Hospital | 49     | 1,243  | 45     | 1,177  | 57     | 1,358  | 55     | 1,360  | 40     | 1,420  | 38    | 1,135  |
| MRH Mullingar                           | 2      | 17     | -      | 12     | -      | -      |        |        | -      | -      | -     | 4      |
| National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh   | 2      | 138    | 4      | 77     | 1      | 56     | -      | 46     | 1      | 11     | -     | 43     |
| National Rehabilitation Hospital        | 18     | 570    | 18     | 535    | 15     | 579    | 13     | 440    | 9      | 360    | 14    | 401    |
| Our Lady's Hospital Navan               | 4      | 261    | 4      | 132    | 2      | 115    | 2      | 65     | 1      | 83     | 2     | 39     |
| St. Columcille's Hospital               | 3      | 67     | 5      |        | 5      | 165    | 5      | 121    | 5      | 162    | 4     | 122    |
| St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny    | 11     | 333    | 10     |        | 12     | 313    | 9      | 338    | 11     | 362    | 10    | 229    |
| St. Michael's Hospital                  | 22     | 574    | 13     | 555    | 10     | 337    | 16     | 410    | 11     | 396    | 11    | 328    |
| St. Vincent's University Hospital       | 50     | 1,465  | 47     | 1,120  | 51     | 1,332  | 47     | 1,222  | 42     | 1,308  | 39    | 1,156  |
| Wexford General Hospital                | 8      | 303    | 7      | 205    | 4      | 65     | 9      | 163    | 6      | 172    | 11    | 118    |
| RCSI Hospitals Group                    | 55     | 1,990  | 54     |        | 66     | 1,732  | 75     | 2,125  | 54     | 2,058  | 27    | 1,051  |
| Beaumont Hospital                       | 21     | 673    | 12     |        | 24     | 430    | 29     | 704    | 17     | 692    | 16    | 578    |
| Cavan General Hospital                  | 5      | 105    | 6      |        | 2      | 87     | -      | 126    | 2      | 89     | 2     | 95     |
| Connolly Hospital                       | 8      | 220    | 7      | 208    |        | 268    | 14     | 409    | 8      | 323    | 6     | 210    |
| Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital            | 21     | 992    | 29     | 651    | 28     | 947    | 32     | 886    | 27     | 954    | 3     | 168    |
| Saolta University Health Care Group     | 63     | 2,087  | 66     |        |        | 2,546  | 85     | 2,466  | 66     | 2,249  | 71    | 2,033  |
| Galway University Hospitals             | 19     | 517    | 24     |        |        | 1,050  | 32     | 834    | 24     | 879    | 23    | 697    |
| Letterkenny University Hospital         | 18     | 593    | 16     |        | 25     | 540    | 17     | 592    | 19     | 406    | 21    | 556    |
| Mayo University Hospital                | 8      | 326    | 10     |        | 12     | 340    | 13     | 353    | 7      | 387    | 11    | 340    |
| Portiuncula University Hospital         | 5      | 215    | 6      |        | 5      | 185    | 6      | 170    | 3      | 138    | 4     | 102    |
| Roscommon University Hospital           | 2      | 68     | 2      |        |        | 109    | 4      | 181    | 3      | 100    | 3     | 101    |
| Sligo University Hospital               | 11     | 368    | 8      | 261    | 6      | 322    | 13     | 336    | 10     | 339    | 9     | 237    |

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|  |        | Bed   |
|  | No of  | Days  |
|  | Beds   | Lost  |
| South/South West Hospital Group              | 118    | 3,164 | 136    | 3,643 | 150    | 4,216 | 109    | 3,577 | 111    | 3,520 | 113    | 3,143 |
| Bantry General Hospital                      | 5      | 109   | 3      | 148   | 3      | 110   | 5      | 103   | 5      | 99    | 7      | 138   |
| Cork University Hospital                     | 47     | 1,060 | 53     | 1,355 | 69     | 1,680 | 41     | 1,629 | 46     | 1,359 | 43     | 1,285 |
| Mallow General Hospital                      | -      | 9     | -      | 28    | -      | -     | -      | -     | -      | -     | -      | 2     |
| Mercy University Hospital                    | 21     | 524   | 16     | 536   | 22     | 617   | 17     | 591   | 23     | 702   | 17     | 623   |
| South Infirmary Victoria University Hospital | 2      | 89    | 5      | 89    | 4      | 146   | 3      | 130   | 3      | 113   | 1      | 89    |
| Tipperary University Hospital                | 6      | 172   | 7      | 212   | 11     | 151   | 7      | 138   | 5      | 140   | 9      | 183   |
| UH Kerry                                     | 14     | 504   | 16     | 386   | 15     | 568   | 16     | 447   | 10     | 540   | 20     | 418   |
| UH Waterford                                 | 23     | 697   | 36     | 889   | 26     | 944   | 20     | 539   | 19     | 567   | 16     | 405   |
| UL Hospitals Group                           | 35     | 701   | 36     | 701   | 20     | 732   | 24     | 511   | 23     | 670   | 22     | 632   |
| Ennis Hospital                               | 5      | 72    | 1      | 28    | 3      | 122   | 2      | 24    | 2      | 76    | 2      | 7′    |
| Nenagh Hospital                              | 3      | 102   | 3      | 92    | 3      | 84    | 1      | 90    | 4      | 115   | 5      | 135   |
| St. John's Hospital Limerick                 | 2      | 72    | 1      | 61    | 4      | 83    | 1      | 41    | 1      | 102   | 3      | 107   |
| UH Limerick                                  | 25     | 455   | 31     | 520   | 10     | 443   | 20     | 356   | 16     | 377   | 12     | 319   |