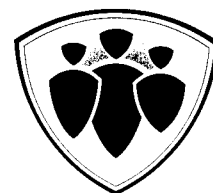


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A Chara,

Is mian liom a chur in iúl duit go dtionólfar an céad chruinniú eile den Bhord san **Óstán West County, Inis, Co. an Chláir** ar an **Aoine, an 8ú lá de Mhárta, 2002** ag **11.00 r.n.** Tá an chlár thíosluaite.

I wish to inform you that the next meeting of the Board will be held in the **West County Hotel, Ennis, Co. Clare** on **Friday, 8th March, 2002** at **11.00 a.m.** The agenda is set out below.

Please arrange to attend.

Le dea mhéin,

S. de Búrca
PRÍOMH OIFIGEACH FEIDHMEACHÁIN

AGENDA

1. **a.** Silent Prayer
- b.** Vote of Sympathy
- c.** Confirmation of Minutes of Meeting held on the
 8th February, 2002 (herewith)
2. Correspondence
3. Report of the Chief Executive Officer **[BUFF]**
4. Report of the CEO's Overview of Financial **[BLUE]**
 Results.
 (Report No. 17/02 herewith)
5. Report on the Waiting List Initiative **[YELLOW]**
 (Report No. 18/02 herewith)

6. Presentation to Expert Group on Radiotherapy Services – 26/2/02
(Report No. 19/02 herewith) [GREEN]
7. Report on Irish Psychiatric Services – Activities 2000 - Report by the Health Research Board
(Report No. 20/02 herewith) [PINK]
8. Report on Summary of Cancer in Ireland 1994-1998: Incidence, Mortality, Treatment and Survival – Report of the National Cancer Registry
(Report No. 21/02 herewith) [LILAC]
9. Report on the National Physical & Sensory Disability Database
(Report No. 22/02 herewith) [BUFF]
10. Proposed lease of property known as ‘Coffin House’ at Scariff Union Workhouse, Drewsboro, Scariff, Co. Clare – Health (Amendment)(No. 3) Act 1996
(Report No. 23/02 herewith) [WHITE]

11. **Questions:**

(a) Question submitted by Cllr/Dr. J. Hennessy:

“To ask if it would be possible to provide a designated room or some private facility in Nenagh Hospital where a Doctor or other Hospital Representative could talk to relatives of a seriously ill or deceased person, and where there might be a water dispenser or coffee making facility?”

(b) Questions submitted by Sen. J. Cregan:

“I would ask the Chief Executive Officer to outline the Ambulance response time to the following locations, Kilmallock, Kilfinane, Ballylanders, Galbally and Kilbehenny. In his opinion, are these response times satisfactory and will the CEO also indicate in his opinion that there is a need for a community based ambulance service to be set up in the South Eastern part of County Limerick?”

(c) Questions submitted by Cllr. Tim O'Malley:

“I wish to know how many temporary nurses are working for the Mid Western Health Board? How many of these nurses have been working for over a year? What is the policy of the Mid Western Health Board as regards appointing temporary nurses to permanent positions? How many permanent nurses have been appointed during the calendar year 2001?”

- (d)** *“What is the present procedure regarding the diabetic clinic? Is it possible that a person could be diagnosed by their G.P. as a diabetic and referred to the Regional Hospital? That the patient would have to wait approximately 3-4 months to see the Consultant in the Regional and in the meantime the G.P. refuses to put the patient on appropriate medication until they get the prescription back from the Consultant. Is this the present procedure and if it is are the Mid Western Health Board saying that it is appropriate that somebody diagnosed as a diabetic might have to wait three or four months without appropriate medication”?*

For Circulation/

Summary Report of Cancer in Ireland, 1994 to 1998 – Incidence, Mortality, Treatment and Survival.

Medical Council Guidelines - *Interim criteria for the approval for temporary registration of A&E Departments which are not under the direct supervision of a Consultant in Emergency Medicine January – June 2002.*