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Ms. Niamh Maguire,
Committee Secretariat,
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Leinster House,
Dublin 2.

Dear Niamh,

I refer to your recent correspondence dated 4th February from the Committee to Mr. Tony O'Brien, Director General regarding our attendance at the recent Public Accounts Committee meeting on the 16th January and a request for information to be supplied on an additional follow up issue that arose during the course of the Committee's examination.

Please find here under for the attention of the Committee the HSE response to the matter raised for follow up in your correspondence.

If any further information is required please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Ray Mitchell
Assistant National Director
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Public Accounts Committee
Meeting 16th January: Response to Follow up Issue

Additional Follow up Issue -

- 1. The names of the Section 38 organisation that claimed, in reply to audit queries, that they had the agreement of the Department of Health to pay higher rates of remuneration**

Response:

The agencies which confirmed to Internal Audit, in response to IA queries, that the DOH had given verbal approval in the 1990s to pay higher remuneration rates to CEOs are as follows:

1. Brothers of Charity – Roscommon
2. Brothers of Charity - Waterford
3. Brothers of Charity – Galway