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**From:** Patrick Fannin  
**Sent:** 25 March 2019 12:32  
**To:** Public Accounts Committee  
**Subject:** FW: Invitation to PAC

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**From:** Elaine ORourke [<mailto:elaine.orourke@nph.ie>]  
**Sent:** 21 March 2019 14:45  
**To:** Patrick Fannin  
**Subject:** Invitation to PAC

Dear Pat

Further to our call yesterday regarding a suitable date for the NPHDB to attend the Public Accounts Committee. We understand our attendance is related to the HSE commissioned PwC Independent Review currently underway.

We understand that PwC are currently targeting to complete their review on 5th April and their report will subsequently be issued to HSE and other relevant stakeholders for consideration. The NPHDB has not been informed when it will receive a copy of the PwC Report, however, it likely to be some time after the 5th April. The PwC Report will need to be reviewed and considered in detail by the NPH Board to formulate the Board's response. With the Easter break a meeting of the Board will not take place until the NPH May Board meeting on Wednesday the 1st May 2019. Accordingly we would believe it would be premature for the NPH to attend on the 18th April and respectfully request that the invitation to attend the Joint Oireachtas Committee is rescheduled for a suitable date in May.

NPHDB would like to invite the members to visit the construction site of the new children's hospital to hear more about the project and view the work to date, we would kindly ask that you progress this invite with the members? We of course can facilitate any time that suits the members but suggest next Wed/Thurs 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> March or 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> April.

With kind regards

Thanks

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