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Dear Assistant Chief Minister

Hospital Policy Development Board

On the 15th November 2018 you published the report from your Hospital Policy Development Board. In the Chairman's forward, it states:

Additional information received a little too late to be incorporated into the main body of the report suggests that on a like for like comparison an alternative site could be cheaper, if delay costs are not taken into consideration. The Board has not had the opportunity to consider these figures in detail. p2

We have set out several questions in relation to this paragraph, to which we would like a response:

1. What was the additional information received? Please provide the Panel with a copy of the additional information.
2. If delays are taken into consideration, what is the impact on the like for like comparison?
3. If the Board had not had an opportunity to consider these findings in detail, why was reference to it included in the Chairman's Forward?

On the 26th November 2018, it was reported in the JEP that you and two other members of your Board were taken to Plérin in Brittany to meet with a French architectural firm to look at alternative proposals to the current future hospital. We have set out several questions in relation to this trip, to which we would also like a response:

4. Who paid for you and your colleagues on the Board to travel to France for this trip?
5. How much did it cost to take you and your colleagues on this trip?
6. Why didn't you declare this trip in your report or in the Board's minutes, in the interests of transparency?

In accordance with the Scrutiny Engagement Code, we look forward to receiving your response within 5 working days from the date of this letter. We intend to place your response in the public domain.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Kevin Pamplin', written in a cursive style.

Deputy Kevin Pamplin

Chairman

Future Hospital Review Panel