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Good morning,

Here are our lines from the call:

China says faulty masks a 'contractual' matter that has been fixed

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- Our priority is making sure we get safe, effective equipment and supplies into the hands of front-line healthcare workers.
- We are working with established suppliers and distributors, as well as quality assurance experts, and we have strong processes in place to help ensure that the supplies we receive meet all necessary standards.
- In addition, PHAC has robust testing measures in place, and they are in place for the very purpose of ensuring quality control of these essential products before they go out to provinces and territories.
- As we receive test results, we are making adjustments to ensure that the supplies we receive meet Canada's standards.
- When supplies have been found to not meet these standards, we have acted quickly to ensure that replacement supplies are rolled out where they are needed most.

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