

## McKenna, Neil

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**From:** Kim, Sabrina  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 30, 2020 8:50 AM  
**To:** Krizus, Astrid  
**Cc:** Cesvet, Gabrielle; Den Tandt, Michael; Stickney, Matt  
**Subject:** RE: PM remarks tmrw - procurement

Not sure if you included but here is the final, confirmed text that could work from PSPC if you'd like:

"Over 30,000 gowns are coming off Canadian production lines, from companies like Calko Group and Canada Goose. As more and more companies who have retooled come online, we're expecting much more frequent deliveries from these suppliers and so many other Canadian companies that have stepped up to the plate."

No issues with mentioning Calko and Canada Goose, as they have been announced previously; we are confirming with Roudel and GC.

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Hello!

This is what I just got from PSPC aka they're still checking but I'd say their language is safe. Matt?

*I think the discomfort is just that companies need to be notified and there have been some issues (not PM specific) about companies reading about themselves without knowing they would be mentioned. This has happened in media responses where PSPC hasn't been consulted etc.*

*I've tasked Dept to reach out - thinking it'll look something like:*

*"over 30k gowns are coming off Canadian production lines from companies like (Calko) and (X). As more and more companies who have retooled come online, we're expecting much more frequent deliveries from both this supplier and so many other Canadian companies that have stepped up to the plate"*

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On Apr 29, 2020, at 8:22 PM, Krizus, Astrid <[Astrid.Krizus@pmo-cpm.gc.ca](mailto:Astrid.Krizus@pmo-cpm.gc.ca)> wrote:

Thanks, Sabrina. Adding Gabbie and MDT for awareness.

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Hi there – I am told from ISED that test kits aren't a safe bet for tmrw but we should be able to say the domestic gowns piece if you're interested. We will confirm the details but what I've written below should be good and Matt is supportive.

Thanks!

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**Subject:** PM remarks tmrw

Hi there – as discussed on the call, we're hoping to mention the three testing company LOIs & the 35k+ domestic supplier gowns coming off the line in the PM's remarks tmrw.

Can you please let us know what language you & your officials are comfortable with?

Perhaps for test kits – could say something like this:

- Launched the innovative solutions Canada challenge to identify best bets for rapid deployment in meeting Canada's testing needs
- Thanks to all of the companies who stepped up
- Challenge closed on April 20, issued three LOIs to testing companies yesterday, look forward to working with these companies to accelerate their work effectively

And for gowns – do you know why there appeared to be some discomfort on specifying the names of the domestic suppliers? If we're OK to name, could say something like this:

- 35k + gowns from Canada Goose and Calko are coming off the line this week
- Expect to see additional delivery increases from these suppliers & all the other great domestic suppliers who have stepped up the coming weeks

Let us know what could work.

Thanks so much!  
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