

Krizus, Astrid

From: Lamothe, Colleen
Sent: Monday, October 12, 2020 11:44 AM
To: Theis, Rick
Cc: Krizus, Astrid; Cormier, Dominic; Cormier, Janick; Lemkay, Kevin; Kim, Sabrina; Surkes, Marci
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: PM remarks for tomorrow

Hi Astrid,

The contract for the 7.6m BD is currently before the minister. If there is interest in including this in the announcement tomorrow we'll have to see if we can get Anand to look at it today. Please let me know.

Thanks,
Colleen

To ensure that we have as many resources available as possible, Health Canada has also authorized another rapid test, the BD Veritor. This is a handheld device that can process a test every 20 minutes. Canada has a contract for 7.6 million of these tests, including millions by the end of this year. We'll have more to say on the rollout soon.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 12, 2020, at 11:37 AM, Theis, Rick <Rick.Theis@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> wrote:

Hi Astrid. I have a note with HC about what we can say.

On Oct 12, 2020, at 11:30 AM, Krizus, Astrid <Astrid.Krizus@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> wrote:

Hi all,

Please find attached the PM remarks for tomorrow's presser. If everyone could please send me their comments as soon as possible, that would be great.

And if you have info on the following, please let me know:
Any update we can share on surge testing support for PTs?
Stats on applications for CRB?

Thanks,
Astrid

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