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From: Kim, Sabrina
Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 6:01 PM
To: Duchesneau, Olivier; Stickney, Matt
Cc: Kalles, Jonathan
Subject: RE: QC medical supplies delivery issue (now resolved)

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Hi there – looks like there are still challenges with a QC order getting to Canada. I think it may be the one we were discussing below but Stickney would be able to confirm.

It may be possible that their shipment can join one of our (Canada's) shipment flights this week if there is space.

And for background – HC & TC are working on a better distribution process for PPE deliveries. Given the urgency and some of the logistical challenges folks have been facing, we cannot be relying so heavily on scheduled flights anymore.

Options include potentially having charter arrangements so deliveries are all within our control with the goal of getting to a place where we can fill planes with Cdn orders (and if there is space, orders by p/ts too).

Merci. 😊

From: Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>
Sent: Friday, March 27, 2020 3:02 PM
To: Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>
Cc: Kim, Sabrina <Sabrina.Kim@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>
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On Mar 27, 2020, at 2:35 PM, Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> wrote:

Yes this is the 5M. Procurement and GAC are on it from my understanding. Senior officials on both seemed encouraged.

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On Mar 27, 2020, at 2:24 PM, Kim, Sabrina <Sabrina.Kim@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> wrote:

Sorry – should have been more clear. Adding Stickney in case I am incorrect.

We were on a medical equipment supplies call where someone said Quebec was expecting to receive an order from China that they had made for Personal Protective Equipment for their healthcare workers, which included N95 masks, but that they were having challenges getting their order delivered to them from China.

Quebec had reached out to the GoC asking for assistance.

Someone had provided reassurances on the call that GAC & PSPC were alive to this and worked with Quebec to get the delivery issue resolved so they could successfully get their shipment from China.

Just letting you know in case someone in QC reaches out to you saying thanks for the help!

And if they mention that they are still having challenges, GAC & PSPC should be able to provide insight / assistance.

From: Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

Sent: Friday, March 27, 2020 2:13 PM

To: Kim, Sabrina <Sabrina.Kim@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

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Are you talking about the issue with the 5M\$ to Surmeasure contractors? I'm not sure which problem you are talking about.

From: Kim, Sabrina <Sabrina.Kim@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

Sent: Friday, March 27, 2020 2:12 PM

To: Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

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Hi – you may already be aware but just in case – QC put in an order for N95 masks and other Personal Protective Equipment with China, and they were having problems getting the stuff physically shipped to them.

PSPC & GAC involved got involved, offered support to QC, and it looks like this has now been resolved. Just wanted to let ya know.

Sabrina

Sabrina Kim

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