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Hello!

This is what I've pulled together. Not sure if it's too late.

On the total PPE shipments—the number is always changing & certain numbers (i.e. 68 ventilators) seem pretty low. But the surgical mask & gowns numbers look good at least. Would maybe use the success stories rather than specific delivery numbers.

Thanks!

Flight Assistance:

- We have brought home twenty planes full of supplies, with flights coming in nearly every day this past week.
- Many of these planes have been filled with PPE that the QC government procured, which we have helped bring over.

Total PPE shipments to QC as of May 2 from HC:

453,999 N95s
5,131,700 surgical masks
47,600 gowns
1,801,350 pairs of gloves
25,000 face shields
68 Ventilators

Notable companies in QC who we have contracts with to produce supplies for Canadians:

Logistik Gowns:

- We recently signed a new contract with Logistik Unicorp, a manufacturer in Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Quebec. They provide Canadians with over 11 million medical gowns.
 - They already delivered 5,400 gowns to PHAC last week.

CAE — Domestic Ventilator production based out of Mtl:

- Headquartered in Montreal, Quebec, CAE is a world leader in the production of educational tools that help healthcare professionals deliver safe, high-quality medical care to patients.
- CAE has been working on a prototype respirator for some time, but when the COVID-19 crisis hit, they turned their attention to bringing this product to market.
- To do so, they partnered with the government and used NRC's services.
- This is a brand new respirator that represents new, innovative, Canadian intellectual property.

- Because of their existing capabilities, CAE is not only offering a respirator, but also the opportunity to train the people who will use it to save lives.
- During this process, the company expects to create and/or retain approximately 150 jobs.
- They will be producing thousands of ventilators over the coming weeks.

FR - Calko Group (Montreal, QC)

- Calko was founded sixty-two (62) years ago in Montreal.
- This company normally produces medical bandages.
- However, because of COVID-19, it decided to help Canadians by offering washable cloth masks.
- Today, the Calko Group is ramping up its efforts to produce masks, medical gowns and alternative protective clothing in its factories.
- Initially, it had manufacturing capacity, but did not have access to textiles to produce this gear.
- Calko worked with the Government of Canada.
- As a result of this collaboration, the company obtained Canadian fabric to make medical gowns. The company is able to speed up its production.

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