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Subject: AB PPE sharing

Hi there,

As you know, AB has very kindly shipped a lot of their PPE & equipment to BC, ON and QC.

Just a heads up (and I am not trying to cynically diminish the Premier's generosity!) that the ventilators that AB shipped to ON were ventilators that we had just shipped to AB from the fed stockpile. DPMO is aware and DM Fox said AB has been made aware of this and that they agreed that that was an inefficient exercise.

Officials had also asked AB if their portion of our newly received 500k 3M N95 masks could go to ON from the fed stockpile. AB said they wanted their share, and concurrently shipped N95s from their provincial stockpile to ON.

I only say this because an AB cabinet Minister retweeted a Calgary Herald article that said "Kenney just showed the country that federal intervention isn't necessary".

Premier Kenney also said in his presser yesterday that its great the country is coming together & sharing PPEs, and that he hopes we can come together on responsible resource development so that there is \$\$ that pays for world-class healthcare to get us through times like these. Excerpt below.

Q: Two of the provinces have been hostile to pipelines – is there any irony in that and are you maybe expecting payback for this gesture in the future?

A: Peoples' lives are at stake and we're going to look past disagreements to saving lives.

I obviously hope that our fellow Cdns will recognize that in this contribution, the generous role that Albertans have already played across the country. This is one practical expression of that.

We contribute 20b more than the rest of Canada than we get back. That helps to fund their hospital systems, healthcare systems etc.

I hope that one of the lessons to be learned from this crisis is that we are all in this together.

I hope there will be a renewed sense of national solidarity and I think part of that should mean that we're all in this together not only when it comes to a health emergency but also when it comes to generating wealth through the responsible development of resources so we can have the \$\$ that pays for world-class healthcare to get us through times like this.

Thanks 😊
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