

## Lockington, Elliott (SPAC/PSPC)

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**From:** Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Sent:** March 20, 2020 11:13 AM  
**To:** Murdock, Kelly (SPAC/PSPC); Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Cc:** Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Subject:** RE: Supporting the Government of Canada

Thanks Kelly! I will respond to Neelam and redirect them to buyandsell and ISI.

Madison

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**From:** Murdock, Kelly (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Sent:** March 19, 2020 18:59  
**To:** Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC) <[caitlin.mullan-boudreau@canada.ca](mailto:caitlin.mullan-boudreau@canada.ca)>; Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC) <[madison.taipalus@canada.ca](mailto:madison.taipalus@canada.ca)>  
**Cc:** Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC) <[leslie.church@canada.ca](mailto:leslie.church@canada.ca)>  
**Subject:** RE: Supporting the Government of Canada

This is one I would direct to the portal for the medical goods (although I'd be surprised if we went ahead with a buy. There are a lot of typos and red flags in the spreadsheet...).

In terms of building capacity for testing and introducing new technologies, they should be directed to ISI. They're leading the conversations about increasing Canadian capacity in biotech and therapeutics.

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**From:** Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Sent:** March 19, 2020 6:39 PM  
**To:** Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC) <[madison.taipalus@canada.ca](mailto:madison.taipalus@canada.ca)>  
**Cc:** Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC) <[leslie.church@canada.ca](mailto:leslie.church@canada.ca)>; Murdock, Kelly (SPAC/PSPC) <[kelly.murdock@canada.ca](mailto:kelly.murdock@canada.ca)>  
**Subject:** Re: Supporting the Government of Canada

Adding Kelly. Not sure if this request adds value, given the current demands on Ariannes team don't want to inundate them further.

CMB

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 19, 2020, at 6:06 PM, Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC) <[madison.taipalus@canada.ca](mailto:madison.taipalus@canada.ca)> wrote:

Dropping Neelam, adding Caitlin. Would you like me to summarize this for Arianne or her team? The attached document has a list of 38 products with their certificates, stock and daily capacity. They also have an app that can support Canadians who are seeking medical attention.

Let me know how I can support this request!

Madison

**From:** Neelam Brar [<mailto:neelam@impaxventures.com>]

**Sent:** March 19, 2020 13:29

**To:** Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC) <[madison.taipalus@canada.ca](mailto:madison.taipalus@canada.ca)>; Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC) <[leslie.church@canada.ca](mailto:leslie.church@canada.ca)>

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In addition to the supplies and tech support, I wanted to mention that we have a relationship with the first lab in the USA which is about to start shipping home testing kits. We can work with them to find a solution in Canada or work with the molecular labs in Canada to get a similar test up and running. Let's discuss.

On Thu, Mar 19, 2020 at 10:15 AM Neelam Brar <[neelam@impaxventures.com](mailto:neelam@impaxventures.com)> wrote:

Hi Madison and Leslie,

Great to meet you and ready to help! Please see attached. We have several factories in our network across Asia and the USA and a team on the ground in China looking for more factories so this list will grow. I am speaking to suppliers in other regions including USA, Mexico and India and can help find more products based on your needs. Please let me know if you have any questions.

On the technology side: We have an app that can be configured to help Canadians answer a few symptom questions, see a virtual doctor, be directed to a nearby testing site and then verify their test results on their phone for employers, border control and others to see to prevent spread. We can customize this for Canadian use.

Let me know!

Best,

Neelam Brar

On Thu, Mar 19, 2020 at 8:27 AM Taipalus, Madison (SPAC/PSPC) <[madison.taipalus@canada.ca](mailto:madison.taipalus@canada.ca)> wrote:

Hi Neelam,

Matt Stickney forwarded me your email in regards to your ability to provide products or equipment to the Government of Canada with our response to COVID-19. Below I have copied the email I sent to all the MPs in Western and Northern Canada.

*I am reaching out to share information with you regarding suppliers for goods and services related to the COVID-19 pandemic. In addition to leveraging existing sources of supply, PSPC is now proactively engaging industry to help meet Canada's needs.*

*Many of us are receiving information from potential suppliers or individuals with helpful information on the COVID-19 response. I invite you to direct suppliers that seek to provide products and services to this website: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/calling-all-suppliers-help-canada-combat-covid-19>. As this website will continue to be updated, please encourage suppliers to check back for new information that may be posted.*

*My department is reviewing the significant number of responses and identifying potential suppliers for the goods and services that may be required as the COVID-19 situation continues to evolve.*

Can you provide information about your capabilities and your products? I can also share with my team to discuss the best route forward.

Thank you!

**Madison Taipalus**

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