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Subject: FYI : Media response / Tier 1 - COVID-19: Cost of cargo flights for PPE / CBC

Hello,

Flagging that this response going out. Same response was given by the DM at committee - "for the cost of a flight, depending on the type of plane, the carrier and the load, you're looking at between \$600,000 to \$800,000 a flight. That just gives you a rough ballpark."

Thank you,
Cecely

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Subject: For MO approval : Media response / Tier 1 - COVID-19: Cost of cargo flights for PPE / CBC

Emily, Cecely and James (nice to virtually meet you),

For your approval please. [New info.](#)

Thank you,

Michèle

Media response

CBC

Burke, Ashley (CBC)

Date call received: April-29-20 at 13:40

Deadline: May-01-20 at 16:00

Tier 1 - COVID-19: Cost of cargo flights for PPE

CONTEXT (for your information): The reporter is interested in obtaining information related to the cost of cargo flights to transport Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to Canada.

QUESTIONS / RESPONSES:

Q1. How much money is the federal government paying airlines for cargo flights to transport PPE to Canada?

A1. We are working with Canadian airlines CargoJet and Air Canada to ensure that we get the life-

saving medical supplies needed in our fight against COVID-19 back to Canada as quickly as possible. Costs per flight, including flight and broker services, are generally between \$600,000 to \$800,000 and vary depending on the company, the cargo load, and the size of the aircraft. ~~and the availability at time of booking.~~ We are working with Canadian airlines CargoJet and Air Canada to ensure that we get the life-saving medical needed in our fight against COVID-19 back to Canada as quickly and efficiently as possible.