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**From:** Kusnick, Chelsea (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Sent:** May 6, 2020 9:16 AM  
**To:** Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Subject:** RE: Aldo wants to help

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**From:** Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC)  
**Sent:** May 6, 2020 12:33 AM  
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**Cc:** Kusnick, Chelsea (SPAC/PSPC) <chelsea.kusnick@canada.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: Aldo wants to help

Hi Caroline,

Thanks for the info.

Adding Chelsea from our office as she is helping me connect with suppliers.

### Anthony Laporte

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**Envoyé :** 4 mai 2020 13:31  
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**Objet :** Aldo wants to help

Hi Kelly and Anthony,

Aldo reached out, through our minister, to see how they can answer the government's call for help for PPE and others. They have:

- large networks and staff in China
- contacts to N95 producers
- manufacture washable shoes already used in hospitals, care centres, government agencies

They asked who they could talk to, to know what the government needs and how they can help on either providing contacts to their networks or become a direct supplier.

See email below.

Caro

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Jonathan Frankel <[jonathanfrankel@aldogroup.com](mailto:jonathanfrankel@aldogroup.com)> wrote:  
Hello Ms.Seguin,

My name is Jonathan Frankel and I manage the wholesale and private label division of the ALDO Group, based in Montreal.

Our CEO was in touch with Melanie Joly, who has provided your contact information. On cc is Tony Mambro, who runs our Globo Retail division (family footwear chain).

We were recently on a call discussing how we might be of assistance as an organization, to efforts in procuring footwear for hospitals, care centers, government agencies etc. ALDO Group has access to many factories where washable / rubber footwear is produced (typical to what many nurses wear while on duty). Depending on the government needs, we thought that we

If this would be of interest to you, maybe we could set up a phone call with Tony and I, properly introduce ALDO Group, understand your needs, and see how we might be of assistance?

We can have a call anytime on Friday or early next week if you like.

Best,  
Jonathan

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