

FW: Min Statement - to Global

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Bill, Michael – Carole was able to track down the statement that the Min gave to Global yesterday. See below and note ref to VTF.

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Hi,

As requested, please find below the Min statement provided to Global yesterday:

“Public Services and Procurement Canada is working on all possible fronts to deliver safe and effective treatments and vaccines to Canadians as quickly as possible. We are engaged with domestic and international suppliers while pursuing the same approach that we have employed throughout the pandemic with PPE generally: we are negotiating with suppliers on all possible fronts and diversifying our supply chains. Our work is informed by the Vaccine Task Force which is reviewing potential candidate vaccines. We owe it to Canadians to explore every promising option for vaccines and that is exactly what we will continue to do.”

Please do not hesitate should additional information be required.

Thank you.

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