

Dear Jeremy,

I hope you enjoyed a wonderful Easter together with your loved ones. It sure is a blessing to remember that Christ has risen and reigns eternal. While this holiday may look different for each of you, for my family and I it was a great reminder to put our hope and trust outside of ourselves, or any earthly kingdom.

There are a few items I wanted to bring to your attention that caught our attention this past month:

1. Update on Liberal Hunting Rifle Ban

Earlier this week, Minister Marco Mendicino announced the details of the mandatory purchase, or confiscation, of legally acquired firearms from law-abiding firearms retailers in Canada. Instead of spending tens of millions of taxpayer dollars purchasing this inventory, that money could be invested into securing our border and in police efforts to combat violent crime.

The Liberals' policies for violent criminals are not working. In the eight years since Justin Trudeau took office, violent crime has increased by 32%, and gang-related murders have doubled. In fact, the Government is making life easier for violent criminals by repealing mandatory minimum sentences for gun crimes with Bill C-5, and making it easier to get bail with Bill C-75.

As Conservatives, we will always support common-sense firearms policies that keep guns out of the hands of dangerous criminals. We will do what is necessary to keep violent criminals where they belong – behind bars. We will bring back serious sentences for repeat violent offenders, we will bring back bail rules that will ensure serious, repeat, violent offenders remain behind bars as they await trial, and we will crack down on border smuggling and stop the flow of illegal guns to criminals and gangs in Canada.

2. Bill C-11

Since Bill C-11 was introduced more than a year ago, I have heard from countless of you who are concerned with the power this bill will give the government to control what you see online. Unfortunately, after a year of Conservatives doing everything we could to fight the bill, the Liberals forced a vote, censoring debate on their censorship bill. This week, Bill C-11 passed through the Senate and was signed into law just last night.

The "freedom of thought, belief, opinion and expression, including freedom of the press and other media of communication," as laid out in our Charter of Rights and Freedoms has always been a cornerstone of our society. If the government were to censor Canadians, it would of course kill our ability to have meaningful discussions on things we disagree on and only further the partisan divide we see. While the passing of Bill C-11 is a setback, I can assure you that a Conservative Government will repeal Bill C-11 and restore free speech as a cornerstone to a flourishing democracy.



Click the image above to watch as I challenge the Liberals on their inconsistent rhetoric on C-11.

3. The Trudeau Foundation

In case you haven't already heard, the entire board, as well as the President and CEO of the Trudeau Foundation have recently resigned, claiming

politicization over a donation received in 2016 from a billionaire linked to the Chinese Communist Party. The Globe and Mail has **published a damaging allegation** against the conduct of the Foundation, including allegations that Alexandre Trudeau was involved in the arranging and acceptance of the donation itself.

We already knew that Beijing used donations to the Trudeau Foundation to try and influence Justin Trudeau, but the mass resignation of the Foundation Board because of this donation raises more questions. We need to investigate the Beijing-funded Trudeau Foundation, and find out who got paid and who got privilege and power from Justin Trudeau as a result of funding to the Trudeau Foundation. The evidence points to Alexandre Trudeau's direct involvement in arranging, signing and accepting this donation. Canadians should know what Alexandre promised his Beijing-backed donors in order to secure this donation.

Conservatives will support every avenue of investigation and use all tools available to get Canadians the truth. An open, independent public inquiry is the only way to credibly investigate Beijing's interference in our democracy and to uncover what and when the Trudeau Liberals knew about this foreign interference.



Click on the image above to watch my statement on the House about Trudeau Foundation Fiasco

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