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The CBC is doubling down after Tucker Carlson Tonight producer Gregg Re took the organization to town over their publishing a story about a Freedom Convoy donor's regret with more than a few holes in it.

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In a lengthy Twitter thread, Re questioned the legitimacy of the CBC's claims that a Freedom Convoy donor lost his life savings, regrets opposing Trudeau, and is being left out to dry by Freedom Convoy organizers.

Gregg Re @gregg_re

@CBCNews reports that a Freedom Convoy protester regrets challenging Trudeau's authority, lost his life savings, lives out of his SUV etc. [cbc.ca/news/canada/ot...](#) There are many serious factual errors in this piece that call into question CBC's ability to report news. 1/5

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Sketchy Claims

As Re noted, the CBC's article stated that Martin Anglehart was arrested and supported it with a picture that had nothing to do with an arrest. Instead, it was a picture of the 'offence notice' that protesters were handed from police that instructed them to leave the city.

CBC has since corrected their article with a new caption under the photo.

Re further challenges Anglehart's claim his bank account was frozen, which the CBC reported. Anglehart recorded a video where he calls his bank and claims his accounts are frozen, but the bank representative sounds confused and does not verify the claim.

"CBC reports that the man's bank account has been "frozen." Supposedly, the individual posted this video as proof, but it merely suggests e-transfers did not go through. The man feeds the line about accounts being "frozen." CBC repeats it," says Re.

Moreover, several from the Ottawa area have now come forward, alleging that Anglehart is a serial scammer with a lengthy track record of creating pitiful stories to garner sympathy and financial support.

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Second, CBC reports that the man's bank account has been "frozen." Supposedly, the individual posted this video as proof, but it merely suggests e-transfers did not go through. The man feeds the line about accounts being "frozen." CBC repeats it. [youtube.com/watch?v=OdsAbkK... 3/5](#)

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Third, numerous people in the Ottawa area have publicly accused this man of scamming them with false sob stories for money. See, eg. this post from Susan Lediett. 4/5:

Marie.
I hosted him for a night my friend hosted him for a week and nothing added up with him.
Scammed many with his false stories of being ex forces with ptsd and terminal cancer and... See More

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Of course, these claims remain anecdotal and unverified.

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Update: Have now obtained records of Anglehart's wire transfers. It appears CBC did not bother to check where Anglehart was sending his money, or request withdrawal receipts. They simply assumed it was going to accounts Anglehart did not control. CBC promising response today.

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The bank documents also show this individual is receiving welfare payments from multiple provinces at once. I have asked CBC if they inquired as to why this might be.

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Re's inquiries garnered significant attention from many Canadians and those in the press, forcing CBC to address the apparent inconsistencies of their reporting and respond to Re directly.

According to Re, "CBC News has responded. They are refusing to investigate the credibility of the man's claims further, saying, "The angle of this report is one man's personal story about the amount of money he spent on the protests." In other words, it's a story, what more can we do?"

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Update: @CBCNews has responded. They are refusing to investigate the credibility of the man's claims further, saying, "The angle of this report is one man's personal story about the amount of money he spent on the protests." In other words, it's a story, what more can we do?

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Full statement:

text messages that match outbound payments supporting the protests.

He also provided justification for inbound payments that appear on those records, including a receipt for freelance online work, which do not contradict his version of what happened. It is also clear in the article that the transfers occurred before the time when he said his account was frozen.

Our reporter reached out to Mr. Anglehart again to ask about the questions that have emerged since the story was published, regarding financial support received from other protesters. He specified that he received about \$2000 in cash from fellow convoy participants to help pay for his way home. The story has now been updated to reflect this.

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