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Yesterday at 8:34 AM

UNREAL-----CANADIAN BEEF..**FALSE**

THIS IS FROM LAKESIDE PACKERS XL MEATS WHO TOOK THE TIME TO WRITE THIS AND HE SIGNED THE STATEMENT INCLUDING HIS CONTACT INFO:

I'm sure those of you who aren't in the cattle business don't understand the issues here. But to those of us whose living depends on the cattle market, selling cattle, raising the best beef possible...This is frustrating.

This will keep us from ever stopping there again, even for a drink.

The original message is from the Alberta Cattle Feeders Association.

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As we navigate the COVID-19 pandemic, we are all working to source and sort through the information relevant to us, our industries, and our communities.

The Alberta Cattle Feeders' Association (ACFA) is working hard to provide our members and our publics with the most factual and timely information possible, we must, once again, reiterate that this post (see graphic) making its way around social media again is in NO way connected to, or supported by ACFA.

This hoax post is entirely untrue, as it was years ago when it was first posted on social media in the formerly unprecedented times of BSE.

In Canada, McDonald's sources 100% of its beef from Canadian beef producers (<https://www.mcdonalds.com/ca/en-ca/about-our-food/sourcing.html>) and is a vital partner who works closely with our industry on supply, sustainability, and quality.

However, as of April 28th, 2020, McDonald's Canada announced that due to unexpected COVID-19 impacts on the Canadian beef supply chain, they are TEMPORARILY adjusting their supply to incorporate beef from outside Canada.

McDonald's remains committed to sourcing 100% Canadian beef and the beef industry understands this temporary change is due only to current processing issues, knowing McDonald's did not make this decision lightly and will remain a strong partner in the future.

They continue to source as much beef as available from Canada and will return to 100% CA as soon as our supply chain returns to business as usual.

While the industry works to return to full capacity, we give exceptional thanks to the processors and the employees in the packing plants working so hard. Your efforts are appreciated as a vital part of the supply chain and we wish you the best as you work safely. Thank you to the processors for your quick adaptations and focus on employee health and food safety, and thank you to employees for your dedication to providing Canadians with safe and healthy food.

Alberta Cattle Feeders' Association

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