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Federal Labour Force Survey Numbers Reflect Dim Findings of CTA's Business Conditions Report



Federal data is supporting the Canadian Trucking Alliance's recent findings that, despite being an essential service, the trucking industry is far from immune to the economic shocks brought on by the COVID-19 crisis and that federal aid is required to provide much-needed relief to trucking companies.

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Dispatches Podcast Episode 4: Family Reunited

Heeeere's Johnny! - Jon braves leaving the house without perfect hair to finally join the 'cast; while Beghetto bangs the table – err, quite literally – for more COVID-19 trucking updates from the boys. Geoff and Lak take us for a spin across Canada economic reopening plans; while Steve gets real about relief measures and struggling carriers.



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CTA Welcomes CEWS Extension, but Urges More Support for Trucking



Prime Minister Justin Trudeau said today the emergency wage subsidy (CEWS) program is being extended past June to "help kickstart our economic reopening and boost jobs." Additional details are expected next week.

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COVID-19 Bulletin: May 8

CTA Issues Document on Guidelines to Reopening Provincial Economies; Transport Canada provides additional guidance on use of PPE for commercial vehicle drivers; TC Pilot Project to Test e-shipping Docs; Trucking industry under siege from cyber-attackers in wake of pandemic fears.

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Thank a Trucker! – Updated May 8

A synopsis of emails and social media messages being sent from the public to CTA, thanking our nation's truck drivers for their invaluable service during these difficult times.

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