

DATE: February 2, 2021

TO: Depot Network

RE: Baled, Out-of-Province Material

Attention depot operators and staff,

This notice is to inform you that we have had a report of a Depot being contacted and asked to purchase baled material. The individual identified himself as **Terrell** and contacted the Depot using a **Winnipeg, Manitoba phone number:** (204)229-2654. He tried to state that the material came from Northern Alberta, specifically the La Crete and Wood Buffalo areas. However, we believe this material is related to a recent CN Rail derailment in Manitoba in which several bales of aluminum were unaccounted for. You can see a picture of the material below.

We have contacted this individual to inform that they are in violation of Beverage Container Recycling Regulation and that the transportation of beverage containers into Alberta for the purpose of trying to pass them through a bottle depot is unlawful.

Should you receive contact from this individual or anyone trying to sell baled material, **do not accept it and contact BCMB immediately**. Acceptance of this material will be considered a direct contravention of the Beverage Container Recycling Regulation. Any Depots found to have accepted baled, out-of-province material will be subject to formal investigation and review.

If you have been contacted, please reach out to one of the BCMB's Investigations Officers:

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