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Progress of Bill C-77: An Act to amend the National Defence Act and to make related and consequential amendments to other Acts

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After losing infant son and leg in horrific crash, air force captain loses legal battle for compensation: Capt. Kimberly Fawcett lost both her son and her leg in tragic 2006 motor vehicle accident: (Kathleen Harris, CBC News · 24 Apr 2019)

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Hard Truths in Syria: America Can't Do More With Less, and It Shouldn't Try (Brett McGurk, Foreign Affairs magazine) https://www.foreignaffairs.com/articles/syria/2019-04-16/hard-truths-syria

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