



## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OTTAWA, Thursday, March 21, 2024  
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[English]

The Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Commerce and the Economy met this day at 11:29 a.m., in room W120, 1 Wellington St., the chair, the Honourable Pamela Wallin, presiding.

*Members of the committee present:* The Honourable Senators Bellemare, Deacon (*Nova Scotia*), Galvez, Gignac, Loffreda, Marshall, Massicotte, Petten, Ringuette, Wallin and Yussuff (11).

*Participating in the meeting:* Catlin Seibel-Kamél and Martine Willox, legislative clerks, Committees Directorate; Jérémie Spadafora, Communications Officer, Communications Directorate; Brett Howard and Adriane Yong, analysts, Library of Parliament.

Pursuant to the order of reference adopted by the Senate on Thursday, December 14, 2023, the committee continued its consideration of Bill C-34, An Act to amend the Investment Canada Act.

It was agreed that the committee proceed to clause-by-clause consideration of Bill C-34.

It was agreed that the title stand postponed.

It was agreed that clause 1, which contains the alternative title, stand postponed.

It was agreed that clause 2 carry.

It was agreed that clause 3 carry.

It was agreed that clause 4 carry.

It was agreed that clause 5 carry.

It was agreed that clause 6 carry.

It was agreed that clause 7 carry.

It was agreed that clause 8 carry.

It was agreed that clause 8.1 carry.

It was agreed that clause 9 carry.

It was agreed that clause 10 carry.

It was agreed that clause 11 carry.

It was agreed that clause 12 carry.

It was agreed that clause 13 carry.

It was agreed that clause 14 carry.

It was agreed that clause 15 carry.

It was agreed that clause 16 carry.

It was agreed that clause 17 carry.

It was agreed that clause 18 carry.

It was agreed that clause 19 carry.

It was agreed that clause 19.1 carry.

It was agreed that clause 20 carry.

It was agreed that clause 21 carry.

It was agreed that clause 22 carry.

It was agreed that clause 23 carry.

It was agreed that clause 1, which contains the alternative title, carry.

It was agreed that the title carry.

It was agreed that the bill carry.

The committee discussed observations.

It was agreed that observations be appended to the committee's report.

It was agreed that the Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure be empowered to approve the final version of the observations being appended to the report, taking into consideration the changes discussed in committee, and with any necessary editorial, grammatical or translation changes as required.

It was agreed that the chair report Bill C-34, without amendments and with observations to the Senate.

At 11:35 a.m., the committee adjourned to the call of the chair.

*ATTEST:*

Karine Déquier

*Clerk of the Committee*