

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OTTAWA, Tuesday, March 7, 2023 (45)

[English]

The Standing Senate Committee on Transport and Communications met this day at 9:01 a.m., in room B45, Senate of Canada Building, the chair, the Honourable Leo Housakos, presiding.

*Members of the committee present:* The Honourable Senators Cardozo, Clement, Cormier, Harder, P.C., Housakos, Manning and Patterson (*Nunavut*) (7).

Participating in the meeting: Khamla Heminthavong and Jed Chong, analysts, Library of Parliament.

Pursuant to the order of reference adopted by the Senate on Thursday, November 3, 2022, the committee continued its consideration of Bill S-242, An Act to amend the Radiocommunication Act.

WITNESSES:

Canadian Wireless Telecommunications Association:

Robert Ghiz, President and Chief Executive Officer;

Eric Smith, Senior Vice President.

As individuals:

Howell Bronwyn, Senior Lecturer, Victoria University of Wellington (by videoconference);

Georg Serentschy, Managing Partner, Serentschy Advisory Services GmbH (by videoconference).

Robert Ghiz made a statement and, together with Eric Smith, answered questions.

At 10:07 a.m., the committee suspended.

At 10:13 a.m., the committee resumed.

Howell Bronwyn and Georg Serentschy each made a statement and answered questions.

At 11:08 a.m., the committee adjourned to the call of the chair.

ATTEST:

Vincent Labrosse

Clerk of the Committee