



## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OTTAWA, Tuesday, February 13, 2024  
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[English]

The Standing Senate Committee on Fisheries and Oceans met in camera this day at 6:39 p.m., in room W110, 1 Wellington St., the chair, the Honourable Fabian Manning, presiding.

*Members of the committee present:* The Honourable Senators Ataullahjan, Busson, Cordy, Cuzner, Deacon (*Nova Scotia*), Duncan, Manning, McPhedran and Petten (9).

*Other senators present:* The Honourable Senator Aucoin (1).

*Participating in the meeting:* Daniele Lafrance, Analyst, Library of Parliament.

Pursuant to the order of reference adopted by the Senate on Tuesday, October 4, 2022, the committee continued its examination of Canada's seal populations and seal harvest.

Pursuant to rule 12-16(1)(d), the committee discussed in camera a draft report.

It was agreed that the committee allow the audio recording of today's in camera meeting, that one copy be kept with the clerk for consultation by committee members and/or staff, and that the copy be destroyed by the clerk when authorized to do so by the Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure, but no later than at the end of the parliamentary session.

At 7:58 p.m., the committee adjourned to the call of the chair.

*ATTEST:*

Sara Gajic

*Clerk of the Committee*