



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OTTAWA, Tuesday, February 24, 2026

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[English]

The Standing Committee on Rules, Procedures and the Rights of Parliament met this day at 9:30 a.m., in room B30, Senate of Canada Building, the chair, the Honourable Peter Harder, P.C., presiding.

Members of the committee present: The Honourable Senators Batters, Burey, Busson, Downe, Harder, P.C., Petitclerc, Ringuette, Surette, Wells (*Alberta*), Wells (*Newfoundland and Labrador*), White, Youance and Yussuff (13).

Participating in the meeting: Ericka Paajanen, Procedural Clerk, Committees Directorate; François Delisle and Erin Virgint, Analysts, Library of Parliament.

Pursuant to rule 12-7(2)(a), the committee continued its consideration of possible amendments to the Rules. (Topic: Membership of the Standing Committee on Ethics and Conflict of Interest for Senators)

The committee discussed a draft report.

It was agreed that a draft report, taking into consideration today's discussion, be produced for study at the committee's next meeting.

At 11:05 a.m., the committee discussed a draft agenda (future business).

At 11:18 a.m., the committee adjourned to the call of the chair.

ATTEST:

Céline Ethier

Clerk of the Committee