Good morning Mrs Chair, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Thank you for the opportunity, I would like to to thank NAMCCO for supporting our delegation to travel to beautiful Tromso,

I would like to thank also my two colleagues here to come and doing a presentation yesterday on Animal Welfare.

Nunavut relies heavily on marine mammals and we work with science and traditional knowledge. Food insecurity is great concern in Nunavut.

Canada is not part of Nammco and we are currently in election mode till April 2, 2025. We (NTI), will continue to push Canada to look into being member to Nammco.

Again we feel that we are in a friendly group and we participated in the workshop.

Thank you.