of lack of progress in other cases of recent international negotiations to conserve and protect the fisheries from which Canadian fishermen drew their living.

Pollution of rivers and lakes is increasing and continues to threaten the industry, more particularly it threatens the livelihood of inshore, fresh water and salmon fishermen. This should be of highest concern to several other federal departments and to other levels of government in Canada responsible for conserving our water resources.

Your Committee notes with interest the encouraging efforts of the Department towards the development of East Coast new fishery products. Above this expansion should be coupled with further research in marketing and utilizing salmon beach seine fishery. Further consideration should be given to the development of a fish meal industry.

Your Committee also noted the Canadian subsidized vessel has left Canadian waters and bringing its catch to Canadian docks, or refitting in Canadian yards; pointing to the fishing industry