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**Subject:** I do NOT support oil and gas exploration occurring within Sable Island National Park Reserve.  
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Dear Minister McKenna,

I am confused and extremely disappointed to learn that oil & gas exploration is being encouraged within a National Park Reserve. As an average Canadian citizen, I cannot comprehend how a designated Park Reserve could be subjected to the enormous environmental degradation that would surely come if such activity is actually allowed.

What is the point of designating National protected areas only to turn around and allow the very things from which they require protection? It defies logic! I do NOT support oil and gas exploration occurring within Sable Island National Park Reserve.

Please consider the potential consequences and take action to halt such activity, not only in Sable Island, but in any National Park Reserves and other ecologically sensitive areas that are protected for a reason. We Canadians understand that protected means exactly that, protected, and we rely on our elected officials to defend that status.

Sincerely,

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