



## INDICATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK

Twenty Fourth Session of the International Seabed Authority, Kingston, Jamaica, 2 July - 27 July 2018

<b>WEEK ONE</b>	<b>MON 2 JUL</b>		<b>TUE 3 JUL</b>		<b>WED 4 JUL</b>		<b>THU 5 JUL</b>		<b>FRI 6 JUL</b>	
10:00 am-1:00 pm	Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission	
3:00-6:00 pm	Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission		Legal & Technical Commission	
<b>WEEK TWO</b>	<b>MON 9 JUL</b>		<b>TUE 10 JUL</b>		<b>WED 11 JUL</b>		<b>THU 12 JUL</b>		<b>FRI 13 JUL</b>	
10:00 am-1:00 pm	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission / Finance Committee (Joint meeting)	
3:00-6:00 pm	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission	Finance Committee	Legal & Technical Commission / Finance Committee (Joint meeting)	



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<b>WEEK THREE</b>	<b>MON 16 JUL</b>	<b>TUE 17 JUL</b>	<b>WED 18 JUL</b>	<b>THU 19 JUL</b>	<b>FRI 20 JUL</b>
10:00 am-1:00 pm	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 1</u> Resuming of the session  <u>Item 2</u> Organization of work  <u>Item 6</u> Election to fill a vacancy on the Legal and Technical Commission in accordance with article 163, paragraph 7, of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (if any)  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations for exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p> <p><i>Financial Model</i></p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 8</u> Report of the Secretary-General on the status of national legislation relating to deep seabed mining and related matters, including a comparative study of existing national legislation  <u>Item 12</u> Report of the Chair of the Legal and Technical Commission on the work of the Commission at its twenty-fourth session</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 5</u> Report of the Secretary-General on the credentials of members of the Council  <u>Item 9</u> Consideration, with a view to approval, of applications for a plan of work for exploration, if any.  <u>Item 13</u> Report of the Finance Committee  <u>Item 14</u> Budget of the International Seabed Authority  <u>Item 15</u> Scale of assessment for contributions to the budget of the International Seabed Authority  <u>Item 16</u> Report of the Secretary-General on the election of members of the Legal and Technical Commission</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p>
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>	1:15 – 2:15 pm	1:15 – 2:15pm	1:15 – 2:15pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm
3:00 - 6:00 pm	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p> <p><i>Financial Model</i></p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area</p>	<p><b>COUNCIL</b>  <u>Item 11</u> Draft regulations on exploitation of mineral resources in the Area  <u>Item 18</u> Dates of the next session  <u>Item 19</u> Other matters</p>
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>	6:10 – 7:30 pm	6:10 – 7:30 pm	6:10 – 7:30 pm	6:10 – 7:30 pm	



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<b>WEEK FOUR</b>	<b>MON 23 JUL</b>	<b>TUE 24 JUL</b>	<b>WED 25 JUL</b>	<b>THU 26 JUL</b>	<b>FRI 27 JUL</b>
10:00 am-1:00 pm	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 1</u> Opening <u>Item 2</u> Adoption of agenda <u>Item 3</u> Election of President <u>Item 4</u> Election of Vice Presidents <u>Item 5</u> Appointment of Credentials Committee <u>Item 6</u> Consideration of requests for observer status <u>Item 7</u> Election to fill vacancies on the Finance Committee (if any) <u>Item 8</u> Report of the Secretary-General	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 8</u> Report of the Secretary-General	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 9</u> Consideration and adoption of the Strategic Plan	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 9</u> Consideration and adoption of the Strategic Plan	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 10</u> Report of the Finance Committee <u>Item 11</u> Adoption of the budget of the Authority <u>Item 12</u> Adoption of the scale of assessment <u>Item 14</u> Election to fill vacancies on the Council
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>	1:15 – 2:15pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm	1:15 – 2:15 pm
3:00 – 6:00 pm	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 8</u> Report of the Secretary-General	<b>Credentials Committee</b> <i>Conference Room 3</i> 2:00 – 2:50 pm <hr/> <b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 8</u> Report of the Secretary-General	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 9</u> Consideration and adoption of the Strategic Plan  <i>Secretary-General's Reception</i>	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 9</u> Consideration and adoption of the Strategic Plan <u>Item 16</u> Report of the President of the Council	<b>ASSEMBLY</b> <u>Item 13</u> Report of the Credentials Committee <u>Item 15</u> Date of the next session <u>Item 16</u> Other matters
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>	6:10 – 7:30 pm	6:10 – 7:30 pm		6:10 – 7:30 pm	

**Notes:**

1. Meetings of regional groups and interest groups may be scheduled by arrangement with the secretariat.
2. Information on side events will be circulated by the organizers of the relevant events.
3. This Indicative Programme of Work is indicative only and is subject to further changes.