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BANGLADESH

**President of the Council of
the International Seabed Authority**

15 April 2021

Excellencies,

I wish to refer to my letter dated 12 April 2021 concerning the election to fill the current vacancy on the Legal and Technical Commission.

Further to my letter dated 12 April 2021 placing the election of Mr. Hirsch (Argentine Republic) under silence procedure until 5 pm Jamaica time on 15 April 2021, it is my pleasure to convey that the silence procedure has concluded without objections.

Accordingly, Mr. Hirsch is considered elected by the Council of the International Seabed Authority to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mr. Maneiro (Argentine Republic) for the remainder of the term expiring on 31 December 2022.

In my capacity as President of the Council of the International Seabed Authority, I wish to congratulate Mr. Hirsch on his election.

The Council will take note of this decision at its first face-to-face meeting.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Rear Admiral (Retd.) Md. Khurshed Alam
President of the Council of the International Seabed Authority