



President of the Council of  
the International Seabed Authority

30 March 2021

Excellencies,

I wish to refer to my letter dated 22 March 2021 conveying the proposal to extend by one-year the term of office of the current members of the Legal and Technical Commission.

Further to my letter dated 22 March 2021 transmitting the Draft decision of the Council of the International Seabed Authority concerning the extension of the term of office of the current members of the Legal and Technical Commission and other related matters, as contained in the document ISBA/26/C/CRP.5, which was placed under silence procedure until 5 pm Jamaica time on 22 March 2021, it is my pleasure to convey that the silence procedure has concluded without objections.

Accordingly, the Draft decision of the Council of the International Seabed Authority concerning the extension of the term of office of the current members of the Legal and Technical Commission and other related matters, as contained in the document ISBA/26/C/CRP.5, is considered adopted by the Council of the International Seabed Authority.

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

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

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President of the Council of the International Seabed Authority