

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 27TH SESSION:
COUNCIL - PART II**

Informal Working Group -Environment

Please fill out one form for each textual proposal which your delegation(s) wish(es) to amend, add or delete.

1. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

China

2. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.

Regulation 5

3. Kindly provide the proposed amendments to the regulation or standard or guideline in the text box below, using the “track changes” function in Microsoft Word. Please only reproduce the parts of the text that are being amended or deleted.

none

4. Please indicate the rationale for the proposal. [150 word limit]

It is not clear which body the “competent authority” herein refers to in subparagraph 2 (b). If the competent authority is the Authority, it will lead to such a situation where the Authority submits application to itself, which is apparently inappropriate. It is suggested that the term “competent authority” be clarified. Otherwise, it could be deleted, and the application can be submitted directly by the Enterprise.