

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 27<sup>TH</sup> 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 and send to [council2022@isa.org.jm](mailto:council2022@isa.org.jm).

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

The Pew Charitable Trusts

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

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**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.**

- The facilitator’s proposed amendments are reflected in **red**.
  - Our proposed amendments are indicated as in-line edits in **blue**. Proposed deletions of text proposed by the facilitator appears in strikethrough and **bold**.
- b. Apply best endeavours to improve ~~Implement all applicable~~ Mitigation and management measures to ensure the effective protection of the Marine Environment from harmful effects ~~protect the Marine Environment~~, as set out in the relevant Standards and taking into account relevant Guidelines referred to in regulation 45; and
- c. Monitor compliance with, assess, and maintain the currency and adequacy of the Environmental Management and Monitoring Plan and Environmental Management System during the term of its exploitation contract including through management review under regulation 46, performance assessment under regulation 52, and with modification to the Plan of Work under regulation 57 where required in accordance ~~the relevant Standards with Best Available Scientific Evidence, Best Available Techniques and Best Environmental Practices and taking account of the relevant Guidelines~~

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

Proposed edits are intended to assist with clarity and provide cross references to relevant regulations.