

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

Informal Working Group – Inspection, Compliance and Enforcement

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.

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

The Russian Federation

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

DR98 (1)(f)

3. Kindly provide the proposed amendments to the regulation 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.

Seize any ~~document, article,~~ substance or any part or sample of such for examination or analysis that the Inspector may reasonably require, [such substance or sample should be transmitted to the Authority and preserved until Council decides how to examine it;](#)

Click or tap here to enter text.

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

We would prefer to treat documents and samples separately. It is not needed for inspection to seize any document. Besides some documents are required to be on board of a vessel.

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DR98 (1) (h)

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~~Require the Contractor to carry out such procedures in respect of any equipment used for or in connection with the Exploitation activities as may be deemed necessary by the Inspector, unless such procedures will unreasonably interfere with the Contractor’s operations; and~~

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Rights of inspectors should be further examined. The Council directs Contractors to carry out procedures, including by issuing recommendations to contractors following the inspection results.

Requirement to carry out a “procedure in respect of any equipment” on recommendation of inspectors would mean interference with normal operation, which could lead to unexpected consequences.

Further clarification is needed.

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DR 98 (1) (i)

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Upon written authorization from the Council, perform any other prescribed function of the Authority ~~as its representative~~.

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