## TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 27<sup>TH</sup> SESSION: COUNCIL - PART III

Please fill out one form for each textual proposal which your delegation(s) wish(es) to amend, add or delete and send to council@isa.org.jm.

1. Name of Working Group:

Committee of the Whole (President's Text)

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

International Cable Protection Committee ("ICPC")

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

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- 4. 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.
  - 16. <u>Suspected Contact</u> with submarine pipelines or cables.
- 5. Please indicate the rationale for the proposal. [150-word limit]

ICPC supports inclusion of the item 16 in the list of Notifiable Events as set forth in the President's Text, ISBA/27/C/WOW/CRP.1, with one clarification to indicate that a Contractor might not have definitive knowledge of contact with a submarine cable or pipeline.