

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 27TH 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:

IWG Institutional Matters

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

United Kingdom

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

DR58

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.

[6. The Secretary-General shall make publicly available the findings and recommendations resulting from a review of activities under this regulation in accordance with Regulation 92](#)

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

We agree that the findings and recommendations resulting from a review of activities under this regulation shall be made publicly available.

However, we note that the UK, Norway and USA, with provisional support from Canada, have submitted a proposal on ensuring ease of access by all Stakeholders to environmental documents, data and information regarding each contract through systematic publication on the Seabed Mining Register and ISA central data repository (which would include the documents referred to here in DR58). See [Microsoft Word - Joint submission Norway USA Canada UKTemplate Proposal DRAFT 92 and 92bis.docx \(isa.org.jm\)](#).

Should our proposed approach be adopted into the regulations, it may not be required to reference in every regulation in a piecemeal approach, that environmental documents, data and information need to be uploaded to the ISA website. If a piecemeal approach is retained in the regulation, we propose adding ‘**in accordance with Regulation 92**’.