

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 28<sup>TH</sup> SESSION:  
COUNCIL - PART I**

*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](mailto:council@isa.org.jm).*

- 1. Name of Working Group: Inspection, Compliance and Enforcement**
  
- 2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal: Australia**
  
- 3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.**

DR 99 (1) (e) – proposed amendments are in green text

- 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.**

1. If, as a result of an inspection, an Inspector has reasonable grounds to determine or anticipates that any occurrence, practice or condition endangers or may endanger the health or safety of any person or poses a threat of ~~Serious Harm~~ to the Marine Environment, including Underwater Cultural Heritage ~~or is otherwise in breach of the terms of its exploitation contract~~, the Inspector shall give any instruction of a temporary nature ~~he or she~~ considered reasonably necessary to remedy the situation, in accordance with the Standards, including::

(e) A written instruction prohibiting the Contractor from continuing or undertaking activities **for a specified period**.

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

A prohibition on the Contractor from continuing or undertaking activities issued by an Inspector should be a temporary measure only, pending further compliance action under DR 103.