



**Intervention #16 - Regulation 31 Reasonable regard for other activities [and infrastructure] in the Marine Environment - Delivered on 20/07/2023 by Sergio Cambrono**

Thank you Mr President,

On paragraph Alt. 1 - 1.bis, DOSI suggests the addition of scientific research as another example of ocean use and scientific equipment as an example of infrastructure. In this regard, oceanographic observation systems such as benthic or midwater moorings could be present and are important for collecting long-term environmental data. It is therefore important to coordinate these activities in order to avoid interference with the quality of data acquisition and the integrity of such equipment.

Thank you Mr President