TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 28TH SESSION: COUNCIL - PART II

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:

Informal Working Group on Inspection, Compliance and Enforcement

- 2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:
- **3.** Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers. Regulation 100bis: Contractor compliance report
- 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.

*Note: China's amendments are in Blue

The Secretary-General shall prepare an annual compliance report for each Contractor, which shall be made available in draft form [within thirty Days] for comment to the Contractor and the Sponsoring State [or States], before being reported to the Council and published in the Seabed Mining Register. [The Council shall invite the attention of the Assembly to cases of non-compliance in accordance with Article 162(2)(a) of the Convention.]

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

The content suggested for deletion overlaps with Regulation 103, paragraph 7bis. From the context, it is more appropriate to specify the relevant content in Regulation 103, paragraph 7bis.