

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS AFTER 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:** Institutional Matters
- 2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:** Federated States of Micronesia
- 3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.**

Draft exploitation regulation 11

- 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.**

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

Micronesia proposes the opening of brackets around references to relevant adjacent coastal States in paragraphs 1(a) and 2 of draft exploitation regulation 11. We do note ongoing work in cross-cutting manner on the issue of relevant adjacent coastal States by an intersessional working group, and we are ready to engage with proposals from that working group on draft exploitation regulation 11 if forthcoming.