TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 29TH 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.

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 100 Inspection Reports
- 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

1. No later than thirty days after the end of an inspection, the Inspector shall prepare and deliver a report to the Chief Inspector in accordance with the template and other requirements of the relevant Standards and in accordance with relevant Guideline setting out the findings and any recommendations for improvements in performance, procedures or practices by a Contractor. The Chief Inspector shall send the report to the Compliance Committee and the Secretary General, [who shall send a copy of the report to the Contractor and its sponsoring State or States]. [The Compliance Committee shall ask the Secretary General to send a copy of the report to any relevant coastal State or flag State, the Contractor and sponsoring State or States and, if appropriate, the relevant adjacent coastal State or States and the flag State and to publish a copy of the report in the Seabed Mining Register, excluding confidential information.]

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

In order to improve efficiency, Inspector can directly send the report to the Compliance Committee and the Secretary General.