

**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:

IWG Inspections

2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

Russian Federation

3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.

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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.

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1. ~~No later~~During~~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~~applicable Standards and in accordance with ~~relevant~~applicable Guidelines 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~~].~~

2. The ~~[~~Compliance Committee shall transmit inspector’s report to the Council [subject to the confidentiality requirements]and shall pursuant to regulation [96 bis paragraph 6], in their annual report to the Council include details on the findings and recommendations [of the Compliance Committee] following the inspections conducted in the prior Calendar Year and shall make any recommendations to the Council on any enforcement action to be taken by the Council under these regulations and an exploitation contract. Taking account of any regulatory action taken by the sponsoring State or States or corrective actions taken by a contractor to address the findings or recommendations.

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

The mechanism of the Inspections is still under discussions.