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**Twenty-ninth session** Kingston, 29 July – 2 August 2024

## Provisional agenda of the Assembly

- 1. Opening of the session.
- 2. Adoption of the agenda.
- 3. Election of the President.
- 4. Election of the Vice-Presidents.
- 5. Appointment of the Credentials Committee.
- 6. Consideration of requests for observer status in accordance with rule 82, paragraph 1 (e) of the rules of procedure of the Assembly.
- Election to fill a vacancy on the Finance Committee, in accordance with section 9, paragraph 5, of the annex to the Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 (the "Convention"), if any.
- 8. Annual report of the Secretary-General under article 166, paragraph 4, of the Convention.
- 9. Report on the review of the high-level action plan for the extended period 2019-2025 for alignment with the extension of the strategic plan of the Authority for the period 2019–2025.
- 10. Fifth edition of the Secretary-General's Award for Excellence in Deep-Sea Research.
- 11. Periodic review of the international regime of the Area pursuant to article 154 of the Convention.
- 12. Report of the interim Director General of the Enterprise.
- 13. Report and recommendations of the Finance Committee.
- 14. Adoption of the budget of the International Seabed Authority.<sup>1</sup>
- 15. Adoption of the scale of assessment for the contributions to the budget of the International Seabed Authority.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> To be taken up following consideration by the Finance Committee and the Council.

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- 16. Proposal for a General Policy of the Authority for the Protection and Preservation of the Marine Environment.
- 17. Statement by the President of the Council on the work of the Council during the twenty-ninth session.
- 18. Report of the Credentials Committee.
- 19. Election of the Secretary-General, in accordance with article 166, paragraph 2, of the Convention.<sup>3</sup>
- 20. Election to fill the vacancies on the Council, in accordance with article 161, paragraph 3, of the Convention.
- 21. Dates of the next session of the Assembly.
- 22. Other matters.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> From a list of candidates for election submitted by the Council.