

**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(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

Russian Federation

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

Reg. 25

3. 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.

1. At least 12 months prior to the proposed commencement of production in a Mining Area, the Contractor shall provide to the Secretary-General a Feasibility Study prepared in accordance with ~~[Annex X] and Good Industry Practice, and the applicable Standard,~~ and taking into ~~consideration~~ account applicable Guidelines [as well as the results of the Test Mining study pursuant to Regulation [48 ~~ter bis~~], paragraph 2 or 3, as applicable, and in accordance with Annex [IV ~~ter~~]. and the Secretary General shall submit this matter to the Commission. If the Commission considers that any Material Change needs to be made to the Plan of Work, the Contractor shall prepare and submit to the ~~Commission [through the Secretary-General]~~ Authority a revised Plan of Work accordingly.

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