

**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. 29

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. Notwithstanding Regulation 28, a Contractor may temporarily reduce or suspend production but shall notify in writing the Secretary-General and the Sponsoring State thereof ~~and provide the rationale for such a reduction or suspension~~ [as soon as practicable no later than 14 Days from the date of the reduction or suspension. thereafter]. Such reduction or suspension may be for a period of up to 12 months.

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