

**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:** Australia

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

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- 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.**

Consideration and approval of Plans of Work

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3. ~~bisAlt.~~ The Council shall, when approving a Plan of Work, request the Secretary-General to ensure that the contract to be concluded incorporates all conditions outlined in the draft Plan of Work and the accompanying plans, as well as any additional conditions requested by the Commission or the Council.

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

Australia proposes amending ‘3alt’ to ‘3bis’. Paragraphs 3 and 3 bis envision two different scenarios – disapproval of a Plan of Work, and conditions to be included in the exploitation contract if the Plan of Work is approved. These are not mutually exclusive and should both be included.