

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 29TH SESSION:
COUNCIL - PART II**

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.fm.

1. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal: Federated States of Micronesia

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

Draft exploitation regulation 37(4)

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.

4. [In the case of specific training on Mitigation and the prevention of pollution from the Area, participation of representative of the adjacent coastal State should be ensured.]

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

Paragraph 4 of DR 37 is currently marked for deletion in the consolidated draft text. However, as the issue of referring to adjacent coastal States remains an open one under active discussion by the ISA Council, the FSM proposes to retain the paragraph, even if just in brackets, pending the conclusion of that discussion.