TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 30TH 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:

Norway

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

Draft Regulation 45

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.

Delete Regulation 45

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

In order to streamline the regulations, Norway proposes to incorporate the Standards from DR45 into DR94 which deals with Standards. This eliminates the overlap and possible inconsistencies between the two Regulations, as well as consolidating all regulations regarding the development of standards into one Regulation. Please see amendments to DR94.