

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 30<sup>TH</sup> 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.im](mailto:council@isa.org.im).

**1. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:**

Russian Federation

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

Reg. 1

**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.**

~~4.3. Terms and phrases used in these Regulations are defined for the purposes of these Regulations and the applicable Standards and Guidelines in the Schedule.~~

~~5. [Subject to paragraph 1 and 3 the Schedule, terms used in these Regulations shall have the same meaning as in other rules, regulations and procedures of the Authority.]~~

~~6. These Regulations are accompanied by Standards and Guidelines, as referred to in these Regulations and the Annexes thereto, as well as by further rules, regulations and procedures of the Authority.~~

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~~{alt 1. including regional environmental management plans, [and conservation and management measures]}~~  
~~{alt 2. (6.bis) These Regulations are further complemented by Regional Environmental Management Plans.}~~

~~8. These Regulations are subject to the provisions of the Convention and the Agreement [and other rules of international law not incompatible with the Convention].~~

~~9. These Regulations shall be applied in a uniform and non-discriminatory manner.~~

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

Paragraph 4 duplicates meaning of paragraph 1.

Para 6: For the purpose of Regulation 1 the reference to RRP is sufficient. Besides, the role of REMPs is specifically addressed by relevant Regulations.

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Para 9: We guess important to highlight the principle of non-discrimination among contractors.