

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 30<sup>TH</sup> SESSION:  
COUNCIL - PART 2**

*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](mailto:council@isa.org.jm).*

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

UK

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

DR103(5)

**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.**

If a Contractor,

- (a) in spite of one or more warnings by the Authority, fails to implement the measures set out in a ~~Ce~~ompliance ~~N~~otice and has conducted its activities in such a way as to result in [serious, persistent and wilful] violations of the fundamental terms of the Exploitation Contract, provisions of Part XI of the Convention, the Agreement or the rules, regulations and procedures of the Authority, or
- (b) is in serious, persistent and wilful violation of any payment obligation under Part VII of these Regulation

the Council [may] suspend or terminate the Exploitation Contract, by providing written notice of ~~the~~ suspension or termination to the Contractor ~~[and notification of such suspension or termination to the sponsoring State or State]~~ in accordance with the terms of the Exploitation Contract.

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

The penalty for persistent failure to comply with payment obligations under Part VII should also be included in this provision. The cross-reference to Regulation 29quater which is about Safety, labour and health at sea and risk reduction principles is incorrect.