



**REPRÉSENTATION PERMANENTE  
DE LA FRANCE AUPRÈS DE  
L'AUTORITÉ INTERNATIONALE  
DES FONDS MARINS**

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Fraternité*

26 November 2020

Excellencies,

I wish to refer to my letters dated 3, 6, 17, 20 and 23 November 2020 concerning the twenty-sixth session of the Assembly of the International Seabed Authority.

In my letter dated 23 November 2020, I proposed to elect, under the silence procedure until 17:00 on Thursday, 26 November 2020 (Jamaica time): Ms. Fujimoto Shoko (Japan) for the remainder of the term of Mr. Onuma Hiroshi, Mr. Philip Dixon (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland) for the remainder of the term of Ms. Ahila Sornarajah, Mr. Fan Kejun (China) for the remainder of the term of Mr. Sun Zhi, and Mr. Abderahmane Zino Izourar (Algeria) for the remainder of the term of Mr. Mehdi Remaoun. In the same letter, I also proposed to adopt the *Draft decision of the Assembly to name the museum of the International Seabed Authority in honour of Nii Allotey Odunton* (Annex, [ISBA/26/A/14](#)) under the silence procedure until 17:00 on Thursday, 26 November 2020 (Jamaica time).

It is my pleasure to inform you that the silence procedure in relation to the above-mentioned proposals has concluded without objection. Accordingly, the above-mentioned proposals are considered adopted by the Assembly as of 17:01, 26 November 2020 (Jamaica time).

I would like to congratulate Ms. Fujimoto Shoko, Mr. Philip Dixon, Mr. Fan Kejun and Mr. Abderahmane Zino Izourar on their election as members of the Finance Committee.

The Assembly will take note of the conclusion of the agenda item 7 "*Election to fill vacancies on the Finance Committee*" and agenda item 20 "*Draft decision of the Assembly to name the museum of the International Seabed Authority in honour of Nii Allotey Odunton*" at its first face-to-face meeting.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Ambassador Denys Wibaux

President of the Assembly of the International Seabed Authority

To: All members of the International Seabed Authority