TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 28TH SESSION: COUNCIL - PART III

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 of Working Group: Inspection, Compliance and Enforcement
- 2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal: Australia
- 3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.

DR 96 bis (6)

- 4. 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.
 - 6. Within 3 months of the end of a Calendar Year the Compliance Committee shall complete an annual inspection, compliance and enforcement report, together with a non-technical summary, and submit the report and summary to the Council for its consideration.
- 5. Please indicate the rationale for the proposal. [150-word limit]

Australia supports DR 96(bis)(6) as we consider it worthwhile for a time limit to be placed on the annual report to the Council, and consider that 3 months is an appropriate period of time.