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: I.C.E
- 2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal: Costa Rica
- 3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers. 101 bis
- 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.

[Regulation 100bis:

Contractor compliance report

The Secretary-General shall prepare an annual compliance report for each

Contractor, which shall be made available in draft form [within thirty Days]

for comment to the Contractor and the Sponsoring State [or States], before

being reported to the Council and published in the Seabed Mining Register.

The Council shall invite the attention of the Assembly to cases of noncompliance in accordance with Article 162(2)(a) of the Convention.

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

Following last session discussions regarding this paragraph, Costa Rica supports its inclusion as well as the inclusion of the mandate stated by UNCLOS to invite the attention of the Assembly to cases of noncompliance