

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

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:

President's Text

2. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

The Pew Charitable Trusts

3. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.

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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.

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

We support the alternative text. The previous text simply repeated UNCLOS rather than providing details on how to operationalize those provisions. While it would be better to provide details on the types of joint ventures that will be considered and outlining the terms of such arrangement, this provision at least indicates the development of S&Gs that will tackle those issues.