

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 29TH 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(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

Republic of Nauru

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

Use of terms and scope

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.

“Effective Control” or “effectively controlled” means the substantial and genuine link between Sponsoring State and Contractor, demonstrated by the Contractor being a national of the Sponsoring State and being subject to its effective jurisdiction and regulatory control.

“Mining Workplan” means the document referred to in Annex II, including any modifications made from time to time in accordance with these Regulations.

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

Effective control: the current definition of “Effective Control” reflected in the Schedule encompasses the so-called effective economic control approach. While we can discuss at an appropriate time whether and what definition is required, we do consider it appropriate that a definition of “effective regulatory control” is also reflected for consideration.

Mining workplan: we suggest amendments to the definition of “Mining Workplan” to recognize that this should be a living document that is reviewed and adjusted in accordance with changing conditions.