

TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 31st SESSION

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.im.

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

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

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

Draft Regulation 91 - Data and Information to be submitted upon expiration or termination of an Exploitation Contract

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.

[1. Alt. Upon the expiration, termination or refusal to renew an Exploitation Contract, the Contractor shall, within 180 Days of such event, transfer to the Authority all data and information necessary for the Authority to carry out its powers and functions with respect to the Contract Area in accordance with these Regulations and applicable Standards and taking into account the Guidelines. This shall include ~~at a minimum~~ but is not limited to geological data, [Environmental Impact Statements] / [environmental data], [samples collected and retained pursuant to regulation 89, paragraph 3] and records of any incidents and breaches of the Contractor’s obligations during the Contract period.]

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

Paragraph 1 alt, this streamlined approach generally works. However the use of “at a minimum” rather than “but is not limited to” changes the meaning – implying that Contractors can provide less information.