



International Seabed Authority

SENSITIZATION SEMINAR
United Nations, New York, Room 2CB
Wednesday, 16 April 2014

AGENDA

10 am to 1 pm

- 1. Welcome and Introduction**
- H.E. Nii Allotey Odunton, Secretary-General of the International Seabed Authority
- 2. Update on Prospects for Marine Minerals**
- Dr. James R. Hein, Ph.D., US Geological Survey-Pacific Science Center
- 3. Japan's Work of Cobalt Crust Exploration and Technology Development**
- Mr. Natsumi Kamiya, Deputy Director General, Japan Oil, Gas and Metals National Corporation (JOGMEC)
- 4. Prospects and Status of Exploration for Polymetallic Sulphides**
- Professor Georgy Cherkashov, Deputy Director, I.S Gramberg All-Russian Research Institute for Geology and Mineral Resources of the World Ocean
- 5. Status of Offshore Oil and Gas and considerations relating to Article 82: An Industry Perspective**
- Mr. Wylie Spicer, Q.C. Of Counsel, Norton Rose Fulbright, Canada LLP / S.E.N.C.R.L., s.r.l.

3 pm to 6 pm

- 6. Briefing/Overview of the Agenda for ISBA/20**
- H.E. Nii Allotey Odunton, Secretary-General of the International Seabed Authority
- 7. Briefing on the Council Election, 2014**
- Mr. Sainivalati S. Navoti, Senior Legal Officer
- 8. Briefing on the Stakeholders Survey for Exploitation Regulations**
- Mr. Michael W. Lodge, Deputy to the Secretary-General and Legal Counsel
- 9. Current Training Opportunities and the ISA Endowment Fund**
- Mr. Yongsheng Cai, Legal Officer
- 10. Closing Remarks**
- H.E. Nii Allotey Odunton, Secretary-General of the International Seabed Authority