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# Provisional agenda of the Legal and Technical Commission

- 1. Opening of the session.
- 2. Adoption of the agenda.
- 3. Election of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman.

### A. Reports of contractors

- 4. Consideration of the annual reports of contractors submitted pursuant to the Regulations on Prospecting and Exploration for Polymetallic Nodules in the Area.
- 5. Information on the periodic review of implementation of plans of work for exploration for polymetallic nodules.

## B. Applications for approval of plans of work for exploration

- 6. Review of applications for approval of a plan of work for exploration for polymetallic nodules and recommendations to the Council.
- 7. Review of applications for approval of a plan of work for exploration for polymetallic sulphides and recommendations to the Council.

## C. Environmental implications of activities in the Area

- 8. Consideration of the draft environmental management plan for the Clarion-Clipperton Fracture Zone.
- 9. Consideration of the recommendations from the workshop entitled "Environmental management of deep-sea chemosynthetic ecosystems: justification of and considerations for a spatially based approach (Dinard, France, 31 May-4 June 2010).

#### D. Other matters

- 10. Specification of a scale and projection for the purposes of the rules, regulations and procedures of the Authority.
- 11. Other matters.



