

From the TCAC Chair

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Dear Colleagues,

You will recall that prior to TCAC04, I circulated an informal analysis of the two proposals that were on the table - one from the European Union and the other from the Group of Coastal States – identifying some of the key points of similarity and difference between them, in the hope that this would assist us in focussing our discussions.

A number of changes have been made to the two proposals since that time. I am therefore circulating a revised version of my informal analysis which reflects those changes, and again identifies various key points of similarity and difference between the two proposals.

Obviously not all points of detail are covered in the attached analysis.

I hope that this analysis will assist us in focussing our discussion, and narrowing down the issues, when we discuss the two proposals.

Kind regards

Don MacKay
Independent Chair