



**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE LAW OF THE SEA  
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# **Press Release**

## **THE TRIBUNAL AMENDS ITS GUIDELINES CONCERNING THE PREPARATION AND PRESENTATION OF CASES**

On 25 September 2025, the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea amended its Guidelines concerning the Preparation and Presentation of Cases before the Tribunal.

The amendments, which were made in particular in light of the Tribunal's practice as well as technological developments, enter into force forthwith. They will not apply to proceedings currently pending before the Tribunal.

Both the updated Guidelines concerning the Preparation and Presentation of Cases before the Tribunal and the text of the latest amendments are available on the [website](#) of the Tribunal.

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