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The President of the Seabed Disputes Chamber of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea,

Having regard to article 191 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (hereinafter “the Convention”),

Having regard to articles 27 and 40 of the Statute of the Tribunal,

Having regard to articles 62, paragraph 1, 130, paragraph 1, and 133, paragraph 3, of the Rules of the Tribunal,

Having regard to the Order of 18 May 2010 fixing 9 August 2010 as the time-limit within which written statements on the questions submitted to the Seabed Disputes Chamber for an advisory opinion may be presented to the Chamber, in accordance with article 133, paragraph 3, of the Rules of the Tribunal;

Makes the following Order:

Whereas a request for the extension of the time-limit for the submission of written statements has been received by the Tribunal;

Whereas the President of the Seabed Disputes Chamber, by his Order of 18 May 2010, has fixed 14 September 2010 as the date for the opening of the hearing, at which oral statements may be submitted to the Chamber;

The President

Extends to 19 August 2010 the time-limit within which written statements may be presented to the Chamber, in accordance with article 133, paragraph 3, of the Rules of the Tribunal;

Reserves the subsequent procedure for further decision.

Done in English and in French, both texts being authoritative, in the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg, this twenty-eighth day of July, two thousand and ten.

(signed) Tullio TREVES
President of the Seabed Disputes Chamber

(signed) Philippe GAUTIER
Registrar