

4. OTHER PROVISIONS

4.1 This Framework Plan applies from April 25, 2015.

4.2 The Participants may modify this Framework Plan at any time upon their mutual consent in writing.

4.3 Any Participant may discontinue its participation in this Framework Plan by giving written notice to the other Participants.

4.4 This Framework Plan is not legally binding and does not create any rights nor obligations for the Participants under international law.

4.5 Nothing in this Framework Plan, including the exchange of information provisions, affects the respective positions of the Participants on the Law of the Sea in the marine areas of the Arctic or other marine areas.