

## INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE LAW OF THE SEA TRIBUNAL INTERNATIONAL DU DROIT DE LA MER

## **Press Release**

## MR ANTOINE OLLIVIER ELECTED AS DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF THE TRIBUNAL

The Judges of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea elected Mr Antoine Ollivier, of French nationality, as the Deputy Registrar of the Tribunal today. He succeeds Ms Hinrichs Oyarce, who was elected Registrar on 20 September 2019. Mr Ollivier will serve as Deputy Registrar for a term of five years.

Mr Ollivier currently serves as Legal Officer of the International Court of Justice (ICJ) and previously he worked as Special Assistant to the Registrar of the ICJ. He has also worked at the Directorate for Legal Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Paris and is the author of several articles and chapters on public international law, the ICJ and the law of State responsibility.

Pursuant to the Rules of the Tribunal, the Deputy Registrar of the Tribunal is elected from among candidates nominated by the judges of the Tribunal. The Deputy Registrar, whose functions are defined by article 37 of the Rules of the Tribunal, assists the Registrar and acts as Registrar in the latter's absence.

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