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Receipt of the partial revised Submission made by the Republic of Iceland
to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
in respect of the western, southern and south-eastern parts of the Reykjanes Ridge

The Secretary-General of the United Nations communicates the following:

On 31 March 2021, the Republic of Iceland submitted to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, in accordance with article 76, paragraph 8, of the Convention, information on the limits of its continental shelf beyond 200 nautical miles from the baselines from which the breadth of its territorial sea is measured in respect of western, southern and south-eastern parts of the Reykjanes Ridge.

It is noted that, on 29 April 2009, Iceland made a partial submission which included the same region and, on 10 March 2016, the Commission adopted the *Recommendations of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf in Regard to the Submission Made by Iceland in the Ægir Basin Area and in the Western and Southern Parts of Reykjanes Ridge On 29 April 2009*.

According to Iceland, this is a partial revised Submission.

In accordance with the rules of procedure of the Commission, the present communication is being circulated to all Member States of the United Nations, as well as States Parties to the Convention, in order to make public the executive summary of the partial revised Submission, including all illustrative maps and coordinates contained therein. The executive summary is available on the website of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, at: www.un.org/Depts/los.

The consideration of the partial revised Submission will be included in the provisional agenda of the next session of the Commission, scheduled to be held in New York from 6 July to 20 August 2021.

Upon completion of the consideration of the Submission, the Commission will issue recommendations pursuant to article 76 of the Convention.

 