**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATE FOR
THE 2026 IMO GENDER EQUALITY AWARD**

**The Government of**

(Name of country)

or

**The**

(Name of organization)

hereby nominates (name, title and nationality of candidate to be inserted)

for the **2026 IMO Gender Equality Award**

For, and on behalf of, **the Government** **of**

or (**name of organization**)

Signed: Date:

Name:

Designation:

Official seal (where appropriate):

**DESCRIPTION OF CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARD GENDER EQUALITY**

In accordance with the terms of reference for the IMO Gender Equality Award, the candidature of [**nominee**] …………………………………………………… is supported by the following description of the circumstances giving rise to the nomination.

1 **Provide a narrative description of not more than three pages** of the significant contributions made by the nominee to advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women in the maritime sector. Examples of contributions are, in a non-exhaustive enunciation: the adoption or promotion of measures and policies, regulations or legislation aiming at advancing gender equality, the promotion of positive change as role models, supporting education and training of women in the maritime sector, etc.

2 **Provide any other information, including audiovisual materials, supporting the nomination.**

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