

THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK OF OCEAN GOVERNANCE
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EQUITABLE ORDERS THAT ACCOUNT FOR NEEDS OF ALL OCEAN STAKEHOLDERS

LAW OF SEA ≠ OCEAN GOVERNANCE

NORMATIVE SYSTEM ENFORCED BY STATE

↳ also includes other instruments beyond law.

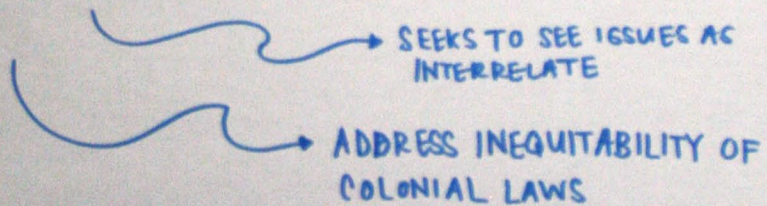
SHOULD ACT AS REFEREE

WHAT OTHER NORMATIVE SYSTEMS EXIST?

ISSUE OF SUBSIDIARITY

ROLE AS TRUSTEE, as is the case in SOUTH AFRICA

LAW OF THE SEA CONVENTION IS 'CONSTITUTION OF THE OCEANS'



FREEDOM - CAN EXACERBATE INEQUALITY

of the high seas



"free for all"
= freedom for the most able or resourced.

collective management

Proposed 1982

managed as trust for all humankind including future generations.

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