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**Attn: Copyright Department**

**Re: Artificial Intelligence**

**Dear Copyright Department,**

**I write this as a very concerned artist. I also write this, speaking from a lifetime of experience in the arts. I have been performing since I was a child. I have made appearances on television, charted on Billboard, and my music has appeared in Golden Globe/Emmy winning shows. I am honestly in the process of going into advocacy over this technology that I do not believe in.**

**I'd like to start off by saying that AI is the greatest threat to humanity.**

**AI is the equivalent of a loaded gun. As with a loaded gun, a license must be obtained to carry it. With AI, the human race is not responsible enough to have access to this technology. I believe in a short amount of time, this technology will be weaponized. This technology has the ability to destroy lives economically and personally. It is not too late to stop this from happening.**

**The usage of this technology is a choice. Cooperation's are choosing to implement this software. NOTHING can compare to a human touch, a human voice, a human connection, as well as human art. We do not need AI. There are too many talented and brilliant people out there who serve the people. Artists contribute too many wonderful creations to humanity to have it destroyed by AI.**

**I encourage you to bar/prohibit AI works from copyright protection. I am witnessing musicians, actors, authors, journalists (the list goes on) in professional jeopardy; from the usage of this technology. Copyright protection is the only leverage we have currently. We all clearly want to work and keep creating. We do not want this technology/disruption in our creative lives. The message is very clear, and I know I am not alone in my views.**

**Copyright serves the protection of someones hand made created works. For someone to tell a robot, "Create me a black & white photo similar to Charlie Chaplin"; that is the robot/technology creating the photo (not the person). I also have researched the way AI functions, and it feeds off of stolen material (that is ALREADY copy written). To give copyright protection to AI created works defeats the purpose of copyright.**

**I firmly believe this is fraudulent technology, and is a threat to every true artist on earth. I am honestly disgraced as an American citizen, that I am having to witness this injustice to humanity. This technology serves very untalented people who are**

**NOT creatives at heart. This technology also serves con artists and criminals. For example, I know someone personally who has no writing experience whatsoever. They have the notion they are going to use CHAT GPT to write a book. They are going to pass it off as their own writing, and think it's going to become a best seller. This is NOT their work, nor "In their own words." This is in the app's own words. This is also a danger to our history of artists no longer with us whose works will be ripped off. If we do not get this technology in its infancy, I believe the court systems will overflow with lawsuits. I also believe that crime rates will soar, given what it can do; and let's not forget the overwhelming job loss AI will create. Whatever this thing can do, I still do not believe it can do better than a human being.**

**I am sure there are some positive perks to AI, but the negative outcome this will bring to the public isn't worth the benefit. I have no interest in using this technology for my creative endeavors, as I don't need it.**

**I also will go as far as to say, I believe some of these apps/software implementing AI should be immediately banned from the public. Stealing someone's likeness/identity, voice, and manipulating it any which way; is a crime in itself. As I have mentioned, I am shocked what is happening currently with the threat of AI In The United States Of America.**

**I am also shocked I am hearing very little on law enforcement/government doing something crucial about this. The time is now for immediate regulation. This copyright/feedback request is definitely a start, but we have to do something a little more extreme to regulate this.**

**Thank you so much for hearing me, and please take my views into consideration as they come from a place of concern for the public as well as every artist past and present.**

**Regards,  
Warren Nomi**

**PS This letter was written word for word, in my own human voice, and without the usage of CHAT GPT**