Greeting

The Greeting Action is a GitHub Action designed to welcome users when they interact with a repository for the first time by creating an issue or a pull request. It facilitates fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment within open-source projects by providing personalized greetings to new contributors.

Features

- **Automated Welcoming**: Automatically greets users when they make their first contribution to the repository, whether by creating an issue or a pull request.
- **Customizable Messages**: Allows customization of the greeting messages, enabling maintainers to tailor the welcome message to suit the project's tone and guidelines.
- **Enhanced Engagement**: Encourages engagement and participation from new contributors by acknowledging their initial interactions with the project.
- **User-Friendly**: Provides a seamless onboarding experience for new contributors, helping them feel valued and supported within the community.
- **Flexible Configuration**: Offers flexibility in configuration, allowing repository maintainers to adjust the greeting messages according to their project's requirements.

Usage

To utilize the Greeting Action in your GitHub repository, follow these steps:

- **Create Workflow File:** Create a workflow YAML file (e.g., greetings.yml) in the `.github/workflows` directory of your repository.

```yaml
name: Greetings

on: [pull_request_target, issues]

jobs:
  greeting:
    runs-on: ubuntu-latest
    permissions:
      issues: write
      pull-requests: write
    steps:
    - uses: actions/first-interaction@v1
      with:
        repo-token: ${{ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }}
        issue-message: "Message that will be displayed on users' first issue"
        pr-message: "Message that will be displayed on users' first pull request"
```

- **Define Workflow**: Specify the workflow details, including triggering events and job configurations.

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- **Define Job:** Define the job named greeting that will execute the greeting action.

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  greeting:
    runs-on: ubuntu-latest
    permissions:
      issues: write
      pull-requests: write
```

- **Define Steps:** Inside the greeting job, configure the steps to execute the Greeting Action.

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  - uses: actions/first-interaction@v1
    with:
      repo-token: ${{ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }}
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request"
```

- **Customize Messages:** Adjust the issue-message and pr-message parameters to provide personalized messages welcoming new contributors.

- **Commit and Push:** Save the changes to the workflow file and commit them to your repository. Then, push the changes to trigger the workflow.