WORKING PAPER OF THE AFRICA AND AMERICAS BLOC OF THE AI COMMITTEE

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The Africa and Americas Bloc of the AI Committee,

1. *Appreciating* the usage of AI in the US helps to regulate and prevent misdemeanour by analysing large amounts of data, such as video footage, social media posts, and police records to identify patterns, trends and anomalies that indicate potential criminal activity,
2. *Acknowledging* the usage of AI in the construction industry in Africa and America which has allowed companies to be more experimental with the design of buildings, how they are built using 3D model apps and how prototypes are produced with 3D printing
3. *Keeping in mind* that border security AI can enhance border control by automating the identification and verification of travelers using facial recognition and biometric technologies and how autonomous drones equipped with AI can patrol and monitor remote borders, enhancing security without risking human lives,
4. *Emphasizes* the regulation of  AI in consumer products to be more specialised and personalised;
5. *Emphasizes* inclusion of human supervision in usage of AI as it lacks the full extent of human intuition and judgement which can lead to miscalculation in analysing market conditions causing severe losses;
6. *Demands* user privacy and for this purpose, requests that:
   1. providers of AI services are mandated to ensure transparency in the utilisation and distribution of user data,
   2. and that consumer AI products are required to receive explicit consent from users before utilising different kinds of user data;
7. *Requests* that companies or organisations developing AI services that can attempt to produce or replicate human work are mandated to explicitly seek the consent of those individuals whose intellectual property they include in their training databases for the purpose of protecting artists’ rights to their intellectual property;
8. *Requests* regulation of databases utilised for the development of AI to limit the usage of low-quality databases to prevent machine errors which can cause serious harm in the cases of applications of AI in medicine, transport and aviation;
9. *Encourages* mandatory security measures to protect AI systems to prevent privacy breaches that can endanger the data of users;
10. *Strongly encourages* the usage of AI in predicting economic recessions so nations and organisations can take action to protect citizens from financial losses;
11. *Strongly recommends* the usage of AI in analysing weather patterns to protect agricultural production and prevent rising prices;
12. *And further recommends* the usage of AI in allocating financial resources for more efficient alleviation of poverty and economic growth.