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Re: Comments on the Joint Strategic Plan

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Dear Ms. Espinel:

There is a patent (pun intended) need to review how we license and enforce intellectual property rights in the world we live in today. Please recognize that human society globally will benefit more from sharing than from enforcement.

Please do less to enforce intellectual property rights and more to ensure that licensing is fair and balanced and takes into account the benefit that people provide when they use existing ideas, technologies, research, materials, music etc in new an useful (or even just entertaining) ways.

No one now living has every come up with anything that did not rely heavily on the works of those who came before them, truly giving credit (and any profit) where it is due is an incredible rarity and focusing on enforcement is not in the end going to help the human race, only retard it's progress.

Please explore the copyleft concept as an alternative to copyright.

Best Regards,

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