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## IAA Europe welcomes European Parliament's AI Act amendments

**The International Association of Art (IAA) Europe** welcomes the amendments adopted by the European Parliament on June 14, 2023, regarding the proposal for the European AI Act.

IAA Europe supports the obligations imposed on providers of foundation models, as proposed by the European Parliament, due to the significant risks associated with foundation models in the context of generative AI.

In particular, IAA Europe endorses the **European Parliament's proposal** that, when foundation models are utilized in generative AI systems, the provider must document and make publicly available a sufficiently detailed summary of the use of training data protected under copyright law.

The European Parliament has also proposed a clarification stating that the AI Act is without prejudice to Union law on copyright and related rights. This clarification is of utmost importance to visual artists represented by IAA Europe. The collection and use of content for generative AI development must be authorized by the authors, and fair remuneration must be provided for the use of such content.

Furthermore, IAA Europe supports the European Parliament's proposals regarding transparency obligations for AI systems. IAA Europe considers it vital that the EP's proposal to label content generated by AI in a manner that distinguishes it from human-generated content is adopted. Additionally, the EP's proposal to mandate the labelling of deep fake content is seen as essential.

IAA Europe hopes that during the negotiations on the AI regulation proposal, liability issues related to AI system providers, particularly concerning harmful content generated by generative AI, will be thoroughly addressed.

Lastly, IAA Europe emphasizes the importance of a significant portion of generative AI development occurring within the EU in the future. Adequate infrastructure should be made available within the EU, ensuring self-sufficiency in terms of security and cultural significance.

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