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Ms. Scarlett Johansson
Actress
Transmitted Electronically

Dear Ms. Johansson:

I write to invite you to testify at a hearing before the Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Government Innovation, to be held on July 9, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. in room 2154 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

The Subcommittee has held hearings this Congress concerning the uses and abuses of deepfake technology including how dissemination of digital forgeries can potentially infringe on individual rights. You recently expressed concerns via social media about the resemblance between your own voice and that of the “Sky” chatbot, recently released as part of OpenAI’s GPT-4o update. This hearing would provide a platform for you to share those concerns with House Members, and to inform the broader public debate concerning deepfakes.

To confirm your appearance at the hearing, please contact Committee on Oversight and Accountability staff at (202) 225-5074 by June 21, 2024. Please provide your written testimony at least two business days prior to the hearing. You will have the opportunity to provide a five-minute opening statement prior to answering questions posed by Members.

The Committee on Oversight and Accountability is the principal oversight committee of the U.S. House of Representatives and has broad authority to investigate “any matter” at “any time” under House Rule X.

Sincerely,



Nancy Mace

Chairwoman

Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology,
and Government Innovation

cc: The Honorable Gerald Connolly, Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Government Innovation