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| Note by the Secretary-General |
| contribution from the people's democratic republic of algeriaProposed topics for the open consultations of the Council working group on international internet-related public policy matters (cwg-internet) |

I have the honour to transmit to the Member States of the Council the attached contribution submitted by the **People's Democratic Republic of Algeria.**

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 Secretary-General

Contribution by the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria

PROPOSED TOPICS FOR the OPEN CONSULTATIONS OF THE COUNCIL
WORKING GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL INTERNET-RELATED
PUBLIC POLICY MATTERS (CWG-INTERNET)

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| SummaryThe present contribution proposes topics for CWG-Internet's upcoming open consultations.Action requiredAlgeria invites the Council to take note of the content of this contribution and adopt the topics proposed for CWG-Internet's open consultations.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_References[*Document C19/51*](https://www.itu.int/md/S19-CL-C-0051/en) |

Preamble

Owing to a lack of consensus on the choice of topic for the next open consultations, the Chairman of the Council Working Group on International Internet-Related Public Policy Matters (CWG-Internet) requested guidance from the Council on the choice of topic ([Document C19/51](https://www.itu.int/md/S19-CL-C-0051/en)).

Proposal

Since issues relating to OTTs and to bridging the gender digital divide have already been addressed, we recommend choosing a new topic that has not been brought up in this context, namely the **Impacts and challenges of the widespread use of artificial intelligence (AI)** **with focus on its ethical, economic and technological aspects.**

1 What are the technological challenges of artificial intelligence?

2 What scenarios does artificial intelligence imply in regard to the structure of the economic and financial sector?

3 What are the ethical challenges of introducing artificial intelligence in everyday life?

4 What immediate societal impact will follow the introduction of artificial intelligence in the different areas of people's lives?

5 What measures can be envisaged to manage the use of artificial intelligence in everyday life and guarantee people's safety?

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