



SEHLAC intervention on section 3 of the Chair's draft presented on August 2021 GGE meeting.

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Thank you, Mr. President.

I speak on behalf of the HUMAN SECURITY NETWORK FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, a partner of the Campaign to Stop Killer Robots.

Specifically, in section 3, we would like to highlight the explicit reference to International Law and in particular to International Humanitarian Law.

The mention of human responsibility in points 5 and 6 is very positive.

At the same time, we believe it is important to highlight the emphasis in point 7 on human judgment and the requirement to ensure accountability.

Finally, we would like to add our support to the call to remove the word "lethal" from point 8.

I would not like to end without reiterating that this section is an evolution of the guiding principles, and therefore we make a respectful call for the GGE to advance in the development of its mandate, to grow, and not just seek to reaffirm the consensus of the past. It makes no sense to seek consensus on what has already been agreed upon.

We do echo the words of Panama, we cannot overlook the previous years of discussions on the same issue with dozens of experts.

The work of this group is not just beginning.

Thank you.



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