Parliament of the Cayman Islands

PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION NO. 19 of 2026-2027

Motion for protection against AI-Generated Deepfakes and Unauthorised Digital Replicas

WHEREAS the Cayman Islands Constitution Order 2009 (as amended), (the Cayman Constitution) affirms our commitment to being a country that makes optimal use of modern technology as well as being a country that fosters the highest standards of integrity in the dealings of the private and public sectors;

AND WHEREAS advances in artificial intelligence now allow anyone with an ordinary device to produce realistic images, video and audio that falsely depict real people saying or doing things they never said or did, and to clone a person's voice or likeness without their knowledge or consent;

AND WHEREAS these technologies are increasingly used for sexual exploitation, extortion and blackmail, fraud, harassment, reputational harm and the deception of voters, and fall most heavily on women, girls and children;

AND WHEREAS the Cayman Islands' standing as an international financial centre and a trusted community depends on public confidence in the authenticity of identity, communications and records, and voice-cloning and impersonation fraud directly threaten individuals, businesses and regulated entities;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Government considers undertaking a review of existing legislation and considers introducing a specific legislative framework to protect personal identity by establishing appropriate legal rights over the unauthorised commercial or harmful use of an individual's voice, likeness, image, physical appearance and identifiable bodily characteristics through artificial intelligence.

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Elected Member for Bodden Town East

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Elected Member for Bodden Town West

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Passed/Rejected by the Parliament of the Cayman Islands this day of 2026.

Clerk of the Parliament