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Hi Supervisors,

These days, 'enhanced' often means 'manipulated.' Bad actors are at all levels of society. Why take the risk?

Unfortunately, there is no attachment, but the Background statement says "Sicuro's technology automates County of San Diego (County) specific insights to understand the variables of a case..." which is artificial intelligence. This is basically old algorithms cranked up to a new level of distortion. Without active human intervention, and I see none here, the distorted language could simply be ignored. I have also seen how AI can be used to essentially manufacture data or pictures. I have seen a photo manipulated to show someone as Black, White, Asian, and other races. So get over the tech fixation.

As for language, different words are used by different generations to mean different things. For instance, words like 'coon once referred to Black people as well as the animal. AI is unlikely to grasp this sort of change in a meaningful way. So human interpretation is always needed.

Bottom line is that this is in response to a 2022 law requiring people to compare the AI version to the 'unredacted' (non-AI) version, both of which could end up with prejudicial language. So this is a huge waste of time and taxpayer dollars.

If you haven't done this since 2022, I suggest not doing it at all.

Regards,

Paul Henkin