



Formal Notice and Demand for Cessation

*Cognitive Sovereignty, Unauthorized Neural Monitoring, Directed-Energy, and
Cross-Border Technological Interference*

From: The Government of the Republic of South Africa
To: The Government of the United States of America

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Cognitive Sovereignty Initiative

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To	The Government of the United States of America
Via	Embassy of the United States of America, 877 Pretorius Street, Arcadia, Pretoria 0083, South Africa
Attention	U.S. Department of State, 2201 C Street NW, Washington, DC 20520
Date	[DATE]
Reference	[DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND COOPERATION / SOUTH AFRICA GOVERNMENT REFERENCE]

The Government of the Republic of South Africa presents its compliments to the Government of the United States of America and delivers this formal notice concerning unauthorized technological activity that, if conducted within or producing effects within South Africa without lawful authorization, could raise matters of the utmost seriousness concerning South African sovereignty, national security, human rights, privacy, mental autonomy, and the integrity of persons within South African jurisdiction.

I. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This diplomatic notice establishes The Government of the Republic of South Africa's position concerning unauthorized cross-border neurotechnology, neural-data acquisition, directed-energy activity, electronic interference, and other technologies capable of affecting persons or infrastructure within South Africa jurisdiction.

The Government of the Republic of South Africa does not, through this notice, assert as established fact that the United States or any other state is presently conducting a particular operation. This notice instead states the Government's position that, if activities of the kinds described below are being conducted without lawful authorization, they must cease immediately and be subject to appropriate diplomatic and legal review.

II. FORMAL CEASE-AND-DESIST DEMAND

The Government of the Republic of South Africa hereby demands the immediate cessation of any unauthorized activity conducted by, for, at the direction of, with the material support of, or with the knowing authorization of the Government of the United States that occurs within, targets, or produces material effects within the sovereign jurisdiction of South Africa and involves remote neural monitoring; acquisition, inference, interpretation, recording, or transmission of neural or cognitive information; directed-energy exposure; electronic harassment; remote neurostimulation or neuromodulation; interference with neurological or physiological functions; or comparable technological activity.

This demand applies whether such activity is conducted through satellites, cellular or telecommunications networks, terrestrial transmitters, airborne or maritime systems, cyber-physical

systems, fixed installations, mobile platforms, portable equipment, contractors, research institutions, private companies, allied services, or other intermediaries.

III. SOVEREIGNTY, COGNITIVE SOVEREIGNTY, AND NATIONAL SECURITY

South Africa considers unauthorized foreign technological operations that intentionally produce effects within its territory, against its population, or through infrastructure under its jurisdiction to be capable of implicating sovereignty and national security, even when the initiating equipment is located outside its borders.

The Government of the Republic of South Africa further recognizes cognitive sovereignty as an emerging policy principle: the protection of mental autonomy, neural information, cognitive integrity, and freedom from unauthorized technological interference. Neural and cognitive information may be uniquely intimate and therefore warrant protections commensurate with their sensitivity. Any governmental review should account for the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, the Protection of Personal Information Act, the Cybercrimes Act, the National Health Act and research-ethics framework, applicable criminal law, and international human-rights obligations.

IV. INTERNATIONAL LAW, AGREEMENTS, AND BILATERAL RELATIONS

Nothing in any bilateral or multilateral relationship with the United States shall be interpreted as blanket authorization for undisclosed human experimentation, neural surveillance, directed-energy operations, or remote technological interference outside the scope of specific lawful authority.

South Africa expressly reserves its position concerning whether substantiated unauthorized activities would constitute violations of bilateral agreements, domestic law, customary international law, international human-rights obligations, or other binding commitments.

V. UNITED NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMACY

The Government of the Republic of South Africa notes that questions concerning emerging neurotechnology, human rights, privacy, security, autonomy, artificial intelligence, and the governance of technologies capable of interacting with the human nervous system are increasingly appropriate subjects for international diplomacy, including engagement within the United Nations system and other international forums.

South Africa reserves the right to present substantiated concerns to appropriate United Nations bodies, treaty mechanisms, international organizations, allied governments, and other diplomatic forums. The purpose of this notice is to encourage clarification, prevention, lawful investigation, and the development of international safeguards before technological capability outpaces established legal protections.

VI. HUMAN DIGNITY, NEURAL PRIVACY, AND PERSONAL INTEGRITY

The capability to obtain information concerning a person's neurological or cognitive state does not itself create lawful authority to obtain that information. Likewise, technological capability to influence a neurological or physiological process does not create a lawful right to do so.

The Government of the Republic of South Africa considers mental autonomy, cognitive privacy, bodily and neurological integrity, human dignity, lawful oversight, and informed consent in human research to be fundamental principles relevant to the governance of emerging neurotechnology.

VII. REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL ASSURANCES

The Government of the Republic of South Africa requests appropriate diplomatic assurances that no United States department, agency, military command, intelligence organization, contractor, research partner, or other entity acting under United States authority is knowingly conducting unauthorized activity of the type described in this notice against persons or infrastructure within South Africa.

If any such activity is occurring, South Africa demands its immediate suspension and termination; preservation of relevant records; disclosure through appropriate government-to-government channels sufficient to identify the nature, scope, legal authority, duration, responsible organizations, and affected persons or infrastructure; and establishment of an appropriate bilateral technical mechanism where credible evidence warrants investigation.

VIII. NON-CIRCUMVENTION

This notice applies regardless of classification, nomenclature, organizational structure, or technical architecture. An activity does not become permissible merely because it is characterized as research, telemetry, remote sensing, signals intelligence, force protection, behavioral analysis, artificial-intelligence research, communications testing, or another administrative designation.

Nor may restrictions be circumvented by routing activity through a third country, private contractor, satellite operator, telecommunications provider, cloud service, research institution, allied intelligence service, or other intermediary.

IX. PRESERVATION OF EVIDENCE AND COOPERATION

Upon receipt of credible evidence indicating that activity within the scope of this notice may have occurred, South Africa expects good-faith cooperation through appropriate diplomatic, technical, judicial, or governmental channels. Potentially relevant records should be preserved in accordance with applicable law and should not be destroyed, concealed, altered, or made unavailable after notice of a legitimate governmental inquiry.

X. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

Nothing in this communication waives any right, remedy, jurisdiction, privilege, claim, defense, or diplomatic position available to South Africa or its nationals. Upon development of credible and verifiable evidence, South Africa reserves the right to pursue any lawful diplomatic, regulatory, judicial, treaty-based, or international response available to it.

XI. REQUEST FOR CONSULTATION AND RESPONSE

The Government of the Republic of South Africa requests a formal response within [30] days of receipt. The response should confirm whether the United States recognizes South Africa's authority to prohibit unauthorized foreign neurotechnological, directed-energy, and comparable operations

producing effects within its territory; whether appropriate authorities have been instructed to comply; whether any known operation within the scope of this notice is presently being conducted; and whether the United States will cooperate with a bilateral technical investigation should credible evidence arise.

XII. FINAL NOTICE

This communication constitutes formal notice that South Africa does not consent to unauthorized neural monitoring, directed-energy exposure, electronic harassment, remote neurological intervention, non-consensual human experimentation, or comparable technological operations conducted against persons within its sovereign jurisdiction.

If any such activities are being conducted by, for, at the direction of, with the material assistance of, or with the knowing authorization of the Government of the United States, they are to CEASE AND DESIST immediately.

South Africa seeks resolution through diplomacy, transparency, lawful investigation, and international cooperation while reserving its sovereign responsibility to protect its territory, national security, critical infrastructure, and the cognitive and bodily integrity of persons within its jurisdiction.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

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