Amazon's response re shareholder resolution

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Business & Human Rights Resource Centre invited Amazon to respond to a shareholder resolution filed by members of the Interfaith Center on Corporate Responsibility that requests that the Board of Directors prohibit sales of facial recognition technology to government agencies unless the Board concludes, after an evaluation using independent evidence, that the technology does not cause or contribute to actual or potential violations of civil and human rights.

- <u>"Corporate Support for Trump's Zero Tolerance Immigration Policy Prompts Shareholder</u> Resolutions in 2019," 18 Dec 2018
- Shareholder resolution, Dec 2018

Amazon responded with the following links:

- https://aws.amazon.com/blogs/aws/thoughts-on-machine-learning-accuracy/
- https://aws.amazon.com/blogs/aws/some-quick-thoughts-on-the-public-discussion-regarding-facial-recognition-and-amazon-rekognition-this-past-week/