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Dear Council members,

It is my great pleasure to welcome you to Monaco for this first meeting of the Monaco Digital Advisory Council.

I would like to express my deepest thanks for accepting my invitation to be a member of the Council. Your valuable advice will be highly appreciated to help us build the digital future of the Principality.

You, more than anyone else, know that the digital transition is considered as a major challenge for any developed society to maintain a sustainable growth.

For over 700 years, my country has always been able to master the changes it had to face it. It is an obligation for Monaco, as its independence and prosperity relies on the capacity to adapt to the evolutions of the world.

Today, I have the same ambition for the digital revolution. Monaco has a unique identity by its size, its economic and social model. I am convinced that we can also play a specific role in the field.

Since 2005, I have strived to maintain and develop the economic prosperity of Monaco while putting ethics, environmental protection and transparency first. These values are fully aligned with the ones of the digital era.

In 2018, I strongly engaged with the digital transition by creating a dedicated government entity, headed by Frédéric Genta.

Let me thank you once again for your presence today as your role will be most valuable to guide us through this new adventure.