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**RECOMMENDATION OF 6 DECEMBER 2006
ON THE INTERNET OF THE FUTURE**

The Strategic Advisory Board on Information Technologies,
Having regard to Decree 2004-255 of 22 March 2004 establishing a Strategic Advisory Board on
Information Technologies,

Recommends the following:

- Equip the Board with institutional and technological tools to be able to take part in and influence:
 - The definition of the new generation Internet in response to the increase in different networked environments, such as the Internet of Things;
 - Global governance of Internet resources and means, and of their control;
- Continue thinking on influencing the development of open-source software and, correlatively, the non-patentability of software with a view to its use on the Internet;
- Encourage and effectively guarantee the dissemination of very low-cost, easy-pay content on the Internet by making suitable payment methods available;
- Take into account the Internet of the Future working group memorandum of 14 September 2006 entitled *Internet and the Information Society: Repercussions of Technological Issues and Innovations for Applications and Contents – Future Internet Implications*, appended to this recommendation.

Done in Paris on 6 December 2006

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