

REVIEWER'S REPORT

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Title: Content Moderation & Free Speech: Legal limits of automated takedown systems on social platforms.

Recommendation:

Accept as it is

Accept after minor revision

✓ **Accept after major revision**

Do not accept (*Reasons below*)

Rating	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor
Originality			✓	
Techn. Quality			✓	
Clarity			✓	
Significance			✓	

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Detailed Reviewer's Report

The paper presents a coherent and well-structured discussion of the relationship between automated content moderation and freedom of expression, demonstrating a clear understanding of the relevant legal and policy debates. The argument is logically developed and supported by appropriate literature sources. However, the paper requires a complete reference list, as several in-text citations are not fully documented, making source verification difficult. In addition, some sections repeat similar points regarding opacity, over-removal and accountability, which could be streamlined to improve clarity and conciseness. The inclusion of a brief methodology section outlining the research approach and source selection criteria would further strengthen the paper.

Recommended after major revisions.