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The African Association for Vertical Farming (AAVF) proudly announces its close cooperation with **SMARTKAS & DroneThinkDo** in the fields of Controlled Environmental Agriculture (CEA) and Farm to Fork sustainable urban food systems for African communities.

As a Dutch precision farming and smart agricultural enterprise, **SMARTKAS** disrupts the industry by using advanced resource management methods, AI, drones & robotics, as well as a cutting edge cloud-computing software. Generator of sustainable economic activity, **SMARTKAS** is setting up the foundations on the agriculture of tomorrow by promoting crucial ecological and humanitarian values through innovative technologies.

**Drone Think Do (DroneThinkDo)** an International Think Tank based in Brussels, Belgium whose activities attracted the **AAVF** since the beginning of 2020. Among these, AI (Artificial Intelligence) in Farming and their involvement in “The Farm to Fork strategy”, released by the European Commission on 20 May 2020 which is at the heart of the European Green Deal with the objective being to make food production and consumption sustainable while improving the health of its citizens. Aiming to mitigate climate change, as well as helping farmers achieve more.

The **AAVF** is an internationally-active non-profit organization comprised of individuals, companies, research institutions and universities focusing on advancing the growth of urban agriculture while spreading awareness of sustainable approaches to developing modern agricultural practices through its humanitarian endeavours. The **AAVF** connects with interested parties all over the world to build a strong community to assist Africa in its quest for secure and sovereign food production.

The **Trio** join forces with the objective of accelerating information and knowledge exchange on the implementation of smart farming, sustainable urban food production projects, research & development, while contributing to solutions for local governments and other relevant stakeholders in Africa.

As we continue establishing strong relationships in Africa and growing **The African Association for Vertical Farming (AAVF)**, we fully welcome this collaboration and look forward to many more exciting endeavours in the coming months.

The **AAVF**

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