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AMERICAN PSYCHOANALYTIC ASSOCIATION
ISSUES RESOLUTION REGARDING MISUSE
OF PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALIZATION

New York, January --: At the Meeting of Members of the American
Psychoanalytic Association, held in New York City on December 18th,
1971, the following was resolved:

The American Psychoanalytic Association,
in keeping with its concerns for standards
of ethical conduct, deplores the misuse of
psychiatric hospitalization as a political
device wherever and whenever this occurs.
We encourage our members to inform themselves
of such activities in order to be able to
effectively express their concern.

The American Psychoanalytic Association is a national membership organization
of medically trained psychoanalysts.

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