

WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND FREEDOM
2006 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 3, Penna.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY NATIONAL BOARD
meeting at Jane Addams House, October
26-28, 1962

RESOLUTION OPPOSING CONTROL OF INFORMATION

To: The President
The Secretary of State
Other appropriate agencies

The National Board of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom meeting in Philadelphia October 26-28, 1962, believing that the Government must not only make available the information upon which crucial political decisions are based, but that it must welcome criticism of governmental policy if the democratic process is to function effectively, calls upon the President to give assurances that in the present crisis the channels of communication will be kept open, that no attempt will be made to suppress dissenting opinions, and that the constitutional rights of freedom of speech, press and assemblage will be protected.

RESOLUTION ON THE ABOLITION OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

To: Members of the House of Representatives after the November 6 election.

Like many other organizations the WILPF is convinced that the House Committee on Un-American Activities has been a serious threat to our democratic institutions for many years. On January 9, 1963, the newly-elected House of Representatives will consider a House Resolution to abolish the committee. The National Board of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, in session in Philadelphia, October 26-28, 1962, urges you to vote for abolition and to make every effort to obtain maximum support for abolition among your fellow-members of the House.

To: Branches of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom
for action after election.

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