Section of International and Comparative Law Standing Committee on Peace and Law Through the United Nations (Annual Meeting 1967)

WHEREAS, The Supplementary Slavery Convention, the Convention on the Abolition of Forced Labor, and the Convention on the Political Rights of Women are pending in the Senate of the United States for advice and consent to accession or ratification;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the American Bar Association that it supports fully, promotion by the United States, through the United Nations, of "universal respect for, and observance of, human rights and fundamental freedoms" for all people within all countries; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association favors the accession of the United States to the Supplementary Slavery Convention; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association recommends that no action be taken by the United States with regard to the Convention on the Abolition of Forced Labor; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association opposes accession by the United States to the Convention on Political Rights of Women; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be forwarded by the Secretary of this Association to the President of the United States, the Chairman and members of the Foreign Relations Committee of the United States Senate, and the Ambassador of the United States to the United Nations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Chairmen or other representatives of the Association's Standing Committee on Peace and Law Through United Nations and of the Section of International and Comparative Law be authorized to appear before appropriate committees of the Congress, and to cooperate with the executive departments of the Government of the United States, to present the views of the Association as herein expressed.