83.15 Pornography

This Provincial Resolution is presented for approval for requesting that Provincial Councils urge their respective Provincial Governments to take action -

Whereas, Any extended visibility of pornographic material is completely unacceptable to women insofar as it belittles them;

it works against the movement for equal social, financial and cultural equality of the sexes; and it encourages

wife battering and other violent acts; and,

Whereas, It is difficult to define pornography and to legislate against it. The line between pornography and art becomes

subjective and prohibitive legislation runs counter to the area of human rights; be it,

RESOLVED, That The National Council of Women of Canada asks its federates to urge all their members to take part in an

immediate move to stamp out pornographic material in Canada - books, magazines, advertising, displays, videos,

etc., particularly any displays that might be visible to children.