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1 The following is a position paper under Section 17 of the NYRA bylaws:
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3 The National Youth Rights Association recognizes that no individual should be forced to live in fear,
4 especially in the institution most basic in our society, the family. Child abuse is a pervasive problem
5 in our society, the current foster care approach to solving child abuse in many cases causes more
6 problems than it solves; thus we propose a third way. Young people should never be denied the right
7 to leave a truly detrimental situation and seek a safe, independent existence through the process of
8 emancipation.

This Resolution was approved by the 5th NYRA Board of Directors.

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