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The economic problems we face today and our all-too-obvious failure to deal effectively with them, are inseparably linked with the permissive blight which has attacked our moral and cultural strength. The ravages of permissiveness, now showing themselves in unprecedented figures for abortion, VD, illegitimacy, schoolgirl pregnancies, mental ill health and serious sex crimes are destroying, not only our character as a nation, but our ability to react with courage and sacrifice to the social and economic challenges of our time.

The people of this nation have been conditioned to believe that self-interest is paramount - "I must be free to do what I want simply because I want to". Such a philosophy is reactionary in the extreme and destructive of civilised living and values and inevitably has had a profound effect upon industrial as well as personal relationships. The demands and desires of the immediate present are all-pervasive and we seem no longer to draw strength from our past history or have hope and faith for the future.

Danish language and recommended for use in schools by the Danish Minister of Education, entitled, "Pornografi". It is hard core pornography of the most abhorrent kind. If anyone doubts that the repeal of obscenity laws in any country leads to the corruption of a nation, they only have to look between the covers of this book. Indeed, so corrupt has Denmark now become that it clearly no longer recognises even the existence of its own corruption.

One constantly has to ask oneself - does the right hand of the government know what the left hand is doing? And I mean the left hand. One wonders if the Chancellor of the Exchequer, concerned as he is about public expenditure, is aware that a government grant is made to the Albany Trust, the homosexual lobby front runner. This Trust, which is partially subsidised by public money, now has its own youth officers to counsel what it describes as "the gay teenager". Some of these youth counsellors - who work through the schools and through youth clubs - are otherwise engaged in giving what is euphemistically termed 'psycho-sexual advice' through the columns of various pornographic magazines. Furthermore, the support given by this Organisation to paedophile groups means that we are all subsidising and supporting, at least indirectly, a cause which seeks to normalise sexual attraction and activity between adult males and little girls.

Because of its soft-core of permissiveness, because of its embarrassment at even the mention of the word "censorship" the government is helping to create a hostage generation, at the mercy of big business and ideological commitment.

Make no mistake. Permissiveness is an ideological weapon. A soft-centred, self interested society neither recognises the enemy nor withstands it. We have been conditioned to believe that cultural standards are all a matter of