

The Home and the Child

WHEREAS the Scriptures make it clear that child rearing is the God-given responsibility and privilege of parents; and

WHEREAS federally controlled early child development programs tend to empower the government to choose the ideology by which young lives are molded;

BE IT RESOLVED that we the messengers of the churches in fellowship with the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches, meeting in annual session in Lakeland, Florida, June 26–30, 1978, believe that preschool child development programs shall be financed and controlled by the private sector, giving parents freedom of choice over the physical and philosophical environment of their children.

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