

WE DISSENT:

OUR FOREIGN POLICIES IN VIETNAM AND DOMINICAN REPUBLIC ARE AGGRESSIVE AND DANGEROUS. WE HEREBY COMMIT OURSELVES TO A FOREIGN POLICY WHICH WILL REMOVE OUR TROOPS FROM VIETNAM AND DOMINICAN REPUBLIC NOW !!!

THESE ARE THE REALITIES:

1 THROUGHOUT THE WORLD NATIONS ARE IN TRANSITION AND TURMOIL, WE CANNOT STOP THIS PROCESS THROUGH THE CONSTANT USE OF FORCE.

3. WE HELPED TO CREATE THE UNITED NATIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS OF AMERICAN STATES TO SETTLE DISPUTES AND KEEP THE PEACE. BY OUR ACTION WE ARE DESTROYING THESE VERY ORGANIZATIONS.

4 OUR RESPONSIBILITIES FOR WORLD PEACE MUST BE DISCHARGED THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

5. OUR IRRESPONSIBLE TACTICS ABROAD WEAKEN AND MAKE HYPOCRITICAL OUR STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM AT HOME. SELMA AND SANTO DOMINGO ARE INSEPARABLE.

2 OUD DEDUBLIC CAME INTO BEING AS

AN EXPRESSION OF POPULAR DEMAND BY REVOLUTION. WE SUPPORT THAT SAME RIGHT FOR ALL PEOPLE.

6 MILITARY INTERVENTION IS EVIL, IMMORAL AND ILLEGAL... A BETRAYAL OF OUR OWN IDEALS.

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A three-fold protest against American policy in Vietnam and the Dominican Republic will be staged this weekend by the Los Angeles art community under the slogan "Stop Escalation."

Several hun dred members of the city's painting colony met at the Dwan Gallery in Westwood to map the protest which will be staged this Saturday, Sunday and Monday centering around the La Genega art galleries and the new County Museum.

The protests planned:

Saturday beginning about noon in a dozen or more
La Cienega galleries, a "White Out" of all paintings
on display will be held. This means the paintings will
be covered with a wide strip of paper, and the paper will
bear the "Stop Escalation" symbol of the protest.

The symbol will be an ominous black ladder leading into infinity with the bold slogan "Stop" on its base.

Sunday at I p.m., soberly dressed artists in the

hundreds will picket the new Los Angeles County Museum on Wilshire Blvd., all carrying "Stop Escalation" placards.

Monday night at 7 p.m. and lasting for several hours, a picket protest will be held on La Cienega Blvd. around the intersection of Melrose Place in which the artists plan to stage a traffic-stopping "walk-across" La Cienega using only marked crosswalks and fully complying with the law.

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