

1 Hutchins, former President of the University of Chicago
2 and currently Director of the Fund for the Republic
3 States, said that the principal reason why civil liberties
4 as traditionally defined and defended do not interest the
5 Americans is that they are inadequate to express the
6 true dimensions of the problems of freedom and justice
7 today.

8 He insists by way of example, that the individual
9 now needs protection from, quote, "the remorseless tenden-
10 cy of the industrial system."

11 In the 18th and 19th centuries, we accorded man
12 the rights of protections to operate as a free individual.
13 We have seen the problems that came to man in society
14 because man was free and creative, but in this century,
15 particularly in this latter third of the 20th century, it
16 is impossible for man to be free when acting alone in
17 the economic realm.

18 The sheer nature of our society demands man's
19 freedom to act in groups when dealing with his economic
20 requirements. Within this frame of reference, this right
21 does deserve Constitutional status.