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PLEASE REPLY TO:-

telephone 0181-771-4001  
9th June 1998

To: The Editor  
Sunday Times

Sir,

FILM & VIDEO CENSORSHIP

In his appalling article on the British Board of Film Classification (Culture section: 7th June), Bryan Appleyard castigates those who demand freedom of expression as "yahoos" and "airheads". He supports State censorship of all films and videos as a "good thing." Does he also advocate Press censorship? If he wants Orwellian "Thought Police" to regulate other media, he should be prepared to take the same medicine himself!

Presumably he is opposed to the abolition of all censorship, which has taken place throughout continental Europe. As a journalist, he should be ashamed of himself!

Yours for freedom of expression,

E Goodman  
Chair of CAC