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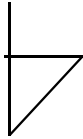
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For years, SAA groups in Houston, TX, have included in the readings that begin their meetings a document called "The Problem." That is, they have until recently.

When Jonathan C., the Houston Area Intergroup chair, discovered what was being read was an adaptation of "The Problem" that appears in "Sexaholics Anonymous," the basic text of the 12-step program of the same name, he wrote SA asking for permission to use the adapted version. SA declined permission and told the Houston Area Intergroup to stop using its copyrighted material.

At the urging of the Houston Area Intergroup, each of its member groups has held a group conscience and has voted to cease using the statement.

The Houston Area Intergroup is to be commended for taking the initiative to request permission to use the adapted material and for taking action to stop its use after permission was denied.

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As was previously reported, we, as well as other groups of recovering people, need to protect that which has come through the veil of

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