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Association of Professors Request Kent State Inquiry

KENT, Ohio, May 16 (UPI)— The American Association of University Professors has asked President Nixon to call for a federal grand jury investigation into the killing of four Kent State university students by National Guard troops on May 4, 1970.

Thomas D. Moore, an associate professor of secondary education at Kent State, said the request was in the form of a resolution adopted earlier this month at the 58th annual meeting of the group in New Orleans.

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"Repeated requests for the impaneling of a Federal grand jury to investigate the Kent State incident, including a petition from over 10,000 students supported by the president of the university, have been ignored by the Justice Department," the resolution said.

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