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If Nixon Rises Again

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Senator Barry Goldwater's announcement that Richard Nixon still commands "a tremendous following," referring to the former President's "desire to get back into the political arena, not as a candidate but as a party spokesman," has the overtones of a comic opera.

It seems unbelievable that any responsible Republican leader would consider enlisting the services of one primarily responsible for scuttling the party to possibly its lowest ebb and, even more germane, for the corroding of public confidence, regardless of political affiliation.

Nixon's elevation to a public platform would make a mockery of his misdeeds and add an accolade to this unchastened wrongdoer. The moral quality of our country needs bolstering, and not further undermining. Watergate profiteering and political chicanery of a Nixon comeback detract from the sorely needed strengthening of national moral fiber.

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