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EDITOR'S NOTE: This issue contains the second of a two-part series devoted to analysis of the concept of "compliance." It focuses on several of the negative aspects of compliance, including deterrents, sanctions, and coercion. The first part of the series appeared in our last issue (May 1970) and focused on several of the more positive, normative facets.