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Paris Hilton has made it her mission to empower survivors of the 'troubled teen industry' and use her global platform to make sure no more youth suffer at the hands of these systemically abusive institutions. Paris' YouTube Originals documentary, *This is Paris*, has been seen by 50 million viewers in which she details the physical and psychological abuse she experienced as a teenager at numerous residential treatment programs in Utah. Her advocacy has resulted in mass public awareness of the 'troubled teen industry,' policy change at the state level, philanthropic initiatives, and media projects including Trapped in Treatment. She is currently supporting the passage of the "Stop Institutional Child Abuse Act" (H.R. 2955/S. 1351).