

anything to do with the divulgence of their recipes.

SENATOR ASHFORD: Would you have any objection, Senator Weihing, to an amendment that would exempt from this bill, a trade secret or recipe of the particular restaurant?

SENATOR WEIHING: Well, they should not...yes. I don't have any objection to saying that they cannot get into any trade secret or recipe, that is...but we do want to know what kind of oil that they are using. Are we communicating onto the point that you're trying to get to?

SENATOR ASHFORD: Well, I'm just voicing my concern to you and it's one that apparently wasn't raised and I just wanted to raise it and we can talk about it. I'm not...later. It's just a concern that was raised to me and I wanted to raise it on the record and I don't have any particular way of resolving it, but I just wanted to establish that some of these older restaurants in Omaha that had developed recipes over the years, that they wish to protect it in some way. This would affect their ability to maintain the secrecy of those records, so we can talk about it later. That's all I have.

SENATOR WEIHING: Yes, this bill does not bring about disclosure in that. It definitely should not. Those trade secrets, those recipes should be perfectly safe. That's my intent.

SENATOR ASHFORD: That's all I have. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Wehrbein, followed by Senator Coordsen.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President, members, I'm going to vote for this bill but I do have some concerns about the thing that we're putting on restaurants as we keep adding signs and I just want to relate that, but, Senator Weihing, I'd like to ask you a question. Is it possible under this that you might want to post a sign that would say, you use several oils so that you would be covered in case you were using probably several or a combination thereof, or I assume that many cases, day to day, you might use three or four different oils or different recipes. Can you cover yourself or could you write it on a menu instead of posting on...I know this does not say that you could put it on the menu, but that might be an option I would think.