

because I'm sure McDonald's, Burger King and these other fast food outlets cause much more damage in terms of this product than any amount that would be used by legislators or our staff.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Senator Chambers, I believe that Senator Hefner does have a bill in that does begin to talk about that very situation and I think he can explain further as to what his intent of that bill might be, but...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: In 1992, I think he said.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: That might be the case, I'm sorry.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Rod Johnson, if this resolution is not passed, what will be the consequences?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Well, I think, unfortunately, we will have failed to send a positive message to the students at Nebraska Wesleyan University, University of Nebraska and University of Kansas and others who have taken similar steps to ban the styrofoam cups on their campuses and...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, do you think styrofoam is a health hazard in and of itself?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Yes, I do.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: These cups? So if somebody drinks out of a styrofoam cup, they may contract some kind of dread disease...

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Oh, no, no, sir, not healthwise, but I think to the problem that it is contributing to our landfill problem and the potential of burning the product and what it might do to the ozone layer is...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Would you consider cemeteries to be a form of landfill?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: No comment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Members of the Legislature, alcohol and