

committee over there designated subcommittees. Two or three people would be designated subcommittees. They are citizens. They are farmers. They are townspeople. The same person can't go every time. Maybe two of them would go. Would that be a problem, two people on the site? No. But this says only one can go. My monitoring committee worked correctly. It asked the tough questions and US Ecology didn't like it, so now we are restricting what they can do. They may come to your community, folks. They may come to your community. Look at the original reports. You all, a lot of you in here were included. If Boyd isn't licensable, they don't necessarily have to go back to Nuckolls and Nemaha, they can go anywhere in the compact. And if they review their original characterizations, their original options, Nebraska wouldn't even be in the top two. Unfortunately, that wasn't done with good faith, as many other things. Senator Johnson, would you answer a question, please.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Rod Johnson, would you respond, please.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. Speaker, I will try my best.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: In the bill, we reduced from 5 million cubic feet, we reduced it to 2.5 million cubic feet. Why did we do that in 827?

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Senator, as you recall, we discussed how we could try and keep waste from states other than...wanting in our present compact from coming in, and one of the things we thought we might like to do is limit the volume that could come to the site. It was estimated that 2.6, if I am right, 2.6 million cubic feet would be what would be generated by our generators in our compact over a 30-year period. The site or the construction called for, I think, 5 million cubic feet, originally, Senator, as you are aware. The idea was, as you remember, the site either continues for 30 years or until you reach your volume. And as we saw it, lowering the volume would help bring about the ending of the site quicker, even if other states were forced into or brought into our compact.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: Thank you. And that was the intent that was discussed in the committee and I said, well, that sounds nice but I don't think we can do it. Why? Because of good faith. In our state law, it says 5 million cubic feet. All these other states, these other five people, Kansas is already raising Cain about it, it has been understood, 5 million cubic feet. I would