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clear that what is being said is not an adequate and accurate reflection of the reality that that person is facing. Senator Byars has not demonstrated that if this bill in any form is not passed we will be any the worse for it. He has not demonstrated that this bill, if passed in this form, is going to do anything that is beneficial. He has stated it as his purpose to do some educating. The educating will occur by way of the information. And there should be no coercive language surrounding that information or its distribution. The coercive language is introduced in the bill. "Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, a person enrolled in a postsecondary educational institution who resides in on-campus student housing shall be vaccinated." Shall be. I'd like to ask Senator Byars a question.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute. Senator Byars, will you yield to a question?

SENATOR BYARS: Yes, I will.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Byars, are there any private postsecondary educational institutions that have on-campus student housing?

SENATOR BYARS: Where?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: If you know.

SENATOR BYARS: In the state of Nebraska?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes, in Nebraska.

SENATOR BYARS: Yes, I believe there are.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And this would apply to those too?

SENATOR BYARS: That is correct.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: If this bill didn't pass, what's the worst thing that can happen?