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the fine was so low. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Smith. Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature. I want to first start out saying that when Senator Schrock brought this resolution to us -- and I thank him for doing that -- that I had no knowledge of the Speaker's involvement with Mr. Hergert. You know, but it seems to me Mr. Hergert is a slow You know, if you get...a dog bites you once, it's learner. probably the dog's fault. But if he bites you twice, it's your fault. You know, and it...to me, it...I feel as though people are laughing at our campaign finance laws. You know, there are people in this Legislature... Senator Beutler has worked very hard on campaign finance laws, you know. And I think that it sends a message to anyone who wants to run for office, that, you know, if you've got enough money, you can just do about whatever you want to do. And that's wrong. My opinion, that's very wrong. I feel as though the right thing for Mr. Hergert to do would be to resign. I don't...why would someone want to spend that much money for a job that all it is, is prestige? hey, hopefully, hopefully these people want to do some good for the University of Nebraska. But to the point where you have to buy that position, I don't feel that's right. This discussion is good. But it's also a shame that we have to spend our time discussing something like this. There are other subjects that could use much more of our attention than this. But I guess that there are people that think that every resolution we pass, every law that we enact is there to be tested from time to time. Well, maybe this needs to be tested. Maybe we should make a test out of this. And to save face, and to protect the integrity of all elected offices, I think it would be the right thing for Mr. Hergert to resign. With that, thank you, Senator Cudaback. I'll give the rest of my time to Senator Connealy.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Connealy,...

SENATOR CONNEALY: Thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, Senator Janssen.

SENATOR CUDABACK: ...1, 45.