

directly to the public health. We know that cigarette smoking causes cancer. We know there is a tremendous expenditure of money and time and stress on people not affected by that cancer because of people who do smoke and contract it. This is not a prophesy, this is not a prediction, but some of the people in this body who smoke are going to get cancer. I'm going to watch and see how they take it.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Time.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: There have been...thank you, Mr. Chairman.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Well, you can finish your sentence. Oh, it was a long sentence, all right. The question...Senator Marsh...no, Senator Lundy, excuse me.

SENATOR LUNDY: Mr. President, I call the question.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. You are voting to cease debate. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 1 nay to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Marsh, would you like to close, please.

SENATOR MARSH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Two new reports last month, researcher, study of smoke's effect on spouse should help smokers quit, and the backup data showing the increased results. A just released study that found the smoking habits of persons affect the health of their spouses should be a persuasive argument for helping smokers quit. We hope this will persuade many that they are not only putting themselves at risk but their spouses as well. Next door neighbor, Iowa, who has a public policy and who has a rate considerably higher than ours, and even with my increase would still be higher than Nebraska. Iowa City, Iowa doctor, smokers harm the health of others. Nonsmokers have long complained of irritated eyes, smelly clothes and headaches from breathing the tobacco smoke of others. Now there is evidence suggesting their complaints are founded. Nonsmokers who are exposed to heavy concentrations of