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LB 849A, 849

SPEAKER BAACK: The house is under call. All members please report to the Chamber and record your presence. The house is under call. Senator Schrock, would you please record your presence. Senator Schmit, would you please record your presence. We are looking for Senator Lamb. Senator Landis, would you please record your presence. Senator Byars, would you please record your presence. All members are present. We have a request for a roll call vote in reverse order. Mr. Clerk, call the roll.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 1979-80 of the Legislative Journal.) 26 ayes, 16 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 849 advances. We will now proceed to LB 849A.

CLERK: LB 849A, Mr. President, introduced by Senator Will. (Read title.)

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: Yeah, this is the A bill to LB 849. This would do...this would be the seed money that I discussed long ago this morning when we first started talking about the committee amendment. This would be \$2 million of General Fund money that would be used to establish the lottery. The bill itself requires that this money be paid back with interest within a two-year period. This would be the money that allows the initial set-up of the lottery apparatus. And like the...like the substantive bill, this would not kick in unless and until a lottery is approved by the voters of the state. I would urge your advancement of LB 849A.

SPEAKER BAACK: Any discussion? Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Yes, Mr. President. If Senator Will would answer a question.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Will, would you respond, please.

SENATOR WILL: Yes, Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: This actually, probably actually applies more to the bill we just advanced. But when it says the law shall become active once it becomes approved by the voters, when, in