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SENATOR ABBOUD: Madam President and colleagues, these are the annual state claims bills, LB 887 and LB 888. One bill is introduced for claims that have been approved by the State Claims Board, and the other bill is introduced for... State Claims Board has disapproved. Just for your information, the total amount of approved claims were in the neighborhood, for General Fund and Cash Fund, miscellaneous claims was about 34,000 and tort claims were in the amount of 214,000. So that's a ball park figure of what has been approved at this time by the State Claims Board. I would request approval of the motion to introduce these bills.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Abboud. Is there any discussion of the motion? Seeing none, Senator Abboud, do you wish to close? Senator Abboud, do you wish to close? Closing is waived. The question before you is the motion to introduce claims bills. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. You are voting on the motion to introduce claims bills. The motion needs 30 votes. Have you all voted? You are voting on a motion to introduce claims bills. The motion takes 30 votes. Have you all voted? Senator Abboud. Senator Abboud. Yes, senator.

SENATOR ABBOUD: I'd request a call of the house and I will accept call-in votes.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator. There has been a request for a call of the house. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 13 ayes, 0 nays to go under call.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The house is under call. Will all senators please return to their seats. Will all unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. The house is under call, senators, please check in. We are accepting call-in votes. Senator Jensen, Senator Lynch, Senator Avery, Senator Schimek.

CLERK: Senator Lynch voting yes.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Please record.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to introduce the bills, Madam President.