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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Did you want that call now?

SENATOR BROMM: Yes.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Question is, shall the house go under call. Those in favor vote aye; those opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays to place the house under call.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The house is under call. Would unauthorized personnel please leave the floor. Would those senators not excused please return to the Chambers and record your presence.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor. We've had additional good discussion and I...I know this is a difficult decision and that's why we...that's why it only had 25 votes in the first instance, that's why I filed the motion to reconsider, because it is...it is a difficult decision. I don't...I don't subscribe to the...I know Senator Coordsen is right, that we can do about anything with 25 votes. That doesn't mean we should. It's still our job to sort out what is appropriate and what isn't. And even though the committee has this responsibility and it is a big responsibility, it doesn't mean that they don't do their work within the confines of the law. I think all of our committees try to do that and I'm sure that that committee tries to do that. You have the confines of the law to try to apply to the various fact situations that are presented to you. As I thought about this a little more and as I listened to the discussion more than I talked, I...one of the concerns I have about approving this claim is that this is not a unique situation. We have at times bent the rules, I think, more to accommodate unique situations, situations that probably wouldn't be duplicated again or at least not very frequently. But this kind of situation, where it's...where it's a erroneous or a mistake on paying...on paying taxes, happens every day, happens many, many times every year. It will happen dozens and hundreds of times. And some of the errors that will occur will be a significant amount of money. This is a significant amount of money to me. So that is probably why, as I try to sort through this, I have more concerns about the precedent that it does set or the message that it does send, is because there will be many