Research Minute: Special Sessions

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The 1st Called Session of the 87th Legislature begins tomorrow at 10 a.m.

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