```
lk[β_BR, SC[i_, j_], SC[k_, l_]] := Module[
  {n = β〚1〛, s1 = Abs@β〚2, i〛, s2 = Abs@β〚2, k〛},
  Which[
   s2 - s1 == 1, IN[i, j, l, k],
   s1 == s2, χ[β〚2, i〛 > 0] (χ[i == l] - χ[i == k]) +
    χ[β〚2, j〛 > 0] (χ[j == k] - χ[j == l]) -
    IN[i + 0.1, j + 0.1, k, l],
   True, 0] ]
```