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Playing the lottery is all about having fun! Add to the fun by doing a few simple things to claim your prize:

- Sign your ticket.

- Prizes must be claimed within 180 days of drawing date for draw games and within 180 days from the end-of-game date for scratch tickets.

- Claim prizes of $599 or less at any licensed Texas Lottery® retailer.

- Ask retailer for Player Copy of the validation receipt as proof of prize amount.

- Ask retailer to return your non-winning tickets. Retailers are required to keep paid winning tickets.

- Claim prizes of $2.5 million or less at any Texas Lottery Claim Center or by mail.

- Claims mailing address is: Texas Lottery Commission, ATTN: Austin Claim Center, P.O. Box 16600, Austin, TX 78761-6600.

- The Texas Lottery Commission is not responsible for misdirected mail or tickets lost in the mail.

- Prizes over $2.5 million and prizes paid through an annuity must be claimed at the Texas Lottery Commission in Austin, as well as any grand/jackpot winning tickets for Lotto Texas®, Mega Millions®, and Powerball.

- Speed up your claim with the following:

  - Before traveling to Austin to claim a prize, call 800-375-6886 to learn what documents are needed to process your claim.

  - Do not mail second-chance drawing entries to the Texas Lottery or any claim center. Visit txlottery.org/luckzone to register and enter drawings.

  - To avoid having your ticket disqualified for second-chance drawings, understand the game rules available on our website, or on the back of participating tickets.

  - Report suspicious activities or concerns about lottery transactions by calling the Compliance Hotline at 800-375-6886. Make written complaints via mail or on our website at txlottery.org.

- Non-cash prize claims may be submitted at any claim center.

- For more information, visit txlottery.org or call 800-375-6886. Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase a Texas Lottery ticket.

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DO YOU THINK YOU’VE WON?
If you believe you are holding any of the following:
• a possible Lotto Texas®, Mega Millions® or Powerball® jackpot ticket
• a possible winning scratch ticket paid as an annuity
• a possible winning ticket valued at over $2.5 million

Please call 800-375-6886 prior to traveling to Austin for processing.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES:

Since 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated more than $24 billion in revenue for good causes in the state of Texas, including education, veterans’ services and other important state programs. Through strict adherence to our vision, mission and core values, the Texas Lottery is dedicated to ensuring that these benefits continue. The chart below provides a breakdown of an average dollar spent on lottery games and illustrates “Where the Money Goes,” based on FY 2015 financial results.

The Texas Lottery Supports Texas Education. Since 1997*, the Texas Lottery has contributed $18 billion to the Foundation School Fund, which supports public education in Texas. In FY 2015, the Texas Lottery transferred $1.225 billion, its single largest annual contribution to date, to the Foundation School Fund.

The Texas Lottery Supports Texas Veterans. In 2009, legislation was passed directing the Texas Lottery to offer a scratch ticket game benefiting the Texas Veterans Commission Fund for Veterans’ Assistance. Since that time, the Texas Lottery has contributed more than $52.1 million for veterans programs. The FVA makes grants available to eligible charitable organizations, local government agencies, and Veterans Service Organizations that provide direct services to Texas veterans and their families. More than 90 percent of the revenue contributed to the fund is derived from the sales of the Texas Lottery veterans’ games. The first game was introduced in FY 2010 and since that time, additional games have been launched with the proceeds supporting the fund. In FY 2015, $13.1 million was transferred to the Texas Veterans Commission.

The Texas Lottery Supports Other State Programs. Other Texas Lottery funds, such as unclaimed prizes, contribute to other causes as authorized by the Texas Legislature such as the multicategorical teaching hospital at the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston.

* Prior to 1997, the proceeds were allocated to the General Revenue Fund and were contributed for the benefit of all state programs.

63.1% Prizes Paid

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All or Nothing® ....... $2,562,020
Cash Five® ............. $3,649,825
Daily 4® ............... $6,920,202
Scratch Tickets ......... $376,372,522
Lotto Texas® ........... $33,042,168
Mega Millions® ...... $8,892,274
Pick 3® ................. $18,495,276
Powerball® ............ $4,019,147
Texas Two Step® ...... $4,380,808
Texas Triple Chance .... $3,616,618

TOTAL: $461,950,860