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SOUTH HOUSTON RESIDENT CLAIMS \$2.5 MILLION TOP PRIZE

Winning ticket sold in Austin

(AUSTIN) – Sergio Martinez, of South Houston, claimed a \$2.5 million top prize in the Texas Lottery® scratch ticket game [\\$500,000,000 Cash](#). For selling the winning ticket, Sunrise Mini-Mart, located at 11800 Metric Blvd. in Austin, is eligible for a \$10,000 retailer bonus.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Martinez claimed the third of 10 prizes worth \$2.5 million available in the game. \$500,000,000 Cash offers more than \$500 million in prizes and 50 prizes of \$1 million or more. Overall odds of winning any prize in the game are one in 2.76, including break-even prizes.

About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$25 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$50 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$19 billion to the Foundation School Fund, which supports public education in Texas. As authorized by the Texas Legislature, certain Texas Lottery revenues benefit state programs including the Fund for Veterans' Assistance. Since the first veterans' themed scratch ticket game was launched in 2009, the Texas Lottery has contributed more than \$66 million for programs supporting Texas veterans.

The Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including Powerball®, Mega Millions®, Lotto Texas®, All or Nothing™, Texas Two Step®, Pick 3™, Daily 4™, Cash Five®, Texas Triple Chance™ and scratch ticket games. For more information visit us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube or at www.txlottery.org.

Editors/News Directors, note: An image of \$500,000,000 Cash is attached in JPEG format.

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