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**\$30.25 MILLION LOTTO TEXAS® JACKPOT WINNING
TICKET SOLD IN HOUSTON**

(AUSTIN) – A \$30.25 million jackpot-winning ticket for last night's [Lotto Texas®](#) drawing was sold in Houston. The Quick Pick ticket matched all six of the numbers drawn (20-24-27-37-39-41). For selling the winning ticket, MJ's All Season Food Store, located at 15935-A Lee Road in Houston, is eligible for a \$308,766.64 retailer bonus.

The cash value option was selected at the time of purchase and the claimant will receive \$20,327,988.74. The prize has not yet been claimed. The winner has 180 days from the draw date to claim the prize.

"We want to congratulate our first Lotto Texas jackpot winner of 2018," said Gary Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery. "If you have the winning ticket, we encourage you to sign the ticket, put it in a safe place, seek financial and legal advice, and call the Texas Lottery before coming to Austin to claim the prize. We look forward to meeting you."

In addition to the jackpot-winning prize, 51,512 Lotto Texas tickets, including those with the Extra! add-on feature, won lower-tier prizes ranging from \$11,307 to \$2.

The winning Lotto Texas jackpot started as a \$5 million prize on Dec. 20, 2017 and rolled 42 times before being hit. The jackpot for the next Lotto Texas drawing on Saturday, May 19 will reset to \$5 million.

Lotto Texas is played by picking six numbers from one to 54 and offers multi-million dollar jackpots. Drawings are every Wednesday and Saturday at 10:12 p.m. CT. For \$1 more per play, a player can select the Extra! add-on feature and win up to \$10,000 more on non-jackpot prizes.

[About the Texas Lottery](#)

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$27 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$56 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has

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contributed \$21 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 \$96 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 the Lotto Texas logo is attached in JPEG format.

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