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LAST CHANCE! UNCLAIMED \$1 MILLION POWERBALL® TICKET EXPIRES JULY 23

Winning ticket was purchased in El Paso

(AUSTIN) – A \$1 million Powerball® ticket will soon expire. A Quick Pick ticket matching five numbers drawn for [the Jan. 25 drawing](#) was purchased at Big Savers Market, located at 3630 Alameda Ave. (Suite B), in El Paso, but the \$1 million prize has not been claimed. The winning ticket matched all five of the white ball numbers drawn (2-9-17-36-67), but not the Powerball number (18). The deadline [to claim the prize](#) is Thursday, July 23 at 5 p.m. local time.

Due to COVID-19, changes have been made to the Texas Lottery's prize claims process. The ticket holder may claim the prize at a claim center by requesting an appointment online at www.txlottery.org/appointment or by calling **800-375-6886**. **Walk-in claims will not be accepted** and unscheduled claimants will not be admitted into any Texas Lottery facility. The ticket holder may also claim the prize by mail. The ticket, [along with a claim form](#), must be postmarked on or prior to the July 23 ticket expiration date and should be mailed to:

Texas Lottery Commission
ATTN: Austin Claim Center
PO Box 16600
Austin, TX 78761-6600

Please allow 4-6 weeks for mail-in claims to be processed.

“We encourage our Powerball players to take another look at their tickets, check the numbers again and if your numbers match, sign the back of the ticket and contact us to request an appointment to claim your prize,” said Gary Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery.

A ticket holder forfeits any claim to a prize for a draw game after the expiration of the 180th day following the draw date. The deadline may be extended for a period of time for certain eligible military personnel. Unclaimed prizes revert back to the state for programs authorized by the Texas Legislature.

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About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated more than \$31 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$64 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$25.2 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 \$137 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® and scratch ticket games. For more information visit us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube or at www.txlottery.org. PLAY RESPONSIBLY.

Editors/News Directors, note: An image of the Powerball® logo is attached in JPEG format.

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