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DALLAS RESIDENT CLAIMS \$1.25 MILLION TEXAS TWO STEP® PRIZE AT TEXAS LOTTERY® HEADQUARTERS

(AUSTIN) – Richard L. Karlos of Dallas has claimed the \$1.25 million *Texas Two Step*[®] jackpot for the drawing on June 19.

While the drawing produced only one winner of the top prize, the total number of winners for this drawing was 23,708. Among them were nine winners who matched four of the numbers drawn minus the bonus ball. Their second-tier pari-mutuel prize was \$2,523.

Karlos bought the ticket at the 7-Eleven convenience store, 1001 Willow Springs, in Killeen. The store is now qualified to receive a bonus of \$10,000.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Tonight's *Mega Millions*[®] jackpot is worth an estimated \$25 million. Tomorrow's *Lotto Texas*[®] jackpot is worth an estimated \$21 million.

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